

Village of Freeport
Committee of the Whole
Minutes
June 2, 2026

President Bill Andrews called the meeting to order at 6:49 pm.

Others present – Trustees Amanda Faunce & Lani Forbes, Clerk Shari Clark, Treasurer Joyce Callihan, and Water Operator/DPW Director Collin Crumback. Staff present – Shane Faunce.

Absent – Trustee Hannah Clewell, Police Chief Tim Griffin, and Back Up Water Operator Duane Weeks.

No Public Comment.

Reports:

Administration

Previous and new blight issues brought up. Police Chief Griffin should address any blight issues.

No applicants for Village Trustee have been received.

Water

Crumback noted that he completed the Monthly Operation Report (MOR) and submitted to EGLE with no assistance.

Congratulations to Collin Crumback for achieving Level 4 EGLE Water Operator Certification and Shane Faunce for achieving Level 3 EGLE Water Operator Certification.

Buildings, Streets, & Grounds

Crumback reported that Village Clean Up went smooth. 30-yard \$600 cost & 20-yard \$400 cost dumpsters were filled. Scrap metal taken to Padnos brought in \$144.00.

Working on completing Cemetery Foundations.

Parks & Recreation

Crumback & Clewell are still researching vendors to purchase a new slide for the park.

Police

Former Freeport Police Officer Newman requested Freeport to sign off permit paperwork as a retired police officer, but his time with Freeport does not meet those requirements.

The meeting adjourned at 7:12 pm.

The next COW meeting will be held July 7, 2026.