

**MINUTES  
FOR THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING  
OF THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
OF THE VILLAGE OF ORLAND HILLS, ILLINOIS  
For April 16, 2025**

President Hastings called the meeting to order at 8:17 p.m.

Clerk Iannantone called the roll with the following results. Present: President Hastings, Trustees: Roti, Schmidt, Morrison, Petrey, Hastings II, Kissane, Administrator O'Neill, Assistant Administrator Tuma, Chief Blaha, PW Director Hanley, EMA Director Leddin, and Deputy Chief Haleem.  
Excused: Village Attorney and Treasurer Kowalski  
Absent: None

President Hasting introduced a very special guest this evening AJ Vrlec from CJB is the Mayor for the Day. We had a wonderful dinner where AJ asked great questions about being a Mayor; from there we made a visit to Public Works where he met Director Hanley. Director Hanley went through what he specifically does and AJ was able to go in the trucks, lawn mowers, and backhoe. From Public Works Mayor Vrlec was given a Police escort to the Village Hall to see the Police Department. Where he was able to see the police department from there he came to his office where Mayor Hastings showed him around.

With a quorum having been established, President Vrlec led the Pledge of Allegiance and the salute to the flag.

**President's Report:** President Hastings  
President Hastings reported he is glad AJ is here as Mayor for the Day.

**Clerk's Report:** Clerk Iannantone  
Clerk Iannantone requested support of a motion to approve the minutes of the Regular Village Board Meeting of the Village President and the Board of Trustees for April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025, as presented.  
A motion was made by Trustee Roti and seconded by Trustee Kissane  
Ayes: Trustees Roti, Petrey, Morrison, Hastings II, Kissane, Schmidt  
Nays: None  
Absent: None

**MOTION CARRIED**

Clerk Iannantone reminded everyone There will be a Special Village Board Meeting held on April 30 at 7:00PM for the purpose of accepting the Fiscal Year 2026 Annual Budget and Pay Plan and the swearing in of the newly elected officials.

**Administrator's Report:** Administrator O'Neill  
Administrator O'Neill reminded everyone to file their Statement of Economic Interest report with Cook County before May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025.

**\*\*\*COMMITTEE REPORTS\*\*\***

**Finance:** Trustee Petrey  
Trustee Petrey motioned, seconded by Trustee Schmidt, to approve Warrant #24-25-49 being all regular bill payments for this period, which report is titled as "Miscellaneous Accounts Payable", and which report is dated April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025 in the amount of \$194,958.51 as presented.  
Ayes: Trustees Roti, Petrey, Morrison, Hastings II, Kissane, Schmidt  
Nays: None  
Absent: None

**MOTION CARRIED**

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Trustee Petrey motioned, seconded by Trustee Morrison to approve, and authorization to execute documents, with GWA PC of Chicago Heights for the FY 2025 Audit and Financial Statement preparation in the amount of \$53,000, as presented.

Ayes: Trustees Roti, Petrey, Morrison, Hastings II, Kissane, Schmidt

Nays: None

Absent: None

**MOTION CARRIED**

Trustee Petrey motioned, seconded by Trustee Schmidt to approve the transfer of \$60,000 from the Village of Orland Hills General Fund to the Village of Orland Hills Police Pension Fund.

Ayes: Trustees Roti, Petrey, Morrison, Hastings II, Kissane, Schmidt

Nays: None

Absent: None

**MOTION CARRIED**

**Development, Planning & Zoning** Trustee Kissane - No Report

**Police & Fire:** Trustee Hastings II

Trustee Hastings II motioned, seconded by Trustee Roti to approve the purchase of one 2021 Jeep Cherokee from Bettenhausen Dodge in the amount of \$24,691.70 using Integrity funds, as presented.

Ayes: Trustees Roti, Petrey, Morrison, Hastings II, Kissane, Schmidt

Nays: None

Absent: None

**MOTION CARRIED**

Trustee Hastings II motioned, seconded by Trustee Kissane to approve the purchase of one 2025 Dodge Durango from Bettenhausen Dodge in the amount of \$40,276.70 using Integrity funds, as presented.

Ayes: Trustees Roti, Petrey, Morrison, Hastings II, Kissane, Schmidt

Nays: None

Absent: None

**MOTION CARRIED**

**Public Works:** Trustee Schmidt – No Report

**Youth, Education and Recreation:** Trustee Morrison

Trustee Morrison motioned, seconded by Trustee Roti to approve, and the authorization to execute, documents with PRI, Inc. for the Kelly Park Splash Development in an amount not to exceed \$125,000, as presented.

Ayes: Trustees Roti, Petrey, Morrison, Hastings II, Kissane, Schmidt

Nays: None

Absent: None

**MOTION CARRIED**

Trustee Morrison motioned, seconded by Trustee Roti to approve, and the authorization to execute, documents with Turf Tank for a three-year contract for the Turf Tank Two Plus Package with a onetime setup fee of \$1,700.00 and a yearly amount not to exceed \$11,000.00 for the next three years, as presented.

Ayes: Trustees Roti, Petrey, Morrison, Hastings II, Kissane, Schmidt

Nays: None

Absent: None

**MOTION CARRIED**

Trustee Morrison motioned, seconded by Trustee Schmidt to approve a \$2.00 increase for the adult tickets for Breakfast with Santa, as presented.

Ayes: Trustees Roti, Petrey, Morrison, Hastings II, Kissane, Schmidt

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Nays: None

Absent: None

**MOTION CARRIED**

**Economic Development/ Environmental:** Trustee Roti - No Report

**Special Events:** Trustee Hastings II

Trustee Hastings announced we are two months away from Party in the Park and hopes to see Mayor Vrlec there this year!

**Audience Comments:** None

**Old Business:** None

**Adjournment:**

With no further business to be heard, Trustee Schmidt motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:29PM, seconded by Trustee Roti.

Ayes: Trustees Roti, Petrey, Morrison, Hastings II, Kissane, Schmidt

Nays: None

Absent: None

**MOTION CARRIED**

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**Jen Iannantone**  
**VILLAGE CLERK**