

MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF EAST SPARTA, COUNTY OF STARK AND STATE OF OHIO HELD IN THE COMMUNITY BUILDING ON May 19 2026.

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, Todd Hoover, Michelle Miller, Rob Quicci, Scott Muir, and Clerk Doug Neading. Dan Feters, Don Brown, Mike Mangeris, Lisa Mangeris, Lisa Stropki, Deputy Kohler and Jeff Vuchovich.

Cyperski reviewed rules of council and respect for public officials and addressed an incident that occurred after last months council meeting. Reminded those in attendance that threatening a public official is a chargeable offence. Apologies were made and council agreed to move forward with no further action.

Sheriff's report: reviewed reports

Fire & EMS: reviewed reports. EVOC driver training has been completed.

BPA: reviewed report, Tom had surgery on his arm and has returned for light duty.

Carpenter property has had a second dumpster delivered. Minor progress has been made. Still waiting for response from prosecutor.

Don Brown discussed how he felt he was treated after the last meeting, has been working on his residential property. Has been looking into options for storage of items on Pine St. property.

Motion to approve regular meeting minutes from April 21 2026 by Hessedence. Seconded by Miller. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion Carried.

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

Motion to suspend/pass/emergency R-09-26-05 Moratorium on Data Center Construction by Stelluto. Seconded by Hoover. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Motion to suspend/pass/emergency R-10-26-05 fund transfer by Hoover. Seconded by Miller. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Motion to suspend/pass/emergency R-05-06-02a updated General Fund Levy Renewal by Stelluto. Seconded by Miller. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Motion to suspend/pass/emergency R-06-02a updated Police levy renewal by Hoover. Seconded by Hessedence. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Playground fund balance \$17,456.69. Planning a bingo night for June. Requested that Jeff reinstall ga-ga pit. Getting quotes to resurface basketball court. Need new basketball nets.

Cyperski: Pool property deed has been completed by ROCA Group. Waiting for documents to return from Spain.

Jeff discussed quote for tree removal at cemetery. He was asked to get additional quotes. Joel Russell will pick up sealer for round about at estimated cost of \$400.00. Been busy with mowing and street patching.

Mangeris reviewed property violations. Notified resident on McKinley to stop erecting fence due to property line issue and failure to obtain

permit. Is addressing vehicle on vacant lot on S. Chestnut, Trailers on Poplar, Property clean up on N. Main.

Muir requested cemetery clean up be improved by contractor, requested fire inspection reports be turned in for council review.

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

Meeting adjourned 8:32pm.

Mayor, Donald Stropki

Clerk-Treasurer, Doug Neading