

City of Centerville City Council Meeting on June 4, 2025

The Centerville City Council met for their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, June 4, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. in the Municipal Building Meeting Room. Council members present were Michael Cannain, Charlie Shafer, Bobby Walters, Rebecca Smith and Sue Sandel. Mayor Noal Ray Goolsby called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and a quorum was established.

Public Comments:

1. John Adams wanted to request a hole at his driveway (@ the corner of West Church Street and Old Bryan Road) be repaired and also have repairs made to his fence where a tree had fallen on it. Mayor Goolsby said he had already spoken with Trampas Rodell about taking care of the hole at John's driveway that had been created by an excessive amount of rain, but the City could not make repairs to his fence because it was on John's private property.
2. John Adams explained that he/Centerville Volunteer Fire Department had applied for a grant in order to have some upgrades done to the Municipal Building meeting room but was denied the grant due to the organizations/groups that have been meeting in the meeting room were not qualified as 501c3.

Mayor Goolsby swore in three (3) board members that were a result of the 5/3/2025 General Election. Charlie Shafer, Rebecca Smith and Sue Sandel were the board members sworn in.

Rebecca Smith made a motion to approve the May 7, 2025 regular meeting minutes as presented. Michael Cannain gave the second to this motion. Motion carried 5 ayes 0 noes and 0 absent

Rebecca Smith made a motion to approve the May 12, 2025 special called meeting minutes as presented. Charlie Shafer gave the second to this motion. Motion carried 5 ayes 0 noes and 0 absent

John Adams requested that no organizations/groups be allowed to meet in the City Hall Meeting Room unless they qualified as 501c3. No action was taken at this time.

John Adams requested the fire hydrants within the city limits be cleaned up around them in order to make them more visible and easier to access. Mayor Goolsby said this could be done.

John Adams requested the "City Employee Parking" signs be taken down and the parking lot wall on the West side of the Municipal building be painted. There was no action taken at this time.

Mayor Goolsby appointed each board member to act as the 2025/2026 Budget Committee.

Rebecca Smith expressed a motion to hold the 2025/2026 Budget Workshop meeting on 8/12/2025 at 5:30 p.m. Charlie Shafer agreed to a second motion. Motion carried 5 ayes 0 noes and 0 absent

Motion to approve employee time sheets for the month of May 2025 was furnished by Michael Cannain. Second to this motion came from Charlie Shafer. Motion carried 5 ayes 0 noes and 0 absent

Motion to pay the bills was first given by Rebecca Smith and was then seconded by Michael Cannain. Motion carried 5 ayes 0 noes and 0 absent

Motion to adjourn at 7:49 p.m. was given by Bobby Walters and was seconded by Michael Cannain. Motion carried 5 ayes 0 noes and 0 absent



Teresa Bates, City Secretary



Noal Ray Goolsby, Mayor