

PUBLIC NOTICE AGENDA

Village of Iola Board Meeting~Tuesday, November 11th, 2025, at 5:30 PM Iola Village Hall,
Community Room • 180 S. Main St, Iola WI - Phone: (715) 445-2913

Robert's Rule of Order will be followed: Please refrain from speaking unless you have the floor.

1.) CALL TO ORDER

- 2.) OPEN MEETING STATEMENT** “This meeting and all other meetings of the Iola Village Board are open to the public. Proper notice has been posted in accordance with Wisconsin Statutes so the citizenry may be aware of the time, place, and agenda of this meeting The Village Board asks that all participants of this meeting silence their cell phones until after the meeting is adjourned”.

3.) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE (FOLLOWED BY A MOMENT OF SILENCE)

4.) ROLL CALL

5.) PUBLIC HEARING FOR 2026 BUDGET

- 6.) PUBLIC HEARING FOR CLASS “A”/”CLASS A” ALCOHOL LICENSE AND CIGARETTE, TOBACCO AND ELECTRONIC VAPING DEVICES RETAIL LICENSE FOR KRAMER-SCHMIDT OIL CORP D.B.A GAS-N-GO LOCATED AT 140 DEPOT ST. AND 305 N MAIN ST IN THE VILLAGE OF IOLA.**

7.) PUBLIC PRESENTATION (Maximum 2-Minute Presentation)

8.) APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

- A.) October 14, 2025, Regular Board
- B.) October 22, 2025, Public Works, Finance & Personnel Committees
- C.) October 28, 2025, Working Board Meeting
- D.) November 4, 2025, Personnel Meeting

9.) OLD OR UNFINISHED BUSINESS

10.) NEW BUSINESS

- A.) Resignation of Amber Grawvunder
- B.) 1 year Operator's license, Expiring June 30, 2026, for Katrina A. Ruehmeling
- C.) 1 year Operator's license, Expiring June 30, 2026, for Tonia Lea Danielson
- D.) Class “A”/”Class A” Alcohol License Kramer Schmidt Oil Corp d.b.a Gas-n-Go located at 140 Depot St. Iola, WI 54945
- E.) Class “A”/”Class A” Alcohol License Kramer Schmidt Oil Corp d.b.a Gas-n-Go located at 305 N. Main St. Iola, WI 54945

- F.) Cigarette, Tobacco and Electronic Vaping Devices Retail License for Kramer Schmidt Oil Corp d.b.a Gas-n-Go located at 140 Depot St. Iola, WI 54945
- G.) Cigarette, Tobacco and Electronic Vaping Devices Retail License for Kramer Schmidt Oil Corp d.b.a Gas-n-Go located at 305 N. Main St. Iola, WI 54945
- H.) Applying Special Assessment to property owners that owe delinquent utility bills and unpaid services provided by the Village of Iola up to the total of \$46,773.79.
- I.) Insert for the property tax bill mailing in December 2025
- J.) Increase Election worker wages from \$11.00 an hour to \$15.00 an hour.
- K.) Increase Chief Inspector wages from \$15.00 an hour to \$18.00 an hour.
- L.) 3% Cost of living wage increase for Village of Iola employees
- M.) Allow the Police, Personnel or Public Works Committee to create a merit-increasing schedule for their employees for the 2026 budget year.
- N.) Permit Glenn and his spouse to withdraw from village provided health insurance prior to his retirement date, provided the employers share, 73% of the cost of the premium, for Glenn's Part B Medicare Coverage and his spouses monthly insurance premium, is less than the cost of the village provided health insurance be paid until the time of his retirement.
- O.) Pay raise for Chief of Police, to increase wage to \$75,000 effective January 1, 2026. This includes 3 % cost of living and a professional competitiveness raise. Wage will be \$36.06 an hour.
- P.) Pay raise of \$1.50 per hour effective 11/23/2025 for Officer Colton Wegener, a cost of living wage increase of 3%, starting January 1, 2026, and a pay raise to \$29.00 an hour effective March 10, 2026.
- Q.) Pay raise of 3% for Edward Bonikowske effective January 1, 2026 to \$28.02 an hour \$1,500 pay raise effective April 11, 2026, and title change to Public Works Acting Director. \$2,500 pay raise effective July 5, 2025 and a 6 month probationary period through January 1, 2027
- R.) 2026 budget
- S.) Ratify bid from Shoemaker for replacement furnace and air conditioners for lower level of Municipal Building.
- T.) Reallocate \$10,248.26 from the 2024 budget to the Sick Pay Reserve Fund.
- U.) Ratify the purchase of Parcel # 26 35 71613 for \$110.00 plus \$30.00 fee for Register of Deeds
- V.) Set Caucus for 2026

11.) COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A.) Planning & Zoning
- B.) CDA
- C.) Personnel Committee
 - 1.) Next meeting January 6, 2026, at 9:00 AM
- D.) Library Committee
 - 1.) October 2025 Circulation & Programing Statistics.

E.) Protection of Persons and Property Committee

- 1.) October 2025 Protection of service report.

F.) Public Works (Public Property, Streets, Sewer, Water) Committee

G.) Ordinance Committee

H.) Parks and Garden Committee

- 1.) Work done on Taylor Field's infield is complete
- 2.) Work done reinforcing corners of raised beds at the Children's Garden

I.) Finance Committee

- 1.) Bills
- 2.) September 2025 Financial Report
- 3.) October 2025 Financial Report

J.) Revitalization

K.) Iola-Scandinavia Chamber of Commerce

L.) Future monthly Board of Trustees meetings

- 1.) No Working Board Meeting in November 2025.
- 2.) Tuesday, December 9th, 2025, at 5:30 PM in the Community Room at Village Hall.
- 3.) No Working Board meeting in December 2025

12.) BOARD CORRESPONDENCE

13.) ADJOURNMENT

If special accommodation is necessary for your attendance at this meeting, please contact the Village of Iola, Clerk's Office at 715-445-2913 prior to the meeting to make arrangements, if you wish to attend in person. The Village of Iola is an equal opportunity provider.

Respectfully submitted by:

Laura J. Krogwold, Clerk/Treasurer, Village of Iola