

Deshler Village Council

Monday, October 13, 2025

CALL TO ORDER: Deshler Village Council met in regular session on Monday, October 13, 2025, with Mayor Michael Woods presiding and calling the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Mayor Woods:

- A motion was made by Lederer and seconded by T. Petersen to appoint Bob George to fill the vacant council seat; effective immediately. Vote: all yes; motion carried.

-An award was presented to Officer Jeffery Snyder for his 23 years of service and retirement.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Bob George, Teresa Lederer, Kolby Seemann, Clint Smith, Todd Petersen and Randy Petersen.

ALSO PRESENT: Fiscal Officer Sarah Suber, Village Supt. Bradley Kitchen, Steven Diem, Chief Rebecca Cassaubon, Officer Jeffrey Snyder, Noah Buchenberg.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Minutes of September 22, 2025, were presented to Council. It was moved by R. Petersen and seconded by Seemann to approve the minutes as presented. Vote: all yes, motion carried.

APPROVAL OF BILLS: Bills were presented to Council. It was moved by George and seconded by Seemann to pay the bills and to draw warrants on the proper funds. Vote: all yes, motion carried.

Fund Reports, Cash Summary Reports, and a Payment Listing were presented for Council's review.

Ordinance 25-58, "AN ORDINANCE FOR INTERFUND TRANSFER" A motion was made by Smith and seconded by Lederer to suspend the rules governing the reading of ordinances on three separate days at three separate meetings. Vote: all yes, motion carried. A motion was made by T. Petersen and seconded by Seemann that Ordinance 25-58 is passed as read. Vote: all yes, motion carried.

Ordinance 25-59, "AN ORDINANCE FOR A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION" A motion was made by George and seconded by Smith to suspend the rules governing the reading of ordinances on three separate days at three separate meetings. Vote: all yes, motion carried. A motion was made by Seemann and seconded by T. Petersen that Ordinance 25-59 is passed as read. Vote: all yes, motion carried.

STREETS, SEWER AND PARKS: Supt. Bradley Kitchen reported:

- The work report was emailed to Council prior to the meeting.
- The earliest date for leaf pick-up will be October 27, 2025.
- The curbs on South Keyser were poured today.
- The back parking lot was resealed and repointing brick on the City Building were done today.
- The fish study report was received.

ZONING: Mayor Woods reported:

- A report was emailed to Council prior to the meeting.
- Four zoning complaints have been abated.
- Two zoning permits were issued.

BPA: Mayor Woods Reported:

- There have been numerous water line breaks in the last two weeks.
- Fire hydrant flushing will not be completed this fall due to the ground being so dry.

Community Development: DonL Parsons reported:

- A report was emailed to Council prior to the meeting.
- Assistance to the Fire Fighters Grant has been completed.

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Chamber: Teresa Lederer reported:

- The Halloween Parade will be October 25, 2025 at 4:30; Trick or Treat will be 5:00 – 6:30. Trunk or Treat will be on the North and South side of the Village Park.
- The last Farmer's Market will be October 25, 2025; 9 am -1:00 pm at the Village Park.

OTHER BUSINESS:

- A resident addressed his concerns regarding a zoning violation.
- Bob George reported that the EMS has a new director and they have hired part time paramedics and have been upgrading technology.
- Four of the CD's the Village currently has at Corn City State Bank will mature November 11, 2025; new terms and rates were discussed. A motion was made by George and seconded by Smith to renew for thirteen months at 3.45%. Vote: all yes, with Seemann abstaining.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

At 7:18 p. m. a motion was made by T. Petersen and seconded by Lederer to enter into Executive Session to discuss pending litigation. Vote: all yes, motion carried.

Executive session ended at 7:27 p.m. and regular council resumed. There was no action taken.

With no further business to discuss, a motion was made by Smith and seconded by T. Petersen to adjourn. Vote: all yes, motion carried.

Fiscal Officer

Mayor