October 27, 2025

Mayor Robert Dickson called the meeting to order on Monday, October 27, 2025 with all members present except Bennett.

Moved by Shegog, seconded by S. Taylor, that council dispense with the reading of the October 14, 2025 minutes and approve as distributed. Motion carried.

Visitors: Marsha Wagner, Nick Fink, Sabrina Barr

OLD BUSINESS

Motioned by Stan Taylor to bring Ordinance 2025-10-2 to the table, seconded by Shegog. Council discussed the fact that the contract for the right-of-way program cost more than the program generated in revenue in 2025. Council agreed that if the billing for right-of-way fees could be done by the fiscal officer it would be a substantial savings.

Moved by S. Taylor Seconded by Shegog

Ordinance 2025-10-2, an ordinance setting the costs for the certificate of registration fee and the construction permit fees for the right-of-way program, second reading

		Shegog	no
Whitehair	no	Taylor, S.	no
Taylor, Y.	no	Bennett	absent

Motion Fails

NEW BUSINESS

Moved by S. Taylor Seconded by Shegog

Ordinance 2025-10-3, an ordinance to amend Ordinance 2025-6-2 establishing charges for water tap and connection fees and sewer tap fees to the Village of New Concord water system and sewer collection system and declaring an emergency

		Shegog	yea
Whitehair	yea	Taylor, S.	yea
Taylor, Y.	yea	Bennett	absent

Motion Passes

Moved by Shegog Seconded by S.Taylor

That **Ordinance 2025-10-3** be approved as read.

		Shegog	yea
Whitehair	yea	Taylor, S.	yea
Taylor, Y.	yea	Bennett	absent

Motion Passes

Moved by Y. Taylor Seconded by Shegog

Ordinance 2025-11-1, an ordinance to make temporary appropriations for the current expenses and other expenditures of the Village of New Concord, State of Ohio during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2026 (Revised Code Section 5705.38), first reading

		Shegog	yea
Whitehair	yea	Taylor, S.	yea
Taylor, Y.	yea	Bennett	absent

Motion Passes

Stan Taylor led a general discussion of the three-year budget projections. This will be discussed further at the next finance committee meeting. Council is concerned about the continued decrease in revenue projections, as well as the possibility that property taxes could be affected by upcoming ballot initiatives. Shegog stated that he believes that the pool is in disrepair and is costing the Village. Council agreed that the pool is well utilized by residents and are hoping that pool passes might be increased with the hiring of the new community relations director.

Moved by Y. Taylor Seconded by Whitehair

Resolution 2025-10-4, resolution to transfer funds from the Enterprise Sewer Fund to the USDA WWTP Bonds and declaring an emergency

		Shegog	yea
Whitehair	yea	Taylor, S.	yea
Taylor, Y.	yea	Bennett	absent

Motion Passes

Moved by Whitehair Seconded by Y. Taylor

That **Resolution 2025-10-4** be approved as read.

		Shegog	yea
Whitehair	yea	Taylor, S.	yea
Taylor, Y.	yea	Bennett	absent

Motion Passes

Moved by S. Taylor Seconded by Y. Taylor

Resolution 2025-11-1, resolution to transfer funds from the General Fund to the Street Fund (2011), Cemetery Fund (2031), NCAARD Fund (2041), Fire Department Fund (2902), Police Vehicle Bond Fund, and Swimming Pool Fund (5501), first reading

		Shegog	yea
Whitehair	yea	Taylor, S.	yea
Taylor, Y.	yea	Bennett	absent

Motion Passes

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- New Concord Area Board of Trade Trail of Treats – Friday, October 31st – behind Village Hall, corner of Layton and Maple – 5-6pm
- Trick-or-Treat – Friday, October 31st – 6-7pm
- Election Day – Tuesday, November 4th
- Veterans' Day – Tuesday, November 11th – Village Hall Closed – Veterans' Day Service – Westminster Church – 10:15am

MEETING SCHEDULE:

- Planning Commission Meeting – Thursday, October 30th – 6pm – Village Hall
- Finance Committee Meeting – Thursday, October 30th – 9am – Village Hall
- Safety Committee Meeting – Monday, November 3rd – 5:30pm – Village Hall – Only Held if Items are on the Agenda
- Policy Committee Meeting – Tuesday, November 4th – 3pm – Village Hall – Only Held if Items are on the Agenda
- Village Council Meeting – Monday, November 10th – 6:30pm – Village Hall
- Infrastructure Committee Meeting – Monday, November 24th – 5:30pm – Village Hall – Only Held if Items are on the Agenda
- Village Council Meeting – Monday, November 24th – 6:30pm – Village Hall

Moved by Shegog, second by S. Taylor that council move to executive session.

			Shegog	yea
Whitehair	yea		Taylor, S.	yea
Taylor, Y.	yea		Bennett	absent

Motion Passes

EXECUTIVE SESSION: To consider the appointment of a public official.

ADJOURNMENTS: Motion by Shegog, second by S. Taylor to adjourn executive session. Executive session adjourned at 9:08 PM. Motion by Shegog, second by Y. Taylor to adjourn meeting. Meeting adjourned at 9:09 PM.

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Mayor Fiscal Officer