

Village of Alma Center

Meeting Minutes of January 12, 2026

Present: Eric Olson Carrie June Teresa Johnson
 Jessica Anderson(Absent) Jaime Clark-Streff

The regular monthly meeting was called to order by Village President Eric Olson at 6:30 at the Alma Center Village Hall.

The open meeting notice requirements were met.

Motion made by Clark-Streff/June to approve the regular board meeting minutes of December 10, 2025. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Johnson/Clark-Streff to approve the bills as paid for the period from December 11, 2025, through January 11, 2026. Motion was carried unanimously.

Public Comments:

FFA picked up only 5 Christmas trees from village residents this year.

Old Business

Police Report: pretty quiet and nothing notable to report.

Sewer Operations: The plant is running well, Nitrate levels are good and the boys are making sure to stay on top of sampling with the very cold days.

The new loader was great this 1st snow fall. The new pusher was delivered and working very well, and reportedly very quiet in comparison to plow.

B&M installed the "brain" part of the influencer and we're not running the generator non-stop any more to protect from surge potential.

Property Tax Bills: All sent out and receiving payments! Also, receiving several online payments with the new collection system.

New Business

Curb stop breakage on Grove St. bill with Halverson Plumbing came in for \$2010.55. The board discussed responsibility of damage with lawyer's legal confirmation, the responsibility falls on the person who did the damage. Motion was made by Clark-Streff to pay the Halvorson Plumbing bill, along with sidewalk repair and any other future costs incurred with the agreement to work out a payment plan for Judd to repay all costs incurred. Motion 2nd by Johnson. Roll call vote, all Ayes. Motion carried unanimously.

(Clark-Streff will put together a community fundraiser outside of the village to help offset costs for Judd.)

Workhorse installation still pending completion of Audit. Audit pending return of Clerk from medical leave.

No Spring Primary Election in February.

Motion was made by Johnson/June to approve the replacement of one of the office computer fan motor in the amount of \$99.20. Installation to be completed by Computer Guts. Roll call vote was taken, All Ayes. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion was made by June/Johnson to approve the Class "B" Beer and Class "C" Wine licenses for Martin Valencia (Viva Cinco Taquerta & Bar. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion to adjourn made by Clark-Streff/Johnson at 7:05 pm. Motion carried unanimously.

Heather Cummings, Clerk