

COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF NEW BREMEN

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Roll call showed the following members present for the meeting on this date at 6:30 p.m. Burnell, Condon, Hurley, Larger and Bertke. Also, present were Chief Skinner, Solicitor This, Fiscal Officer Speelman, Mayor Parker and Village Administrator Richter.

Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance was led by Councilman Condon.

Visitors attending were Erin Gardner from The Daily Standard.

Mayor Parker removed from agenda item 8a. Circle Drive yard sign. Larger made a motion to approve the consent agenda items which included the following:

- Approval of agenda with removal of item 8a.
 - Approval of minutes from the April 28, 2025 regular meeting.
- Second by Condon. Five ayes.

Mayor Parker’s Report:

- Mayor Parker received interest from two residents to fill open council seat. Plan to hold interviews this week. Councilman Larger and Bertke volunteered to assist with interviews.

Village Administrator Richter Report:

- Swimming Pool – Painting the floor is complete. Waiting for the cure time. Will begin filling the pool May 16.
- Ribbon cutting for EV Chargers will be May 27 at 5:45pm. EV chargers are located behind the library.
- The wood cardinal carving at the Jefferson St walk bridge has been refinished. Pouring a concrete pedestal to place the cardinal. The wood stump is rotten.

Next meeting will be Tuesday, May 27 at 6:30pm due to Memorial Day.

The last review and revision to village employee handbook was 2018. Engaging with Zashin & Rich Co, LPA to update handbook. First Reading Resolution 2025-05-06 Enter into Engagement letter with Zashin & Rich Co LPA as special legal counsel.

Larger made a motion to adjourn at 6:40p.m. Second by Bertke. Five ayes.

Robert D. Parker, Mayor

Amy M. Speelman, Fiscal Officer