

MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF EAST SPARTA, COUNTY OF STARK AND STATE OF OHIO HELD IN THE COMMUNITY BUILDING ON December 16th 2025

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm. Mayor Stropki led Council and visitors in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call was taken with the following members present; Don Stropki, Charlene Stelluto, Dan Fetters, Nancy Black, Scott Muir, Jenna Hessedence, Joel Russell and Clerk Doug Neading. Rob Quicci, Mike Mangeris, Lisa Mangeris, Lisa Stropki, Rober Cyperski, Michelle Miller, Deputy Kohler and Jeff Vuchovich.

Sheriff's report: reviewed reports, no current issues.

Fire & EMS: Trucks undergoing annual service.

BPA, reviewed report

Rob Quicci expressed concerns over notifications of water breaks, and service interruptions. He also had damage to his underground dog fence and felt he was given the run around by the service providers involved. Mayor Stropki explained it was an emergency repair and generally do not have time to notify residence. It will be referred to the BPA board for review.

Michelle Miller asked for SV Pool update. Mayor Stropki explained there are no plans to reopen due to high operating costs.

Motion to approve November 18th 2025 regular meeting minutes by Fetters. Seconded by Hessedence. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion Carried.

Motion to approve financial reports as presented by Stelluto. Seconded by Russell. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion Carried.

Motion to approve O-03-25-10 wage rates by Hessendence. Seconded by Russell. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Motion to approve O-04-25-10 2026 Temporary Appropriations by Stelluto. Seconded by Fetters. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Motion to suspend/pass/emergency R-14-25-12 Canton Law Dept. contract by Fetters. Seconded by Hessendence. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Motion to allow temporary MARKS tower installation near existing water tower as presented by Hessendence. Seconded by Stelluto. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion carried. Tom checked with the EPA and they had no objections.

Playground fund balance \$17,456.69.

Cemetery committee will meet before the end of the year to discuss rates for 2026.

Cyperski thanked outgoing/retiring council members for their service to the community. Has not received documents from SV pool property yet.

Mike review property maintenance report. No new issues.

Russell asked for update on Dollar General fine. Cyperski sent to corporate office with no response. If none received, we will file tax assessment. Ghee property status? No update. Asked about new property maintenance ordinance, Bob suggested committee continue working on early next year. Joel thanked members for their support during his terms as council member.

Motion to adjourn by Hessedence. Seconded by Stelluto. Roll call 6 yes,
0 no.

Meeting adjourned 7:33pm.

Mayor, Donald Stropki

Clerk-Treasurer, Doug Neading