

# Town of Hermon Public Safety Meeting Room August 7, 2025 Town Council Meeting

6:00 PM

**MINUTES** 

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#### \*\*\*ALL ITEMS ARE SUBJECT TO APPROPRIATE COUNCIL ACTION\*\*\*

#### I. CALL TO ORDER BY CHAIRPERSON:

## II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Chair Murphy led those in attendance in the Pledge of Allegiance

#### III. ROLL CALL:

Members Present: Adam Brewer, Richard Cyr, Jason Forbes, Terry Hamm-Morris and Ronald

Murphy

Members Absent: Joshua Berry & Christopher Gray - Excused

Others Present: Town Manager Stephen Fields, Town Clerk Kristen Cushman,

and 3 residents/guests

## IV. PUBLIC ITEMS OR COMMENTS\*: (ITEMS NOT ALREADY ON THE AGENDA)

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#### • None



V. REVIEW CONSENT CALENDAR: REGULAR BUSINESS, APPOINTMENTS, SIGNATURES, AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

MINUTES -APPROVE 7/24/2025

SIGNATURES -APPROVE

**RESOLVES** -SIGN

WARRANTS -SIGN 8/1/2025

<u>Councilor Forbes moved to approve the Consent Calendar. Councilor Brewer seconded the motion. Motion passes 5-0.</u>

- VI. NEWS, PRESENTATIONS AND RECOGNITIONS:
- VII. PUBLIC HEARINGS:
- VIII. COMMITTEE REPORTS:
- IX. SCHEDULED AGENDA ITEMS:
  - 1. OLD or INCOMPLETE BUSINESS:
  - 2. NEW BUSINESS:
  - 3. WORKSHOPS:
    - Council rules Stephen Fields
    - Council goal setting Stephen Fields
  - 4. OTHER ITEMS: (FROM TABLE PACKAGE)
- X. APPOINTMENTS:

#### XI. MANAGER STATUS REPORT:

Thank you to the recreation staff and town staff supporting the Summer Recreation program as they enter the final week. Job well done!

Saturday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>, Hermon Summer Sizzler to be held at Patrica A Duran School, a day of fun-filled activities for all ages and ending the day with firework display.

Special calendar note! Hermon Schools will be returning for the year on Thursday, August 28<sup>th</sup>. Please use caution the first day of school bus pick up, walkers, family pictures and traffic patterns. Good luck to all the students in the upcoming year in obtaining their goals and dreams.



Reminder to Councilors to please stop in the Town Office to sign warrants per the schedule provided. Warrants are ready after 11am. If you have any questions, please contact us. Thank you

## XII. FINAL PUBLIC ITEMS OR COMMENT\*: (ITEMS NOT ALREADY ON THE AGENDA)

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#### **XIII. COUNCIL ITEMS:**

• Sign orders and resolves from section IX

Richard Cyr: Concerns for the yellow markers on the natural gas line will be knocked over by the plow. Manager Fields read a statement from the gas company stating they will be monitoring the markers and replacing them as needed.

Terry Hamm-Morris: Pickleball program has finished for the season.

Ronald Murphy: Car show on 8/23 at the Hermon Sizzler. Councilor Murphy asked if the grass could be cut back at the corner of Fuller and Billings Rd.

#### XIV. EXECUTIVE SESSION:

#### XV. ADJOURNMENT:

<u>Councilor Cyr moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:37 PM. Councilor Hamm-Morris seconded.</u> With no objection the meeting was adjourned at 6:37 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kristen Cushman, Town Clerk

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**Explanatory note #1**: All items in the CONSENT CALENDAR are considered routine and are proposed for adoption by the Town Council with one motion without DISCUSSION or deliberation. If DISCUSSION on any item is desired, any member of the Council or public may request the removal of an item for it to be placed in the regular agenda prior to the motion to approve the Consent Agenda.

Explanatory Note #2: In the interest of effect decision-making: At 10:00 p.m., the Chairman shall poll the Council and Town Manager to identify remaining items which shall be carried forward to the next Regular Meeting.

Explanatory Note #3: A Councilor who feels the need for the Council excusing his/her absence will make the request to the Town Manager or the Town Clerk prior to the meeting.