

Akron Town Council Meeting
March 26, 2025

Present: Jim Saner, President; Rich Solano, Vice-President; Tony Rameriz, Member; Rebecca Hartzler, Clerk-Treasurer; Justin Gearhart, Marshal, Jake Gearhart, Superintendent; Anthony Newcomer, Assistant Superintendent; Andy Perkins, Town Attorney

Guest: Sign in sheet.

The meeting opened at 9:00 a.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Rich made a motion to accept the minutes from the March 10, 2025 council meeting as presented. Tony 2nd. 3 ayes.

Ken Jones Sr with JPR spoke with the council about his company and what services they offer for municipalities.

Rebecca discussed with the council the lighting at the boys baseball diamond. Akron Youth League submitted a grant with the Northern Indiana Community Foundation in Rochester for lighting upgrades. AYL received \$20,000 towards the project but needs to find additional funding to fully fund the project. The council suggested communicating with PMP Trustees about additional funding options.


Attorney Report: Andy reminded the council that effective July 1, 2025 that meetings will need to be recorded.

Rich made a motion to approve Ordinance 03-26-2025 – An Ordinance Vacating An Alleyway. Tony 2nd. 2 ayes. Jim abstained.

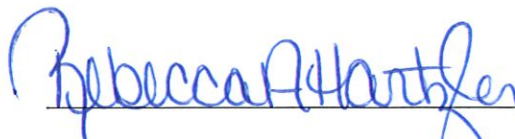
Rich made a motion to approve Ordinance 03-26-2025A – An Ordinance Establishing an OCRA Grant Money Fund. Tony 2nd. 3 ayes.

The next monthly council meeting is Monday, April 21, 2025 @ 6:00 p.m.

Jim made a motion to adjourn at 10:19 a.m. Rich 2nd. 3 ayes.



Jim Saner, President



Rebecca Hartzler, Clerk-Treasurer