

**CITY OF CASEVILLE COUNCIL MEETING**  
**August 4, 2025**

**CALL TO ORDER:**

The August 4, 2025 Meeting of the Caseville City Council was called to order by Mayor Christopher Stahl at 5:30 p.m. The meeting was held in the Caseville City Hall, 6767 Main St., in Caseville Michigan. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

**ROLL CALL:**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Kenneth Rathje, Jerald Ignash, John Tait, Jacob Kretzschmer, Darin Sprague and Christopher Stahl (Mayor). **Absent:** Jeffrey Hervert. **Others Present:** Jamie Learman, City Manager and Deborah Hopkins, Police Chief.

**SET AGENDA:**

**MOTION Carried**, by Sprague second by Ignash to set the agenda as presented. **5-0 Approved.**

**MINUTES APPROVAL:**

**MOTION Carried**, by Rathje second by Tait to approve the minutes of the July, 14, 2025 Council Meeting as presented. **5-0 Approved.**

**INVOICES, BUDGET AMENDMENTS & TRANSFERS:**

**RESOLUTION #2025-46, INVOICES, ROLL CALL**, by Tait second by Kretschmer to approve invoices in the amount as presented: Paid through 7-31-2025, totaling \$824,417.00. **Roll Call Vote Approved 5-0.**

**PRESENTATIONS:**

None

**REPORTS:**

Written reports were received from the Zoning Administrator, Caseville Downtown Development Authority and Caseville Area Fire Protection Assoc. Jamie Learman spoke about the November 4<sup>th</sup> election and the candidates that have filed for office. Chief Hopkins said there were no problems at the recent Motorcycle Rally

**MOTION Carried**, by Rathje second by Sprague to file the Reports as presented. **5-0 Approved.**

**CORRESPONDENCE:**

Chamber of Commerce letter of thanks for donation

APM Mosquito report

Rathje talked about an unsigned letter that was received Monday by the Office. This letter talked about zoning violations, which are currently being handled by the Zoning Administrator.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:** - (Agenda Items Only)

Michael Muscat asked about the Harbor Minutes and alleged they held an unposted meeting.

James Smith asked about the Lift-Station project and he noticed a taste to his water. He said the businesses and the Chamber are doing good things, but safety is an issue.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

None

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**MOTION TABLED**, to the Caseville Area Fire Protection Association Board, term expiring 8/2031. **\*\*TABLED UNTIL NEXT MEETING \*\***

**RESOLUTION #2025-47, ROLL CALL**, by Tait second by Ignash to authorize all delinquent accounts and invoices billed by the City prior to April 1, 2025 to be turned over to the 2025 Winter Tax Roll. **Roll Call Vote Approved 5-0.**

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

Commissioner Scott Maust talked about the Huron County Fair. He handed out a flyer to a seminar in September and talked about EV charging and the costs.

Wendy Waldrep said her family just plugs their EV's into an outlet at her house. She asked about a letter her neighbors received about their garbage bins in the right of way and wanted to know if there were any requests for bottled water.

Tom Paul said he has a wheeled trash cage/container.

Michael Muscat wanted the trolley to be restricted to Harbor Street and not Farmer Street. He also asked about permit fees.

James Smith asked why the motion said "appoint." He said the trolley pulled out in front of him.

Chief Hopkins said there have been multiple complaints about the trolley.

Louis Johnson asked about the road construction sign on Main St. by Oak St.

**COUNCIL COMMENTS:**


Rathje thanked everyone for coming.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

**MOTION Carried**, by Sprague second by Ignash to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 6:10 p.m. **5-0 Approved.**



Jamie Learman, City Manager



Christopher C. Stahl, Mayor

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