

**Police, Personnel, Public Works & Finance Committee**  
**February 16, 2026, at 9:00 AM**  
**Iola Village Hall, Community Room, 180 South Main Street, Iola WI 54945**

Chairperson, Pamela Parks, called meeting to order at 9:01 am and read open meeting statement.

Roll call-David Harper, Jim Rasmussen, and Pamela Parks all present.

Others present- Chief Zierler

Motion made by J. Rasmussen, seconded by D. Harper to go into closed session. Motion carried.

Discussion on qualifications on public work/sewage operator position.

Interview with Matthew Leisso for open police position.

Motion made by J. Rasmussen, seconded by D. Harper to adjourn closed session. Motion carried.

Time: 11:52 am.

Motion made by D. Harper, seconded by J. Rasmussen to let Chief Zierler offer Patrol Officer position to Matthew Leisso. Motion carried.

Motion made by D. Harper, seconded by J. Rasmussen to set next meeting date at time: February 23, 2026 at 10:30 am. Motion carried.

Motion made by J. Rasmussen, seconded by D. Harper to adjourn. Motion carried.

Adjourn at 11:55 am.

Minutes by James Rasmussen

Typed by: Missy Fenn Deputy Clerk/Treasurer