

Village of Tonica

Board of Trustees Meeting
Village Hall
January 19, 2026

The regular meeting was called to order by President Eric Skinner at 7:00 p.m. Monday January 19, 2025. Mike Supan Jr., Dave Huss, Ray Martinez, Stephen Ebener, Tom Goskusky, Heather Sherman and Bob Steele answered roll call. Ken Moriarty was absent. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Guests-

Rikki Kinsella & Kelly Turner- Tonica Fest Committee

- They would like to hold a Bingo Night at the TVFD on March 21, 2026. The Committee is asking for a \$1600 donation from the Village to get the event started.

Al Stremlau- TVFD Annual Report

- In 2025 there were 246 calls
 - 38 Fire
 - 23 Structure fires
 - 19 Accidents
 - 16 Misc
 - 173 Ambulance

John DeBernardi – Municipality Services Manager for Republic Services

- Just wanted to introduce himself to the board.

Village Clerk Report - Heather Sherman

- Water bills will go out later this week.
- The minutes of December's meeting were presented and approved. A motion was made by Dave Huss and 2nd by Mike Supan Jr.

Treasurer Report – Kenneth Moriarty

- Monthly bills were presented and approved. A motion was made by Stephen Ebener and 2nd by Mike Supan Jr.

Police Report – Rollie Copeland

Monthly Report

- A delivery truck knocked down some cable lines across a road.
- Found another candidate to become an officer. His name is Samuel Dixon.
- The former tenants of 420 Pontiac St have been going onto the property. No trespassing signs have been placed on the front and back doors.

Water & Sewer/Streets & Alley Report – Derek Keutzer

- Public Works employee contracts are up May 1st, would like to get the ball rolling on new contracts.
- Had an EPA inspection, went very well.
- Lead water line replacement will start when the weather warms up.
- Two dead trees located on village property will need to be removed. We have a credit from Korte tree service from past work. Derek will call Korte tomorrow morning to get them scheduled to be removed.

Engineer's Report - Jack Kusek (absent)

Attorney's Report - Robert Steele

N/A

Trustees Comments and Complaints

- Scott Zielinski will be the new trustee that will replace Dave Wiesbrock.

A motion was made by Tom Goskusky and 2nd by Mike Supan Jr. to adjourn meeting at 8:25 P.M

Respectfully Submitted,

Heather Sherman
Village Clerk