

**AGENDA**  
**REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES**  
**OF THE VILLAGE OF YATES CITY, ILLINOIS**  
**6:00 P.M.**  
**WEDNESDAY, MAY 14, 2025**  
**102 WEST MAIN STREET, YATES CITY, ILLINOIS**

**AGENDA:**

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Ron Smith, Matt Ehens, Tom Kinzer, and Vonda Brinker Sworn in as Trustees
5. Citizens to Address the Board
6. Approve Minutes for April 9<sup>th</sup> Board Meeting and May 7<sup>th</sup> Committee Meeting
7. Approve Monthly Bills, Payroll and Financial Statements
8. Police Report – Chief Randy Benson

**OLD BUSINESS:**

9. Discuss/Approve New 4-year Constellation Contract for Electrical Supply in the Amount of \$ 0.10299/kwh
10. Discuss/Approve MFT Approval of \$15,000.00 for Gravel on Alleys
11. Discuss/Approve Hiring Seasonal Public Works Employee

**NEW BUSINESS:**

12. Discuss/Approve Hiring Blankenship Custom Remodeling for Concrete at Town Park in the Amount of \$1,200.00
13. Discuss/Approve Purchase of Picnic Table from Kirby Built in the Amount of \$1,199.00 with Shipping Amount of \$279.37 for Total Amount of \$1,478.37
14. Discuss/Approve Road Closure/Barricades on Market & Union Street for St. Jude Fundraiser Event in June 2025
15. Discuss/Approve Donation to Elmwood/Yates City/Farmington Fireworks Committee in the Amount of \$500.00
16. Discuss/Approve Police Department Pay Raises in the Amount of \$1.00/hour
17. Discuss/Approve Hiring Blankenship Custom Remodeling for Soffit Repair at Public Works Building in the Amount of \$450.00

**OTHER BUSINESS:**

**18. Committee Reports**

**Police** – Ehens

**Finance/Insurance** - Kinzer

**Streets/Alleys** - Smith

**Water** - Lekies

**Sewer** - Mahr

**Technology/Public Grounds** - Brinker

**19. Discussion of Such Other Business as may Properly Come before the Board and Action, if any, to be Taken as Result of Discussions**

**ADJOURNMENT**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

- [X] 1. Discussion of the Appointment, Employment, Compensation, Discipline, Performance or Dismissal of Employees of the Village.
- [X] 2. Discussion of Probable or Imminent Litigation Affecting or on Behalf of the Village.
- [X] 3. Discussion of Minutes of Meetings Lawfully Closed Under the Open Meetings Act, Whether for Purposes of Approval by the Body of the Minutes or Semi-Annual Review of the Minutes as Mandated by the Open Meetings Act.
- [X] 4. Discussion of the Purchase or Lease of Real Property for the Use of the Public Body or the Sale of Property Owned by the Public Body, Including Meetings Held for the Purpose of Discussing Whether a Particular Parcel Should be (1) Acquired, (2) Leased, or (3) Sold, and Including the Setting of a Sale Price.