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**Town of Arcadia
Minutes of Regular Board Meeting
Wednesday December 10, 2025**

The board meeting was called to order by Chairperson Michael Wineski at 6:30 p.m.

Michael Wineski led the Pledge of Allegiance

Roll call was taken – Board Members present - Chairperson Michael Wineski, and Supervisors Bill Haines, Ron Tuschner and John Krett. A list of residents that attended the meeting is available at the Town Hall.

A motion was made by Ron Tuschner and seconded by John Krett to adopt the agenda. The motion was carried unanimously with a voice vote.

A motion was made by Ron Tuschner and seconded by Mike Wineske to approve the minutes for the November 13, 2025, board meeting. The motion was carried unanimously with a voice vote.

A motion was made by John Krett and seconded by Bill Haines to approve the meeting minutes for November 18, 2025, for the following Budget hearing notes. Minutes for the Public Budget Hearing, Meeting of Electors and Meeting to Adopt the Final Budget

Treasurer's report was submitted by Julie Forsythe – the report was accepted as presented

Garbage Bag Report was presented by Avis Thorson.

The disbursements for November 14, 2025, through December 10, 2025, were reviewed. A motion was made by John Krett and seconded by Ron Tuschner to approve the disbursements of \$73,469.82. The motion was carried unanimously with a voice vote.

The meeting was open for public comments at 6:38 p.m.

Public comments were closed at 6:39 p.m.

Foreman's report was received by Jason Kamrowski.

Agenda Items:

Discussion on a \$200,000 line of credit. A motion was made by Ron Tuschner to approve the \$200,00 line of credit and seconded by Bill Haines. The motion was carried unanimously with a voice vote.

Discussion on the 2026 Caucus. A date was set for Monday January 12, 2026, with an alternative date of Wednesday January 14, 2026, before the Board meeting (if necessary, due to weather). A motion was made by John Krett and seconded by Bill Haines. The motion carried unanimously with a voice vote.

Discussion on separate checking account specifically for Refuse and Recycling. This would be to keep more in-depth records on the Town's cost for buying garbage bags, garbage bags sales, the cost for refuse collection, along with any other garbage related items (such as cleanup days). A motion was made by Ron Tuschner and seconded by John Krett to approve a separate checking account for Refuse and Recycling. The motion passed unanimously by a voice vote.

Discussion on ordering more garbage bags. A motion was made by John Krett and seconded by Bill Haines to approve the purchase of large garbage bags, as our current supply is running low. The motion passed unanimously by a voice vote.

Discussion on Resolution to transfer money to a Refuse & Recycling checking account. A motion was made by Ron Tuschner and seconded by Bill Haines to approve the transfer of money to the new checking account. A roll call vote was taken. Mike Wineski – Y, John Krett – Y, Bill Haines – Y, and Ron Tuschner – Y. The motion was carried unanimously by a roll call vote.

Discussion on Electronic payment for taxes. This will not be available for this year's taxes. No action was needed.

Discussion on Dog Licensing Policy. The current dog licensing policy was reviewed with no changes needed. A motion was made by John Krett and seconded by Ron Tuschner to approve the current dog licensing policy and update the date of approval. The motion passed unanimously by a voice vote.

Discussion to renew the Arcadia Chamber membership. A motion was made by Ron Tuschner and seconded by John Krett to approve the renewal of this membership. The motion was carried unanimously by a voice vote.

Discussion on wages for the Road Crew. A motion was made by John Krett and seconded by Ron Tuschner to approve a 3% wage increase for the road crew and to give each employee a \$100 credit for the purchase of a cell phone case. The motion was carried unanimously by a voice vote.

Discussion on bills for the second half of December to be paid. The Board approved Avis to pay bill for the end of December due to no second meeting. Unless urgent business comes up. A motion was made by Bill Haines and seconded by Mike Wineski to approve payment for bills in the second half of December. The motion was carried unanimously by a voice vote.

Committee / Meeting Reports

Arcadia Ambulance update was given by Bill Haines
Independence FD update was given by Bill Haines

Correspondence

Upcoming District Meetings have been set. Will review dates and sign up anyone interested in going to this meeting at the beginning of 2026.

Confirm and establish agenda items for the next Town Board Meeting on Wednesday January 14, 2026, at 6:30 p.m.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Bill Haines and seconded by John Krett. The motion carried unanimously with a voice vote. Meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,

Avis Thorson

Town of Arcadia Clerk