



APPROVED

10-14-2025

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MINUTES
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2025

Mayor Greg Kubarski called the Committee of the Whole Meeting to order at 7:01 PM on Tuesday, September 9, 2025.

Committee members present at the time the meeting was called to order were Mark Lankey, Leanne Beyer, Tom Hoteck, Liz Parish, Darrow Novy, Rick Hanke and Randy Seeley. Pat Moen was absent.

Others present included: City Administrator Cory Isaacs, Police Chief Patrick Clark, Administrative Associate Sara McDonald, Nicolette Nauman of the Hillsboro Sentry-Enterprise, Hillsboro Water/Sewer Operator Tom Stowell, and Mike Burch. Citizen Alex McDonough arrived at 7:08PM.

Mayor Kubarski asked if this meeting received proper public notice to which City Administrator Isaacs confirmed the meeting did receive proper notice.

Motion by Hanke, second by Hoteck, to approve August 12, 2025, Committee of a Whole Meeting minutes as written. Motion carried.

Registered Public Comment

There was no registered public comment.

Mayor Kubarski gave an update that the Trains have arrived in Hillsboro. They were transported by Lucas Winchel who donated his services for this.

Safety and Welfare

Chief Clark gave the Police Chiefs Report stating 249 calls for service within the month of August, there was an auto theft and subsequent crash within the City, and the Labor Day parade went off well. The police department is working with the school for a night parade for Homecoming on October 1, 2025. Chief Clark shared that the police department is using a firearms training simulator provided for use through the League of Wisconsin Municipalities for two months. The police department is also actively applying for grants for use on a soft interview room to assist Officer Nachtigal on forensic interviews and negates the need to travel to Viroqua for such interviews.

Committee Reports and Business

Comprehensive Plan 2045 Discussion was had with an update from the Plan Commission Meeting that occurred directly prior to this meeting. All items are on track.

The Committee reviewed the monthly bills and recommended them for Council approval Monday, September 15, 2025.

Administrator Isaacs gave a budget update stating the budget is going on track and moving along well.

Administrator Isaacs provided discussion for the coming years Snow Removal Tractor Rental. Committee recommended for Council Approval Monday, September 15, 2025.

Motion by Hanke, second by Beyer to adjourn. Motion carried at 7:37 PM

Meeting adjourned at 7:37 PM