

Village of Pocahontas  
Regular Meeting Minutes  
October 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025

The Village of Pocahontas held its regular meeting on Monday, October 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at the Village Hall, 101 W Kavanaugh St, Pocahontas, IL 62275

Mayor Pat Forhan called the meeting to order at 7PM.

Following the Pledge of Allegiance, roll call was taken with the following trustees present: Danny Beard, Dave Crawford, Allie Hunter, Brenda Kleinik, and Adam Evans. Shannon Links was absent from the meeting.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

\*Don Hawley proposed that the Village of Pocahontas collaborate with the Pocahontas-Old Ripley Fire Department to test the fire hydrants in town with the assistance of neighboring fire departments. Two sets of records would be kept, one for the fire department and one for the village.

\*The Baptist Church in Pocahontas is under a new name, Heartland Community Center. Members of the coalition presented packets to the board members regarding their goal of supplementing community members food needs. They are asking for donation of time or donation of goods from the community to assist with this program.

\*Public Works members Randi Smith and Briar Weiss were thanked for their timely

### **FOOD PANTRY DONATION**

There is a need in the community for food pantry donations with the upcoming holiday season. Adam motioned for the village to make a \$500 donation to the food pantry with Allie seconding the motion. Roll Call vote: Danny, yes; Allie, yes; Dave, yes; Brenda, yes; Adam, yes. Motion carried 5-0.