

**Village of Hanover  
Council Meeting Minutes  
February 26, 2025**

Mayor Brandon Hale called the Village of Hanover Council Meeting to order at 6:30 pm and led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. Fiscal Officer Gieseler gave the invocation.

**ROLL CALL:**

Brandon Hale: Present	Brett Wright: Present
Sue Spaulding: Present	Justin Pierce: Present
Donna Renicker: Present	Pam Vogel: Present
Steve Cost: Present	Rex Adkins: Present

**MINUTES:**

The Minutes of the February 12, 2025 meeting were reviewed and discussed. Being no further corrections or additions, a motion to accept the minutes was issued by Councilor Vogel, and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Councilor Spaulding. All Ayes.

**VISITORS:**

- Nothing.

**CITIZENS:**

- Nothing.

**FIRE DEPT REPORT:**

- Nothing.

**PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT**

- Nothing.

**ZONING INSPECTOR'S REPORT:**

- Nothing.

**LETTERS AND CORRESPONDENCE:**

- Licking County Recycling: dumpsters are being moved to Marne Church within the next few days.

**FISCAL OFFICER REPORT:**

- Nothing.

**FINANCE/CIP REPORT:**

- Public Works Superintendent position: 3 people showed interest, 2 submitted resumes- Tyler Flowers and Derek Lee. One submitted required paperwork including equipment listing and proof of insurance. The committee met to review the items submitted. Both applicants are knowledgeable and have experience. Based on requested requirements being submitted and having a history of reliability and adequate knowledge of village infrastructure, the committee recommended Tyler Flowers for the position. Discussion was invited from Council. It was requested that a draft be created that identifies rates for T & M. Legislation will be prepared. Finance Committee will meet with Flowers to solidify retainer specifics. Councilor Vogel made a motion to move forward with offering the Public Works Superintendent position to Tyler Flowers, second by Councilor Spaulding, All Ayes. Legislation will be presented at the next council meeting for adoption and full roll call vote.
- NS advised that the RTA Grant submission deadline is pushed out. Drafting the application is underway.

**BPA REPORT:**

- Nothing.

**GROUND DIRECTOR REPORT:**

- Trash contract: 4 inquires received for trash contract opportunity: WIN, Rumpke, WM, Shackelford. Licking County Recycling has requested to be notified who is awarded, so that they can track recycling data.

**ENGINEERING REPORT, VERDANTAS:**

- Nothing.

**STREET COMMITTEE REPORT:**

- OPWC funding awards have not been released to date.

STORM WATER REPORT:

- Stormwater Analysis Areas 3 & 4: Councilor Wright has tried to connect with Ron Burnett without success. Will continue to try.
- Information received from Congressman Troy Balderson's office regarding stormwater funding and water/wastewater funding.

LAW SOLICITOR'S REPORT:

- Nothing.

GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE REPORT:

- Nothing.

APPEALS BOARD:

- Nothing.

ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS:

NEW/OLD BUSINESS

Mayor Hale presented an opportunity for all to speak:

- Councilor Wright advised the LCSO presence in the village has increased. He also received a call from them in regards to inclement weather.
- Councilor Spaulding submitted annual ACOE report for the Old Hanover Park.
- Councilor Pierce will be following up with ACOE regarding maintenance options for the stream behind the homes on Colby Way.
- FO Gieseler noted that 4 companies have show interest in the W. High Street Concept Design RLOI posting. American Structurepoint, Verdantas, GPD, Neighborhood Strategies.

MAYOR'S MINUTE:

- Mayor Hale asked council to continue to follow the action items listed for Hainsview Phase 5 that need executed. Properties that have situations that are resolved will be notified by letter.
- Apparel Sale – orders need placed by March 22<sup>nd</sup>.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Councilor Wright, 2<sup>nd</sup> Councilor Spaulding at 7:30 PM. All Ayes.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

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Mayor Brandon Hale

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Fiscal Officer Nicole D. Gieseler