# Village of Cairo

# MINUTES August 19, 2025

# Call to Order:

The August 19, 2025, meeting of the Cairo Board of Directors was called to order by Vanessa Joseph, Chairman of the Board, at 7:04 p.m.

#### Roll Call:

Vanessa Joseph, Chairman; Phil Bowden, Trustee; Chris Zike, Trustee; Amanda Cox, Clerk

#### Absent:

Megan Brumley, Trustee

### **Guests:**

- 1. Craig and Courtney Prather were asking for permits to build. The applications were printed for them and they were given the email and physical address to submit them to the board.
- 2. Delina Prather inquired about closing off Scott Road. It was explained that the railroad is in the process of new ownership. The end of Scott Road is technically owned by the railroad and the board decided to close it off to avoid getting penalized for utilizing their property.

#### **Business:**

- 1. The capital quote to resurface Linda Lane is for \$21,125. We still need to obtain two more bids.
- 2. Phil Bowden brought up the city equipment being auctioned off. He attests that he did not vote to auction the equipment. All other members that were present attest he did. It was stated that whether or not he remembered voting, he was present as an active member during the vote and if he changed his vote to a no, now after the fact, it would still represent a passing vote of 2 to 1.
- 3. Phil Bowden asked about the location of the sprayer and fuel tank. Board agreed to look into this.
- 4. Chris Zike brought up issues with mowing. He said that it looks nice, but believes we are paying to mow more than city property. It was discussed that it is all the same property that has always been paid for by the city to be mowed.

# **Adjournment:**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:12 p.m., on a motion made by Chris Zike. The motion was seconded by Phil Bowden. All voted unanimously in favor of adjourning the meeting.

Respectively Submitted,

Amanda Cox, Clerk

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