

April 7, 2026

Start Time: 6:00 P.M.

Council met for the Regular meeting in council chambers located at 45 Main St, Greenwich OH 44837.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Beverly – Yes, Phillips – Yes, Wilson –Yes, Stephens- Yes, Hunter – Yes, Risner – ABSENT

Additional members present were Fiscal Officer Karley Binger and Police Officer Pat Fox

Solicitor, Mr. Palmer and Councilman Risner were excused from the council meeting.

The council approved meeting minutes from March 17, 2025 council meeting.

Invited Guests / Comments from floor:

S. Risner asked council how many village employees have left our offices since the fall of 2023? She wants a reason for why it is happening and wants council to think about this. S. Risner showed her appreciation for the fiscal officer, Karley Binger.

Art from the EMA presented the Huron County wide alert system and encouraged residents to sign up for it.

Tony Burgoyne presented the Water and Sewer rate study that was conducted by the Village's engineer firm, OHM. He reviewed the rate study and expressed that they found how important it is for the rates to be increased by July 2026 to ensure there are funds available in 2026.

Mr. Caskey asked how the Market Street sewer issues falls into line with the rate study that was presented and the need to raise rates. Fiscal Officer, Karley Binger, explained that she got in contact with the Village's contractor and there will be somebody on site before the end of the week to get the sewer issues addressed on Market Street.

Committee Meetings:

May 5th at 5:45pm records retention meeting.

Sidewalk commission meeting – needs to be rescheduled

Park Committee Meeting April 21st 5:00pm. – update from the meeting earlier?

Fiscal Officer report:

The fiscal officer announced her resignation.

The fiscal officer addressed the issue that when sewer rates were changed in the past the surcharge was decreased. The sewer surcharge should have never been decreased because those funds were supposed to create the funds needed to pay for the semi-annual principal loan payments that are due for the sewer funds every year.

Administrator's report:

None.

Police Chief:

Solicitor:

No report.

Mayor:

Mayor asked for a motion to hire Blake Claudil, council approved.

Mayor asked to have the custodian position eliminated. The council agreed to table this issue.

Legislation:

Resolution 2026-R-6 a final resolution authorizing the village administrator to enter into contract with the Ohio department of transportation (ODOT) for the multi-use path trail surface improvements. The Resolution was passed and adopted.

Ordinance 2026-O-08, a ordinance amending section 1042.02 of the Greenwich Codified Municipal Code of Ordinances and revising the rates for water service for the first reading was approved.

Ordinance 2026-O-09, an ordinance deeming it advisable to change sewer rates and charges; and amending section 1044.02 of the Greenwich codified municipal code of ordinances was approved for the first reading.

Ordinance 2026-O-10, an ordinance amending chapter 1066 of the Greenwich codified municipal code establishing and creating a village of Greenwich reservoir lake park, recreation center, advisory board was approved for the first reading.

Resolution 2026-R-3 was tabled until the second meeting in April.

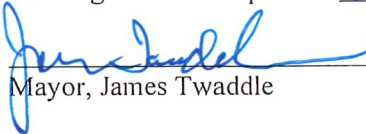
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Mayor stated that he would get ahold of the land bank to discuss having our house next to the water plant tore down.

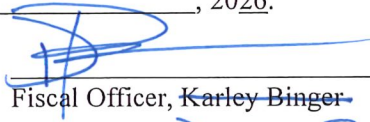
R. Wilson made motion to adjourn. L. Phillips seconded. Motion carried.

Adjournment at 7:31 p.m.

Meeting minutes adopted on 21st day of April, 2026.



Mayor, James Twaddle



Fiscal Officer, ~~Karley Binger~~
Dorene Beverly