



# Village of Grantsburg

316 Brad Street South  
Grantsburg, WI 54840

## Public Safety Committee Meeting Minutes

The Village Public Safety Committee met on Friday, January 23, 2026, at 10:00 a.m.  
in the Village Board room, 316 Brad St S, Grantsburg, WI 54840.

Present: Chairman/Trustee Greg Peer  
Trustee John Addison  
Trustee Kim Korhonen

Others: Chief Jared Woody, via Teams  
Police Administrative Assistant Larissa Lee

Chairman Peer called the Public Safety Committee Meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

### Property Maintenance questions and review

Chief Woody requested the committee work to improve the condition of a top 10 properties list in 2026. He suggested reviewing the abatement process as an option for resolving longstanding issue properties as well.

The committee requested letters be sent to the property discussed at the meeting that detail the longstanding violations of the property and invite the property owners to the next Public Safety meeting to discuss abatement of their property.

The eight properties were discussed at length due to their significant disrepair and failure to comply with ordinance standards. The committee requested to have potential abatement letters be sent to all eight properties and ordinance violation tickets be issued to three of them. The board also directed Village staff to send a letter indicating permit requirements to one property.

Chief Woody also discussed portable storage containers and the permit requirements as they are handled now. The committee requested letters be sent to all owners of storage containers indicating permit requirements and for Village staff to provide examples of sample ordinances to be reviewed at the next Public Safety meeting.

### Bathhouse vandalism

Chief Woody explained recent vandalism at the Memory Lake bathhouse. Due to staffing shortages, the committee determined it would be best to lock the bathhouse for the winter season and have the code changed for the new camping season. Security plans were discussed and will be reviewed at the next Public Safety meeting.

**The meeting was adjourned at 11:59 a.m.**

Allison Longhenry  
Deputy Clerk/Treasurer