

Village of Germantown
Meeting of the President and Board of Trustees
June 16, 2026

The regular monthly Board meeting of the President and Board of Trustees for the Village of Germantown was held on June 18, 2026 at 7:00 pm. Those present included the following: Village President Duane Ripperda, Village Clerk Dawn Lakenburgs and Trustees: Ken Albers, Ken Brauer, Jarod Lohman, and Jerald Schroeder were present. Public Works Supt. Steve Mullins and Village Attorney Aaron Epplin were also present. Trustees Michael Albers, Brad Schroeder and Police Chief Dean Darnall were absent.

The minutes of the previous month's meetings were available for review. A motion to approve the minutes as presented was made by Trustee Ken Albers, seconded by Trustee Ken Brauer. Motion carried.

Trustee Jarod Lohman presented his letter of resignation to the Board. Jarod and his family are moving from Germantown. The Board thanked Jarod for his service and wished him luck in his new endeavor. President Ripperda said he will appoint a replacement for Jarod next month.

President Ripperda discussed a meeting of the local mayors he attended. He said the County would like a unified ordinance regarding animal control. This was tabled until more information could be attained.

Supt. Steve Mullins reported next. He said Well 6 & 7 were approved by the IEPA so the wells should be in full production soon.

Trustee Ken Brauer, TIF, Zoning and Subdivision chairman, said the committee will meet to discuss the zoning code updates and report back.

Village Attorney Aaron Epplin said he will send a letter to the owner of the Red Deuce property regarding the condition of the property.

Trustee Jerald Schroeder made a motion to pay all bills as presented. Trustee Ken Brauer seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Trustee Ken Brauer then made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Trustee Ken Albers seconded the motion and the motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:20 pm.


