VILLAGE OF TONY

Regular Monthly Meeting Minutes

October 9 , 2026

Call to Order: The regular monthly meeting of the Village of Tony was called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Monte Groothousen.

Roll Call: Present: Jeff Hurlebaus, Monte Groothousen, Britney Mateski, Julie Hauser, and Kim Groothousen.

Approval of Minutes: The minutes from the September 11, 2026, regular monthly meeting were presented for approval. Motion made by Monte and seconded by Jeff to approve the financial report. Motion carried.

Financial Report: The financial report was presented. Motion made by Monte and seconded by Jeff to approve the financial report. Motion carried.

Approval of Bills: The bills were presented for approval. Motion made by Monte and seconded by Jeff to approve payment of the bills. Motion carried.

Old Business, Updates, Discussions and New Business

1. **Water Operator Report:** Jeff updated the board on this month's activities. Did the utility read for Q3. Working on lowering the ponds for maintenance.
2. **PFAS:** PFAS notices were mailed out with the utility bills. Also, sent out water filtration options to all residents. Jeff continues to work on next steps for grants. Waiting on the State to decide more regulations
3. **Ponds – Phosphorus:** The phosphorus issue was discussed in relation to DNR requirements. Pond testing and lift station work were discussed, with work anticipated during the first week of October. The Village will continue working toward addressing the issue.
4. **Culvert and Driveway Permit:** Culvert and Driveway permit ordinance was created and approved by the board. Both the ordinance and permit can be found on the village's website.
5. **Street Signs**: The Village will begin contacting Diggers Hotline in preparation for street sign work.
6. **Snowplowing:** We had two snowplowing bids. The Board voted Billers Lawncare to snow plow this winter. Monte made a motion to approve Biller's bid. Julie seconded, motion passed. They have multiple trucks and will be second to be plowed after the Village of Igram. Biller's will grab sand/salt from Dewey's pile and bill us accordingly.
7. **Innovation Grant:** The Innovation Grant application opened up. No application will be submitted at this time. Will revisit it the next time it opens.
8. **Winter Parking:** Discussed winter park. Jeff is to order signs to put up at the limits and will put a reminder on the village website. A big concern is making sure the streets are clear in the morning so the plow trucks can keep the streets clean.
9. **Hay:** If hay is needed for the ponds or any lines. Britney can provide a round bale. If square bales are needed, we will need to find someone to buy some bales from.

10. **AT&T:** The Village discussed AT&T-related matters. Britney will email them back, allowing them to continue with next steps.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

Next Meeting: November 6, 2026, at 5:00 p.m