

Regular Meeting of the Odon Town Council
July 28, 2025 6pm
At the Odon Community Building

This meeting was called to order by President BJ Sanders. Council members present: Doug Benjamin, Susie Roach, and Attorney Hannah Russell. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Citizens concerns or requests; JR Graber-LGV Transport is building a new shop behind Greg Speers Auto Shop. It is to be built on S West St. approx. size 116'x80'.

SRF Request for Reimbursement **Susie made a motion to approve the claims for SRF Reimbursement \$327,368.02. Doug made a second to the motion. The motion carried. Vote 3-0 in favor.**

No bids were received for the police car. **Doug made a motion to donate the police car for auction, proceeds to be divided by Odon, Madison, and PD. Susie made a second to the motion. The motion carried. Vote 3-0 in favor.**

Susie made a motion to approve minutes for 6/23/2025. Doug made a second to the motion. The motion carried. Vote 3-0 in favor.

Doug made a motion to approve claims for April, May and June 2025. Susie made a second to the motion. The motion carried. Vote 3-0 in favor.

Susie made a motion to approve bank and fund reconciliations for April, May and June 2025. Doug made a second to the motion. The motion carried. Vote 3-0 in favor.

Susie made a motion to approve the Clerk Treasurer's Report. Doug made a second to the motion. The motion carried. Vote 3-0 in favor.

Marshal Noble gave his report to the council. (see attached) **Susie made a motion to approve the purchase of a ½ cage for the Deputy Marshal's car up to \$2,500.00. Doug made a second to the motion. The motion carried. Vote 3-0 in favor. Susie made a motion to approve Marshal Noble's report. Doug made a second to the motion. The motion carried. Vote 3-0 in favor.**

Supervisor Kidwell gave his report to the council (see attached). Floods- PMC cleaned out storm drains and stormwater structures and a detailed list of the conditions was given to Josh, sewer back up on Poindexter St, 307 N Gum water leak, and rumble strips on Race St. **Susie made a motion to place a stop sign on Race & Pensinger and rumble strips on S Spring. Doug made a second to the motion. The motion carried. Vote 3-0 in favor.**

Walnut and East St culvert table until next meeting. Citizen is responsible to replace the culvert. **Susie made a motion to approve Supervisor Kidwell's report. Doug made a second to the motion. The motion carried. Vote 3-0 in favor.**

Fire Department Report **Doug made a motion to approve the FD report. Susie made a second to the motion. The motion carried. Vote 3-0 in favor.**

Other announcements- FRYL wants to add another diamond. Council would like to see a drawing of the size and location. BJ updated the council members with a picture of the new shelter for the park.

Susie made a motion to dismiss the meeting. Doug made a second to the motion. The motion carried. Vote 3-0 in favor.

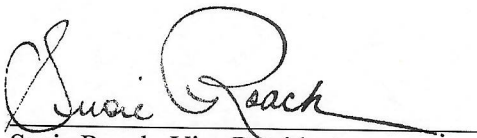
The meeting adjourned at 7:17 p.m.

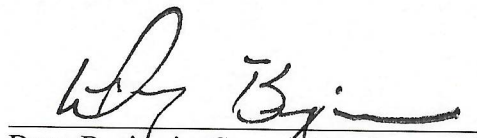


BJ Sanders, President



Mandy Wilz, Clerk Treasurer


Susie Roach, Vice President


Doug Benjamin, Council Member

Odon Town Council Agenda

Open meeting July 28, 2025 at 6pm

At the Odon Community Building 311 Park St Odon IN 47562

- I. Call to Order
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Roll Call
- IV. Public Hearing on Water Rates
- V. Citizen Concerns or Requests-
- VI. New Business
 - a. SBA
 - b. RTC Easement
 - c. Odon Water Bond, and Grant
 - d. SRF Request for Reimbursement
 - e. No bids received for the Police Car
- VII. Approval of Minutes-**6/23/2025**
- VIII. Approval of Claims **April 2025 \$272,388.26, May 2025 \$297,509.45, and June 2025 \$188,168.02**
- IX. Approval of Bank Reconciliation and Fund Balances **April \$777,156.57, May \$676,793.06, and June \$878,944.05**
- X. Old Business
 - A. None
- XI. Committee Appointment/Department Head Reports
 - A. Approval of Clerk Treasurers Report
 - B. Approval of Marshal Noble's Report
 - C. Approval of Supervisor Kidwell's Report
 - D. Approval of Fire Department Report
- XII. Other Announcements
- XIII. Citizen Comments from Agenda Topics
- XIV. Motion to Dismiss

In accordance with the American with Disabilities Act, if any wishes to attend, hear or present evidence at the public meeting on the above referenced matters and is in need of reasonable accommodations, please contact Town of Odon at 812-636-4321.

Posted By: Mandy Wilz 7/25/2025

July 2025

The Great Flood

- Water leak at 307 N Gum
- DEQ replaced a transformer on VFD's at the sewer plant
- Inmates helped with the clean up at Town Hall, sewer plant, and around town
- PMC cleaned all storm structures and valve boxes throughout town (107 total)
- Clogged sewer on J Poindexter (NWS and PMC) worked to get it open
- Secured man hole on Main St
- Repair water leak at 102 Edgewood Dr
- Install 2 new water spigots at the park (someone drive over the old one)
- Placed new rip rap in the ditch on Main St (Jane Sparks)
- Tried calling INDOT (Rick Wade) about ditches on the hwy
- Stoll Bros donated a new screen door for the park
- Trying to get the park ready for Old Settlers

Monday July 28, 2025 Town Board Meeting
Odon Fire Department Report

- 60 Fire Runs so far for the year
- The Motorcycle is still for sale and we have had little interest in it.
- Going through the process to become an authorized entity through the state to formally do raffles and fundraising.
- We currently have 3 openings for the fire department if anyone is interested. You can pick up an application at the town hall.
- Getting documents and equipment together for our renewal of the BLS non-transport. Due at the end of the year.
- Nichols has completed our annual hose and ladder testing, and they are getting ready to do the pump testing in the next couple weeks.

Monthly Meeting

July 2024

1. Police Car has been removed and sold as requested.
2. Transmission issue exists with police truck. Will inquire if still under warranty. (Problem).. Vehicle attempts to switch in to 4-wheel drive on its own periodically. Problem is believed to have been caused by hauling equipment beyond its capabilities. If under warranty, the dealership fix or replace the failed part.
3. Ordinance violation continue but have slowed.