

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Held

Tuesday, June 23, 2026

The Pandora Village Council met in Regular Session on Tuesday, June 23, 2026 at 7:00 PM at the Municipal Building, with Mayor, Jeremy Liechty, presiding.

Members Present: Escamilla,Hovest,Lammers,Fricke,Gray  
Members Absent: Braidic

Also in attendance: Chief,Scott Stant / Village Administrator, Rick Morrison / Solicitor, Scott Basinger.

Guest: Kevin Vance

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion was made by Mr. Fricke, seconded by Mrs. Lammers, to approve the June 9, 2026 Minutes. Voting: All Yea.

Motion was made by Mr. Gray, seconded by Ms. Hovest, to approve the bills as presented; total non-payroll of \$95,239.68 and payroll of \$35,626.39 for a total of \$130,866.07. Voting: All Yea.

Kevin Vance, representing the Arthur-Lugibihl Community Center Board, was present to discuss a potential grant/loan option that is currently available. He has spoken with Amy Sealts from the CIC regarding this grant for installing A/C in the Community Center gym. Per Amy Sealts, there is not enough money available through the Putnam County Port Authority. The Villages of Ottawa and Kalida have joined the Lucas County Port Authority which is what Pandora would have to do to apply for this grant/loan.

Council discussed several alleys within the village. Mr. Morrison located various alleys on the Putnam County GIS map. Most of these alleys have been abandoned and split. Solicitor, Scott Basinger, stated that the village can do a partial abandonment to an alley or a full abandonment where each property owner acquires half of the alley. Regarding the request for an alley abandonment at the June 9, 2026 Council meeting, Council discussed keeping the front half and having it surveyed. Language can be added to the document stating the village's need for utility access, etc. Council will wait for a draft of the partial abandonment for review and approval.

Chief, Scott Stant, informed Council (1) The new cruiser is in service as of last night. Steve Bishop put the striping on the new car as a contribution to the village. Chief Stant provided him with a challenge coin as a token of appreciation. (2) Suggested listing the old cruiser on GovDeals. (3) National Night Out is scheduled for August 4<sup>th</sup> at the Bluffton Community Pool.

Letters have been sent to two property owners that are in violation of the village's Property and Maintenance Ordinances. They were given 10 days to take care of the issues identified in their letters.

Mayor Liechty reported that he had reached out to Amy Sealts, with the CIC, regarding any programs available in the County for homeowners that need assistance with making repairs to their homes. Amy stated that Habitat for Humanity has a critical home repair program. Putnam County is also a part of a regional grant called "welcome Home Ohio" which does include a rehabilitation housing program.

Council Member, Abram Escamilla, discussed with Council the ball diamonds at the park and who is in control of reserving the diamonds. Mr. Escamilla was advised that people need to talk with the P-G Recreation Committee, especially if they are coaches for teams.

Council Member, Breanna Lammers, informed Council that she has sent an application to the United States Tennis Association to see if the village would be a candidate for a grant through any of their programs. This would be for the resurfacing and lighting of the tennis courts.

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With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned upon a motion by Mr. Fricke, seconded by Ms. Hovest. Voting: All Yea.

SIGNED: \_\_\_\_\_

Mayor

SIGNED: \_\_\_\_\_

Kimberly D. Reese  
Fiscal Officer