

Tennyson Town Board

Meeting Minutes August 20, 2025

The Public Hearing concerning the 2026 Budget was called to order at 5:30 pm on August 20, 2025, in Tennyson Town Hall by Cathy Oser. No questions were asked. Auburn Patmore made a motion to close the Public Hearing, second by Steve Bruce, motion carried.

The regular meeting of the Town of Tennyson was called to order at 5:31 pm on August 20, 2025, in Tennyson Town Hall by Cathy Oser.

Present: Cathy Oser, Steve Bruce, and Auburn Patmore. Sarah Adams, Clerk Treasurer, was in attendance. Gary Higgs, Certified Water Operator, was also in attendance. Also in attendance was Robert Woods, Certified Wastewater Operator. Patrons present were Sandy McDaniel.

Approval of Minutes:

Steve Bruce made a motion to approve July 16, 2025, meeting minutes, second Auburn Patmore, motion carried.

Approval of Accounts Payable Vouchers:

Auburn Patmore made a motion to approve Accounts Payable Vouchers. Second by Steve Bruce, motion carried.

Patron's Concerns: None

New Business: INDOT reimbursement requests from Quality Craft Construction and Midwestern Engineers were presented. Cathy Oser made a motion to approve, second by Steve Bruce, motion carried.

Old Business: None

Clerk Treasurer's Report: Sarah Adams presented a quote for Cyber Liability from CFC/Lloyds of London. The quote for a \$1,000,000.00 limit with a \$0 deductible was \$1,896.25 annually. The quote for \$1,000,000.00 with a \$2,500 deductible was \$1,725.75 annually. Auburn Patmore made a motion to approve the \$0 deductible for \$1,896.25 annually. Second by Cathy Oser, motion carried.

Sarah Adams presented Ordinance 2025-2 an Ordinance Establishing a Policy for Electronic Funds Transfer and Online Banking for the Town of Tennyson. Cathy Oser introduced and read the ordinance.

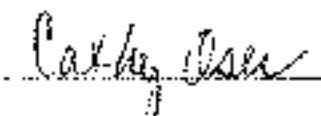
Sarah Adams asked if the board would like to turn in the damage to the Tri-Cap door to insurance or get quotes to see how much it would be to replace the broken glass. The board stated to get quotes in case it is cheaper than the \$500,000 deductible.


Utility Report: Robert Woods stated we needed a rate study for our sewer rates to possibly increase them as they have not been increased since 2022. Sarah Adams will get a quote from Baker Tilly to see how much they will charge.

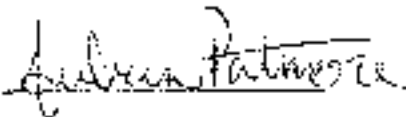
Robert Woods also stated that he needs a mower for the excavator to mow the sides of the trails in Town and around the sewer lagoon. Auburn Patmore made a motion to get quotes, second by Steve Bruce, motion carried.

Gary Higgs requested the meter at the Gentryville Pit be replaced with a Neptune as it is still a Mastermeter and is manually read. He presented a quote for \$5,082.88 from Utility Supply. Cathy Osier made a motion to approve the quote for the purchase of the meter, second by Auburn Patmore, motion carried.

Adjournment: 5:45 P.M. Cathy Osier made a motion to adjourn, second by Auburn Patmore, motion carried.


Cathy Osier


Steve Bruce


Auburn Patmore