

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS
Village of Malta Council

REGULAR SESSION

Held: August 18, 2026

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The Village of Malta Council convened in REGULAR session at 6:00 p.m. in the Malta Village Council Chambers. Mayor, Terry McGrath called the meeting to order with the following members and visitors present:

Council Member Leslie Robbins	Present
Council Member Homer Weekley	Present
Council Member Jamie White	Present
Council Member Scott Moore	Absent
Council Member John Woods	Present
Council Member Don Larrick	Present

Employees: Bill Smith (VA)

Visitor(s): Ward Coffman (Solicitor), James Hill, Theo Robinette, April Sirois, Debra Duffy

Invocation: The Invocation was given by Jamie White.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor, Terry McGrath.

A motion to excuse Scott Moore was made by Don Larrick and seconded by Jamie White. Roll call vote, all yeas.

The minutes from the previous regular meeting were approved on a motion made by Don Larrick, seconded by Homer Weekley. Roll call vote, all yeas.

The bills were approved to be paid out of respective funds on a motion made by Jamie White, seconded by Don Larrick. Roll call vote, all yeas.

Visitor Theo Robinette addressed council for Levi Wilson, who could not be present, about a parking lot behind his building causing ponding and erosion of parts of the building. He asked for a council member to speak with the owner of the parking lot, Mayor McGrath offered to speak with them and let them know this is a civil matter. Mr. Robinette also handed out a packet on how to mitigate the issue.

Visitor Lee Hill addressed council about a water line that runs through his property.

Visitor Debra Duffy addressed council about the parking issue at her home and requested to have signs put up for reserved parking. She also mentioned a pipe had busted and keeps filling up with water.

Fiscal Officer, Ashlee Stevens:

* Presented emergency Ordinance 26-17 **AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR AMENDING AND REVISING THE APPROPRIATIONS OF EXPENDITURES FOR THE VILLAGE OF MALTA FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2026 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

* Presented Resolution 20-18 **A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE VILLAGE OF MALTA TO APPLY FOR FUNDING FOR THE FRONT STREET SLIP PROJECT**

* Reminded council a limit for then & now purchase orders needed to be set per the auditors. After discussion was had a motion to set the limit was made.

A motion to set the limit for then & now purchase orders exceeding \$1,000 or more will need an emergency meeting for approval was made by Leslie Robbins, seconded by Don Larrick. Roll call vote, all yeas.

A motion to turnover proceedings to recover funds spent on the garage for work not done to Ward Coffman, Village of Malta solicitor, was made by Jamie White, seconded by Homer Weekley. Roll call vote, all yeas.

Mayor McGrath has Ward Coffman, solicitor, looking into an ordinance or resolution to get rid of old building. Would still need to be bid out.

A motion to suspend the rules for Ordinance 26-17 **AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR AMENDING AND REVISING THE APPROPRIATIONS OF EXPENDITURES FOR THE VILLAGE OF MALTA FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2026 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY** was made by Don Larrick, seconded by Jamie White. Roll call vote, Leslie Robbins, Jamie White & Don Larrick yeas, Homer Weekley & John Woods, no.

A motion to adopt Ordinance 26-17 **AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR AMENDING AND REVISING THE APPROPRIATIONS OF EXPENDITURES FOR THE VILLAGE OF MALTA FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2026 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY** was made by Don Larrick, seconded by Jamie White. Roll call vote, Leslie Robbins, Jamie White & Don Larrick yeas, Homer Weekley & John Woods, no.

A motion to adopt Resolution 26-18 **A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE VILLAGE OF MALTA TO APPLY FOR FUNDING FOR THE FRONT STREET SLIP PROJECT** was made by Don Larrick, seconded by Leslie Robbins. Roll call vote, all yeas.

Bill Smith, Village Administrator:

- * Trying to keep up with rain
- * Done some work at Goins Field, then it rained and had to redo the previous work
- * Took pictures of the flooding to turn into EPA

Council Member, Jamie White:

- * As soon as possible to get streets cleaned up when weather clears and time allows

Council Member, Homer Weekley:

- * We should try to help our residents without over-stepping the boundary

Council Member, John Woods:

- * Revisiting something from last meeting, having an agenda gives us a chance to revisit old business and touch on new business. Would like council's opinion on having an agenda
- * Personnel handbook, found things that need to be updated, added & removed/revised
- * Asked Bill if the garage is coming along, the restroom is currently being built, Mayor McGrath mentioned still waiting on the OK for the restroom, Homer Weekley suggests Appersons to help get it done correctly
- * Project on Front Street wanted to know if scrap materials could be thrown on 8th Street to help with water off the hillside, Bill Smith said those materials belong to the contractors, the village is not charged for what is left over

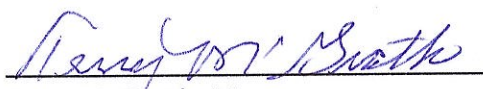
Council Member, Don Larrick:

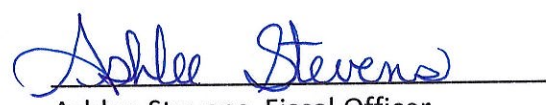
- * Curious about where we are for the roundabout sign
- * Siren was supposed to be installed, Bill Smith said still waiting on Jay Conn to come look at it
- * Last meeting there was mention of a grant for boat docks, Bill Smith said he was getting ready to submit the application

A motion to go into executive session at 6:45 P.M. to discuss legal matters was made by Leslie Robbins, seconded by Homer Weekley. Roll call vote, all yeas.

A motion to come out of executive session at 6:55 P.M. was made by Jamie White, seconded by John Woods. Roll call vote, all yeas.

With no further business to bring before Council the meeting was adjourned at 7:18 P.M. on a motion made by Don Larrick.


Terry McGrath, Mayor


Ashlee Stevens, Fiscal Officer