

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF MACON)
VILLAGE OF BLUE MOUND)

REGULAR MEETING
January 5, 2026

The Board of Trustees met in Regular Session on Monday, January 5, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. at the Village Hall. The meeting was called to order by President Scott Younger. Roll call indicated the following Board Members present:

Trustees: Rick Moma, Jeanette Crackel, Jeff Reed Jr, Phil Jacobs
Absent: Terre Moma, Ross Carls
President: Scott Younger
Employees: Chadd Peden, Chief Chad Lamb, Katie Nashland
Attorney: Absent

After the meeting was called to order and attendance recorded, the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Public Comments: None

Minutes were distributed and reviewed for the Regular Meeting held on December 1, 2025. **Jeff Reed Jr made a motion to accept the Minutes as presented. Rick Moma seconded the motion. The motion carried with all 'Aye' votes.**

Treasurers Report: None – Mackenzie Reed (ABSENT)

Attorney Andy Bourey

Andy was not present at the meeting, but provided Chief Lamb with a draft regarding the ordinance for trailers and campers. This will be added to the February agenda to review and adopt the ordinance.

Engineers Report

- Chastain sent the Village another bill for finishing the EPA reports for the tower painting.
- Scott had a meeting with a possible new engineering firm. They must complete a small project before they can be hired for a larger project.

Public Works - Water/Sewer Report – presented by Chadd

- A bid was received from Vandevanter Engineering in regard to VFD with Installation for well pump.
- The bid is for \$15,744.49
- **Rick Moma made a motion to accept the bid as presented. Jeff Reed Jr seconded the motion. The motion carried with all 'Aye' votes.**
- **December Projects**
 - Replace the heater in the shop
 - Sample p/u, Burdick backflow test at the Civic Center. They all failed, so they were all rebuilt
 - Fix shower, cinders, and shelves in main office
 - Ameren hit water service at 421 College

- Christmas signs in the park
- The GMC was serviced
- Meeting with the engineering firm
- Plowing
- Meeting with the township about the old grade school
- Fixed a leak at the old grade school that was due to a frozen line
- Fixed water service at Kupish
- Read meters, pump at the water town lift station went to ground
- Main break at 11376 Pleasant View Rd
- Cogent work on both lift stations
- **January Projects**
 - Replace non advancing meters
 - Meeting with Midwest Meter to set up the new tablet
- **Miscellaneous**
 - Take down Christmas lights
 - Working with Mark Bingham on the sewer plant and lift station #2

Police Report: a written Shift Detail Report distributed showing 247.62 hours for November.

Village of Blue Mound

Patrolling: 68 hrs. + 21 in-office hrs

Complaints : 7 ea.

Ordinance Violations: 0 ea.

Training : 3 hrs.

During the month of December, there were 15 traffic stops, 5 out of service, 1 follow up investigations, 29 stationary radar/village limits, 1 domestic dispute/violence/trouble, 2 motorist assist, 1 traffic crash, 4 police assist/another agency, 2 welfare checks, and 1 civil complaint.

- Chief Lamb informed the board that training is caught up for the month.
- Chief Lamb is scheduled for a couple days off.
- Michael Rambo is coming to pick up the squad car he bid on and won.

New Business : None

At 6:36 p.m. Jeff Reed Jr. made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Rick Moma seconded the motion. The motion carried with all 'Aye' votes. The meeting adjourned

Approved:



 Scott Younger, Village President



 Katie Nashland, Village Clerk