

August 24, 2026

Mayor Robert Dickson called the meeting to order on Monday, August 24, 2026 with all members present except Shegog.

Moved by Whitehair, seconded by Y. Taylor, that council dispense with the reading of the August 10, 2026 minutes and approve as distributed. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Moved by Whitehair

Seconded by Fink

Whitehair moved to waive the third reading and adopt Resolution 2026-8-1 on the second reading.
Fink seconded the motion.

Resolution 2026-8-1, a resolution adopting the 2026 comprehensive plan for the Village of New Concord, second reading

Shegog	absent	Fink	yea
Whitehair	yea	Taylor, S.	yea
Taylor, Y.	yea	Barr	yea

Motion Passes

Fink stated that he would like for council to revisit the comprehensive plan on a yearly basis to ensure that it is being used for available grants. Village Administrator Dalton Flinn stated that the steering committee will continue to meet.

NEW BUSINESS

Moved by Y. Taylor

Seconded by Whitehair

Resolution 2026-8-2, a resolution authorizing the Village Administrator to prepare and submit an application to participate in the Ohio Public Works Commission State Capital Improvement and/or Local Transportation Improvement Program(S) and to execute contracts as required and declaring an emergency

Shegog	absent	Fink	yea
Whitehair	yea	Taylor, S.	yea
Taylor, Y.	yea	Barr	yea

Motion Passes

Moved by Whitehair

Seconded by Y. Taylor

That **Resolution 2026-8-2** be approved as read.

Shegog	absent	Fink	yea
Whitehair	yea	Taylor, S.	yea
Taylor, Y.	yea	Barr	yea

Motion Passes

Moved by Fink

Seconded by S. Taylor

Resolution 2026-8-3, a resolution authorizing the Village Administrator to apply for, accept, and enter into a Water Supply Revolving Loan Account Agreement on behalf of the Village of New Concord for planning, design and/or construction of water facilities; and designating a dedicated repayment source for the loan; and declaring an emergency.

Shegog	absent
Whitehair	yea
Taylor, Y.	yea

Fink	yea
Taylor, S.	yea
Barr	yea

Motion Passes

Moved by S. Taylor

Seconded by Fink

That **Resolution 2026-8-3** be approved as read.

Shegog	absent
Whitehair	yea
Taylor, Y.	yea

Fink	yea
Taylor, S.	yea
Barr	yea

Motion Passes

Mayor Dickson thanked the Administrator, the operations department, and the police department for the work done during the rainstorms and tree removal that resulted from the storms. He also read a letter of thanks from the East Muskingum School Superintendent for the work of the operations department on the road to New Concord Elementary School during the storm.

Dickson also stated that he and Mary Beth Caudill spoke at the Welcome Convocation for the opening of the Muskingum University school year. He has met with the new president, Dr. Lilly, and there is interest in the University working more closely with the Village. The University will be sending a representative to the Village council meeting to better inform council of the activities at the University.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Celebrate New Concord - Tuesday, August 25th – 7pm – Village Park – Tony Hagood Quartet
- Community Day - Saturday, September 5th
- Labor Day – Monday, September 7 – Village Hall Closed

MEETING SCHEDULE:

- Safety Committee Meeting – Tuesday, September 8th – 5:30pm – Village Hall – Only Held if Items are on the Agenda
- Policy Committee Meeting – Tuesday, September 8th – 4pm – Village Hall – Only Held if Items are on the Agenda
- Finance Committee Meeting – Wednesday, September 9th – 9am – Village Hall
- Village Hall Meeting – Monday, September 14th – 6:30pm – Village Hall

ADJOURNMENTS: Motion by S. Taylor, second by Y. Taylor to adjourn meeting. Meeting adjourned at 7:07 PM.

Mayor

Fiscal Officer