

CITY OF PEWEE VALLEY
MINUTES OF CITY COUNCIL

Wednesday September 2, 2026

The regular meeting of the City Council of Pewee Valley, Kentucky was held on Wednesday, September 2, 2026. In attendance were Mayor Bob Rogers, Council Members: Amanda Mudd, Paige Bjorn, Allen Ford, Henry Walser, Emily Rademaker and Norman Schippert. Also in attendance were City Attorney, John Singler, and city clerk Denise Haney

Mayor Rogers called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM and led in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Henry Walser made a Motion to approve the August 2026 minutes of the City Council Meeting as written seconded the motion, and all Council Members present voted in favor.

Financial Report – Property taxes will be mailed this week, and the city is preparing for the audit.

Police Report –

The Pewee Valley Police Department conducted:

50 - Traffic Stops

25 - Traffic Charges

35 – Courtesy Notices

14 - Calls for service

3 - House watch checks

1 - Warrant arrest

A study was done on Maple Avenue to address speeding concerns and data was collected over a week. Chief stated that 85% of traffic surveyed was in the 25 to 29 MPH range. There was a small percentage during the morning and afternoon rush hours that averaged from 30 to 37 MPH. Only one vehicle exceeded the speed limit by a large margin in the late-night hours. Chief said Ash Avenue is a major concern for speeding, and delivery drivers seem to be a problem in all areas regarding the speed limit.

Announcements – The mayor thanked everyone for their work on the summer picnic and thanked Chief Purcell for helping a picnic attendee that suffered a health problem and was seen to promptly. The Chief is working on a traffic plan for the Houston Lane construction project. The MS4 audit went well, and the city is compliant and there were no issues. The sidewalk on Maple is near completion. The mayor is working with Jason Nemes to address railroad crossing blockage

Council Member Reports-

Public Safety – (Paige Bjorn) – No report

Central Park/Waste Management – (Allen Ford) – No report

Insurance/Water Quality – (Henry Walser) - No report.

Sidewalks and Festivals- (Emily Rademaker) – The new deadline for the survey is September 11th, please take the survey! There are 4 farmer's markets left, so please attend on Thursdays from 5:30 to 7:30pm in the St. James parking lot. The Maple sidewalk is almost complete, and it is being used and looks great.

Communication - (Amanda Mudd) – A direct mailing to participate in the master plan survey will be sent out, please fill out the survey. It is also posted on the FB page and website. 2 reach alerts were sent out, please sign up if you have not. Website stats: 2 forms submitted for the month, 17 click to calls, 1200 site visits, 13,956 visits to our FB page.

Town Hall - (Norman Schippert) – No report.

Roads- (Bob Rogers) – Tree giveaway is October 10th at 9am in the park. The PV Fire Department will be hosting breakfast and lunch at the Foley Avenue location on September 11th.

New Business –

A permanent sign permit was presented by 314 Exchange. A motion to accept the permit was made by Norman Schippert, seconded by Henry Walser and approved by all council members present.

A motion to approve City of Pewee Valley Municipal Order No. 1, 2026 A Municipal Order Relating to the Appointment of the Members of the Pewee Valley Code Enforcement Board was made by Amanda Mudd, seconded by Paige Bjorn and approved by all council members.

A proposal for a code enforcement services officer was presented. This officer works in conjunction with the code enforcement board, for legality reasons you need a board and an enforcement officer. These must be separate, the state legislature gave cities additional enforcement power, so you can fine people civilly and place liens on homes without going to court in exchange for that power they require an independent board for residents to address issues and appeal in a hearing setting. Amanda Mudd asked for clarification on the terms of the enforcement officers' contract before proceeding and asked if the potential candidate could attend the next meeting.

Open Comments – Tom Clark thanked the city for the Maple Avenue Sidewalk and asked if reflectors could be placed on the sidewalk bridge.

Pay Bills - Motion to pay bills by Henry Walser, seconded by Paige Bjorn and all approved.

Adjourn - Motion to Adjourn made by Henry Walser, seconded Paige Bjorn, and all approved.