

Bremen Village Council

Council Meeting Minutes May 11, 2026

5:30 P.M.

Meeting called to order May 11, 2026, by Mayor A. Taylor at 5:30 P.M.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Mayor A. Taylor- Aye, Councilperson N. Bailor- Aye, Councilperson J. Cline-Aye, Councilperson J. Martinez- Aye, Councilperson J. Schmeltzer- Aye, Councilperson M. Brown- Aye.

Employees: L. Carter, T. Achenbach, T. Mullett and B. Robinette.

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Guests: M. Hoffman.

Business of Guests: N/A.

Mayor's Report:

April 13, 2026 meeting minutes distributed for review and approval.

Motion: J. Cline **Second:** N. Bailor

Roll Call: Councilperson N. Bailor- Aye, Councilperson J. Cline-Aye, Councilperson J. Martinez-Aye, Councilperson J. Schmeltzer- Aye, Councilperson M. Brown- Aye.

Administrator's Report:

N. Ash put his notice in and will be leaving 05/15/2026.

B. Myers is dropping down to part-time. He's still very useful and will be doing projects.

120 N. Broad Drive apron owner asked us to replace his apron during our work on upgrades from NRG. On google earth it doesn't show them having one when purchased. The village council members don't agree with replacing the apron.

Northridge Drive.

Shelter houses and concrete are complete. Picnic tables will be in next week.

The swing set is in production. B. Robinette ordered the mulch and barrier for it this week.

Pool wall is being replaced, and other work is in progress. We are draining and power washing and filling this week. Start date might be a concern. May 30th will be the 4th grade pool party 7-9 P.M.

Council Committee Reports:

Finance Report: Councilperson J. Cline- May 8, 2026, meeting minutes distributed.

Planning & Zoning: Councilperson M. Brown – April 14, 2026, meeting minutes distributed.

Administrative Process: Councilperson J. Schmeltzer– No meeting.

Safety & Infrastructure: Councilperson J. Martinez – No meeting.

Park, Pool and Events: Councilperson N. Bailor – May 5, 2026, meeting minutes distributed.

Motion to accept minutes as presented by Committees:

Motion: N. Bailor **Second:** J. Cline

Roll Call: Councilperson N. Bailor- Aye, Councilperson J. Cline-Aye, Councilperson J. Martinez- Aye, Councilperson J. Schmeltzer- Aye, Councilperson M. Brown- Aye.

Finance:

April bank reconciliation approved and signed.

Payment listing for the months of April and May 2026 approved.

Revenue/Appropriations reports for May 2026 approved.

Bank Statement for reviewed and approved.

Regular Purchase Order 88-2026 approved.

Regular Purchase Order 89-2026 approved.

Regular Purchase Order 90-2026 approved.

Regular Purchase Order 91-2026 approved.

Old Business:

Second reading for ODOT Resolution 2026-4-R (for road salt).

New Business:

First reading of Ordinance 2026-3-O (Cyber Security).

Cyber Security Policy reviewed.

First reading of 2026-4-O (2026 Tax Budget).

Motion to move J. Martinez from Finance to Park, Pool and Events: J. Cline Second: M. Brown

Roll Call: Councilperson N. Bailor- Aye, Councilperson J. Cline-Aye, Councilperson J. Martinez- Abstain, Councilperson J. Schmeltzer- Aye, Councilperson M. Brown- Aye.

Discussion on ways to address the illegal riding of dirt bikes, motorized vehicles on park properties. The sheriff needs to be contacted and a report made, try to get pictures of riders and vehicles.

Regarding issues with unruliness at the pool, lifeguards can remove those patrons for the season. Lifeguards must enforce the rule of no one under the age of 10 without the supervision of someone 16 or older, verify ages.

Motion to enter Executive session at 6:15 P.M. and L. Carter asked to stay: M. Brown
Second: J. Cline

Roll Call: Councilperson N. Bailor- Aye, Councilperson J. Cline- Aye, Councilperson J. Martinez- Aye, Councilperson J. Schmeltzer- Aye, Councilperson M. Brown- Aye.

Executive Session:

Executive Session 121.22 (G)(1). To consider the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation of a public employee or official, or the investigation of changes or complaints against a public employee, official, licensee, or regulated individual, unless the public employee, official, licensee, or regulated individual requests a public hearing. Except as otherwise provided by law, no public body shall hold an executive session for the discipline of an elected official for conduct related to the performance of the elected official's official duties or for the elected official's removal from office. If a public body holds an executive session pursuant to division (G)(1) of this section, the motion and vote to hold that executive session shall state which one or more of the approved purposes listed in division (G)(1) of this section are the purposes for the executive session is to be held, but need not include the name of any person to be considered at the meeting.

Motion to come out of Executive Session at 7:01 P.M.: M. Brown **Second:** J. Cline

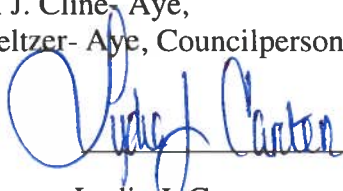
Roll Call: Councilperson N. Bailor- Aye, Councilperson J. Cline- Aye, Councilperson J. Martinez- Aye, Councilperson J. Schmeltzer- Aye, Councilperson M. Brown- Aye.

Motion to Adjourn at 7:02 P.M.: N. Bailor **Second:** M. Brown

Roll Call: Councilperson N. Bailor- Aye, Councilperson J. Cline- Aye, Councilperson J. Martinez- Aye, Councilperson J. Schmeltzer- Aye, Councilperson M. Brown- Aye.



Anthony M. Taylor
Mayor



Lydia J. Carter
Fiscal Officer

