

Village of Rock City Minutes

Rock City Fire Department

Started 7:04pm

Ended 8:48pm

Date: 4/7/26

Board Members: Kim Parrett, Ashley Lameyer, Katie Benning, Jeff Stubbe, Dianna Dornink, Alice

Absent:

President- Nikki

Heidi- Treasurer

Melody- Clerk

Call to Order

Roll Call

Read Last Months Minutes

Additions or Corrections:

Motion made by Dianna read as approved minutes from March 2, 2026 seconded by Katie, motion carried.

Read Current Bills Read by Nikki

Additions or Corrections

Motion to pay current bills made by Jeff seconded by Alice.

Treasurer Reports: okay

Village Residents/Guest Speakers:

Andrea Schultz Winter from Greater Freeport Partnership. Went over what the Greater Freeport Partnership offers. Visit Greaterfreeport.com for more information.

Mitch Waechter from Central Cable in to go over install information for Silo Internet and no cost to the village. There is a charge to resident to hook up.

Motion made by Dianna to approve Central Cable to install fiber optic internet throughout Rock City and Silo Internet to come into Rock City, seconded by Katie, motion carried.

Current Bills:**General:**

ComEd 12/3825 to 1/29/26 906.24
Drendel & Jansons Law Group 2/13 2/23 2/24 \$350.00
Alber and Son Earthworks Fire hydrant on Hillcrest \$7875.00
Mediacom Business 110.41

Water:

ComEd 408.99
Nicor Gas Service from 179.97
Test Inc 97.00
Test Inc 389.00
Test Inc 75.00
Test Inc 300.00
USA Blue Book Fluoride 283.03
Test Inc Chlorine and Coliform testing \$196.00

Sewer:

ComEd 89.64
Test Inc 101.00
Test Inc 300.00

Sanitation:

Gills 2802.14

Income:**General:**

Cannabis 33.88
Video Gaming 950.43
Income Tax 2976.90
State Use Tax 273.44
1% State Tax 3040.48
Replacement Tax 127.21

MFT Funds:

1119.93

Trustee Reports:**Water**

Board was okay to order the Double Eye, chemical gloves, smock and face shield. Motion made by Katie to purchase supplies ,eye wash, chemical gloves, smock and face Shield not exceed \$250.00, seconded by Ashley motion carried.

Park:

Okay,

Dianna will reach out to Ryan at Dakota Plumbing to have the bathrooms inspected To open later April beginning of May

Picnic tables need to be fixed, will look at this in the spring. Olivia Zimmerman reached out and would like to donate her time to fix the picnic tables. If we can get a list of what the Village would need. Nikki will get with her.

Both baby swings are broken, need to replace. Dianna and Nikki will look into options.

Finance:

Okay,

Motion made by Dianna to approve appropriations for 2026-2027, seconded by Katie, motion carried.

Streetlights/Flags/Monuments/Entrance

Received quote from Rob Dietz- Complete tear down removing existing brick Monument, labor, and material to reconstruction of new monument to be as Similar of the existing monument \$5000.00

Motion made by Dianna to hire Rob Dietz to restore the monument of Rock City not to Exceed \$5500.00, seconded by Katie, motion carried.

Carver for the Stone on Main and Hwy 75 is running behind, had some issues with Tools. Will keep us posted.

Streets:

Douglas hole by corner of Douglas and Jackson, Nikki will talk to Township to see if they Can fix.

Sewer

Will look into getting a door and call to get a quote for the electricity work. The driveway to the sewer pond per the new owner to the Stone home the path to the Sewer pond is part of his driveway. Nikki will check into this further.

Owner on the corner of Center and Barney would like to use the village property next to them

Ordinance:

Water Ordinance in progress
Nuisance Ordinance in progress-

Old Business:

Need door handle for the village hall door.

Will work on more quotes for the village hall to remodel. Working on this.

Surf Internet has placed Rock City on hold for now.

New Business:

Nikki has no update on the library card for Pecatonica library. Nikki asked Andrea Schultz Winter from Greater Freeport Partnership and she will check with the library.

Motion made by Alice to renew Liquor and Gaming License for Rock City Tap \$1000.00 for Liquor License and \$500 for gaming license per \$100.00 per unit, 2nd Dianna, motion carried

Role Call: Dianna, yea, Katie yea, Jeff, yea, Alice, yea, Ahsley, yea and Kimberly yea

Motion made by Dianna to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Ashley, motion carried

Next Board Meeting:
Meeting at the Rock City Fire Department
May 5, 2026 at 7:00pm

Melody Sweet
Village Clerk