

February 2, 2026

RESOLUTION duly moved by Schultz and seconded by Norton to go into an executive session regarding the collective negotiations pursuant to the Taylor Law at 6:53 pm be and hereby is approved.

ADOPTED	BRIAN T. PERRY	- AYE
	E. PETER FORRESTEL	- AYE
	DARIN S. SCHULTZ	- AYE
	JOHN W. NORTON	- AYE

RESOLUTION duly moved by Forrestel and seconded by Schultz to come out of executive session regarding the collective negotiations pursuant to the Taylor Law at 7:01 pm be and hereby is approved.

ADOPTED	BRIAN T. PERRY	- AYE
	E. PETER FORRESTEL	- AYE
	DARIN S. SCHULTZ	- AYE
	JOHN W. NORTON	- AYE

A REGULAR MEETING of the Akron Village Board was held on this date at 7:06 pm. Present: Mayor: Brian T. Perry; Trustees: E. Peter Forrestel, Darin S. Schultz and John W. Norton; Village Attorney Andrew Borden, Clerk Jayne DeTine, Police Chief Richard Lauricella and Code Enforcement Officer Michael Borth.

The Mayor led us in the pledge to the flag.

RESOLUTION duly moved by Schultz and seconded by Forrestel that the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of January 26, 2026 be and hereby are approved by the Village Board.

ADOPTED	BRIAN T. PERRY	- AYE
	E. PETER FORRESTEL	- AYE
	DARIN S. SCHULTZ	- AYE
	JOHN W. NORTON	- AYE

RESOLUTION, duly moved by Forrestel seconded by Schultz that the audit of the bills is approved, and the Treasurer authorized to pay same in accordance with the following abstract of audit vouchers:

General Fund	\$	29,349.78
Electric Fund	\$	167,985.29
Water Fund	\$	11,284.38
Sewer Fund	\$	15,136.26
Capital Projects	\$	66,719.25

ADOPTED	BRIAN T. PERRY	- AYE
	E. PETER FORRESTEL	- AYE
	DARIN S. SCHULTZ	- AYE
	JOHN W. NORTON	- AYE

RESOLUTION duly moved by Perry and seconded by Schultz that the following application for a Dumpster Permit be and hereby is approved in accordance with the application filed and payment of permit fee:

Perry's Ice Cream	1 Ice Cream Plaza	Renewal	\$300.00
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ADOPTED	BRIAN T. PERRY	- AYE
	E. PETER FORRESTEL	- AYE
	DARIN S. SCHULTZ	- AYE
	JOHN W. NORTON	- AYE

RESOLUTION duly moved by Schultz and seconded by Perry that the following application for a Plumbers License for the year 2026 be and hereby is approved in accordance with the application filed and payment of the annual license fee of \$75.00:

David Stoehr Buffalo, NY Renewal \$75.00

ADOPTED BRIAN T. PERRY - AYE
E. PETER FORRESTEL - AYE
DARIN S. SCHULTZ - AYE
JOHN W. NORTON - AYE

RESOLUTION duly moved by Perry and seconded by Schultz to approve the Mobile Home Park License for Akron - Cooks MHP LLC for the year 2026 in the amount of \$1,500.00 on the recommendation of Code Enforcement Officer Michael Borth be and hereby is approved.

Akron Mobile Home Park 2 Wesley Drive Renewal \$1,500.00

ADOPTED BRIAN T. PERRY - AYE
E. PETER FORRESTEL - AYE
DARIN S. SCHULTZ - AYE
JOHN W. NORTON - AYE

PUBLIC HEARING – None

APPEARANCE – None

PUBLIC COMMENT – Newstead Historical Society Representative Kevin Scherf came before the Board with information about the United States 250-year anniversary celebrations scheduled this July and a fundraiser Fish Fry on February 20th at the Masonic Lodge.

PROJECT REPORTS –

Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrade – Nothing new.

Electric Substation Upgrade – waiting on Engineers to amend the concrete footers.

State Street Bridge – The Easement will go before the County to approve on February 26, 2026.

East Avenue Water/Sewer Line Replacement – Nothing new.

Water Tank Improvements – Nothing new.

MONTHLY REPORTS –

Departments –

VILLAGE ATTORNEY – Appreciated the efforts of snow clearing by the DPW and Akron Central School for not closing the school as much as other districts.

CLERK – submitted report for January 2026. Reported: continuing to work with Municipal Solutions regarding the Water Storage Tank Improvement project, and East Ave Water/Sewer Line project as well as working with NYS regarding the State Street Bridge replacement project; completed grant application for the 2025 Household Hazardous Waste/Electronic Recycling/Shred-it event held May 17, 2025. Also scheduled the 2026 event on May 16, 2026; Managing paperwork and interviews for the open Water Plant Operator and the Code Enforcement Officer positions; began preparations for the 2026-2027 Village taxes.

CHIEF OF POLICE – submitted report for January 2026 and schedule for February 2026. Reported: All routine maintenance on equipment up to date; with the use of the tech grant purchased radios for the Crossing Guards to assist in their duties.

PUBLIC WORKS MANAGER – Excused Absence.

CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER – submitted report for January 2026. Reported: Completed Annual State Training in January.

AKRON FIRE COMPANY – Reported in Work Session held earlier.

Elected Officials –

TRUSTEES – COORDINATORS

Trustee Norton – reported: The new flagpole installed in Russell Park really shows so much better than the original one.

Trustee Forrestel – reported: Kudos to the DPW with all the snow removal over the past couple of weeks.

Mayor Perry – reported: Public Works Manager completed the fix of the water main break on Crescent Drive and mentioned that he suggested to residents to run their facet just a drip overnight during this cold spell. A Code Red message will be sent out tomorrow regarding the water issue.

Trustee Middaugh – Excused Absence

Trustee Schultz – Reported: With the all the cold weather, he also recommended to let facet drip overnight, so pipes do not burst. Glad Code Red is going out tomorrow.

OLD BUSINESS

West Shore Property Development – Waiting on weather.

American Legion/LL Tillman – Attorney Borden should have the leases this week.

Electric Rate Case – Nothing new.

Russell Park Shelter – Work is scheduled to begin in late winter early spring.

Solar, Wind, Battery Storage Moratoriums – Nothing new.

E-Bike Legislation – Nothing new.

Fence Code Amendment – Nothing new

Lions Lease Agreement – Attorney Borden presented the Lease for the Lion’s Club pole barn located at 43 East Avenue.

RESOLUTION duly moved by Schultz and seconded by Norton to approve the Lease Agreement for the Lions Club pole barn located at 43 East Ave and to mail it to the Lions Club for their signature be and hereby is approved.

ADOPTED	BRIAN T. PERRY	- AYE
	E. PETER FORRESTEL	- AYE
	DARIN S. SCHULTZ	- AYE
	JOHN W. NORTON	- AYE

NEW BUSINESS –

RESOLUTION duly moved by Forrestel seconded by Norton to rescind the Salary Plan Steps approved at the April 7, 2025 Village Board Annual Meeting and to set the rates of pay commencing June 1st, 2025 as hereby established for the following persons, including Village officials, the Village Attorneys, and/or other non-bargaining unit Village employees; full time; part-time; and seasonal be and hereby is approved

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PART TIME
SALARY PLAN STEPS
AS OF JUNE 1, 2025

<u>GRADE</u>	<u>HIRE RATE</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>
1A	20.93	23.42	23.87	24.39	24.86	25.42

1B	15.03	15.66	16.04	16.41	16.77	17.16
2	16.15	19.94				
3	22.09	25.69				
4	26.92	27.87	28.86	29.81	30.85	31.73
5	27.60	28.61	29.57	30.49	31.49	32.42

GRADE

STEPS

1A	DEPUTY CLERK TREASURER DEPUTY CLERK	VARIOUS VARIOUS
1B	COMPOST ATTENDANT METER READERS	VARIOUS
2	ELECTION INSPECTORS	HIRE RATE
2	CROSSING GUARD	VARIOUS
3	PATROL PERSON	VARIOUS
4	MGR. OF LABORATORIES/CHEMIST	VARIOUS
5	POLICE CHIEF	\$34,900
	VILLAGE CLERK	\$74,464
	VILLAGE TREASURER	\$64,438
	PUBLIC WORKS MANAGER	\$105,372
	MAYOR	\$11,140
	TRUSTEES	\$ 7,679 EACH
	VILLAGE ATTORNEY	\$42,481
	CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER	\$68,796
	CHEMIST/ P/T	\$31.73 PER HOUR
	CONSTABLE P/T	\$23.81 PER HOUR
	SEASONAL P/T	\$25.22 PER HOUR

ADOPTED	BRIAN T. PERRY	- AYE
	E. PETER FORRESTEL	- AYE
	DARIN S. SCHULTZ	- AYE
	JOHN W. NORTON	- AYE

CORRESPONDENCE –

Letter from NYMPA General Manager Jim Stokes regarding the current energy prices.

PUBLIC COMMENT – None

EXECUTIVE SESSION –

RESOLUTION duly moved by Schultz and seconded by Norton to go into an executive session regarding the collective negotiations pursuant to the Taylor Law at 7:39 pm be and hereby is approved.

ADOPTED BRIAN T. PERRY - AYE
 E. PETER FORRESTEL - AYE
 DARIN S. SCHULTZ - AYE
 JOHN W. NORTON - AYE

RESOLUTION duly moved by Forrestel and seconded by Norton to come out of executive session regarding the collective negotiations pursuant to the Taylor Law at 8:17 pm be and hereby is approved.

ADOPTED BRIAN T. PERRY - AYE
 E. PETER FORRESTEL - AYE
 DARIN S. SCHULTZ - AYE
 JOHN W. NORTON - AYE

RESOLUTION duly moved by Forrestel and seconded by Schultz to approve and send to Union for Member vote the tentative 2025-2028 Union Contract be and hereby is approved.

ADOPTED BRIAN T. PERRY - AYE
 E. PETER FORRESTEL - AYE
 DARIN S. SCHULTZ - AYE
 JOHN W. NORTON - AYE

RESOLUTION duly moved by Perry and seconded by Schultz to approve the Agreement with Ramboll for any further engineering services in the amount not to exceed \$10,000 for the Electric Substation Upgrade Project be and hereby is approved.

ADOPTED BRIAN T. PERRY - AYE
 E. PETER FORRESTEL - AYE
 DARIN S. SCHULTZ - AYE
 JOHN W. NORTON - AYE

On motion of Schultz and seconded by Norton at 8:24 pm this meeting was ADJOURNED.

MAYOR

CLERK