

MINUTES OF NASHVILLE VILLAGE COUNCIL REGULAR SESSION
HELD MAY 14TH, 2026

Kayce Nelson, Clerk

Nashville Village Council Regular session was called to order by President Kenyon on May 14th, 2026, at 7:01 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Present: Rick Argo, Lori Courtney, Bonnie White, Johnny Hartwell, Sherry Hummel, Ben Page & Mike Kenyon. Absent: None

Agenda

A motion was made by Hartwell to approve the May 14th, 2026 agenda, as written. Supported by Courtney. Ayes –Hummel, Courtney, Page, White, Hartwell, Argo & Kenyon. Nays – None. Absent –None. Motion passed.

Minutes

Motion by White, seconded by Hummel to approve the minutes as written from April 9th, 2026. Ayes – White, Hartwell, Hummel, Page, Courtney, Argo and Kenyon. Nays –None. Absent – None. Motion carried.

Communications – None.

Bills

The attached list of bills totaling \$91,138.63 were presented. A Motion by Hummel seconded by White to allow the May bills as listed to be paid and have orders drawn on the treasurer for the same. Roll Call Vote: Ayes – Hartwell, Courtney, Page, Hummel, Argo, White and Kenyon. Nays – None. Absent –None. Motion carried.

Department Reports -April

Underhile presented his report for the Police Department. Pierce presented his written report.

Barry County Commissioners report – New COA building is scheduled to be complete by the end of summer. Labor negotiations have been completed with the county. 6% raise this year and 4.5% next year. Lowering retirement for road patrol to 55 to be competitive.

Audience Questions and Comments –

Kermit Douse stated the NHS met at the cemetery to do a clean up for Memorial Day. The pavilion will be a patriotic display for America 250.

Uniform Video Service Local Franchise Agreement RENEWAL - Vogtmann

A motion was made by White and seconded by Courtney to renew the UVSLFA with Vogtmann engineering for cable services. Ayes – Courtney, White, Argo, Hummel, Hartwell, Page & Kenyon. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion Passed.

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Nashville Historical Society – Rental Lease Agreement

A motion was made by Hartwell and supported by White to renew the rental lease agreement with the Nashville Historical Society as written. Ayes – Argo, White, Hummel, Page, Courtney, Hartwell & Kenyon. Nays – None. Absent –. Motion carried.

Mobile Food Vending Ordinance and Permit

A motion was made by Courtney and Seconded by Hartwell to accept ordinance #05-14-2026 and permit as written, effective upon publication. Ayes – Hummel, White, Argo, Page & Kenyon. Nays – None. Absent – None. Motion carried.

Bid Recommendation – Category B MDOT

A motion was made by White to accept the bid recommendation from Fleis & Vandenbrink for Lakeland Asphalt in the amount of \$229,129.50 for Queen Street and State Street Resurfacing project. Supported by Hartwell. Roll Call Vote: Ayes –Page, Hartwell, Courtney, Hummel, White, Argo, & Kenyon. Nays – None. Absent – None. Motion carried.

Water tower inspection - NTEC

A motion was made by White and supported by Hummel to accept the proposal and contract with NTEC for the inspection of the Water Tower in the amount of \$4,750.00. Roll Call Vote: Ayes –Hummel, Page, Hartwell, Courtney, White, Argo, & Kenyon. Nays – None. Absent – None. Motion carried.

Purchase of 2026 GMC Sierra 2500HD

A motion was made by Hartwell and supported by Argo to accept the quote from Todd Wenzel Buick GMC for a 2026 GMC Sierra 2500HD in the amount of \$66,788.00. Roll Call Vote: Ayes –Hartwell, Courtney, White, Argo, Hummel, Page, & Kenyon. Nays – None. Absent – None. Motion carried.

Sale of 2025 GMC Sierra 2500HD

A motion was made by White and supported by Hartwell to put the 2025 GMC Sierra 2500HD out for sealed bids with a minimum bid of \$60,000.00 . Roll Call Vote: Ayes –Courtney, White, Argo, Hartwell, Hummel, Page, & Kenyon. Nays – None. Absent – None. Motion carried.

Josh Pierce – Pay Rate

Argo made a motion, supported by White, to move Josh Pierce’s pay rate from 2 years to 7 years. Roll Call Vote: Ayes –Courtney, White, Argo, Hartwell, Hummel, Page, & Kenyon. Nays – None. Absent – None. Motion carried.

Committee Reports

Parks, Buildings & Grounds – Ribbon cutting will be June 12th at 3:00pm with Ice cream social to follow. Maple Syrup association will be having an open house at the sugar bush that day as well.

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Roundtable

Courtney – Our organizations are working well together. Developers’ day was a great turnout.

Hartwell – Good to be back!

White – Sugar bus is done, also planted some trees in Putnam Park.

Kenyon – 250 celebration committee is finalizing plans. MV advisory committee is working hard.

Motion by Hartwell, seconded by Courtney to adjourn at 8:25pm. All ayes. Motion carried.

Date

Mike Kenyon, President

Kayce Nelson, Village Clerk

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