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# MEETING MINUTES

## Village of Port Hope Council Meeting

July 14, 2025

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Village President Gary Schave. Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was recited. Moment of silence observed for the recent passing of councilman Schuett.

**Roll Call:** Gust, Hunter, Schave, Schulz, Steinhorst **Absent:** Reinke

**Treasurer:** Cindy Strozeski **Clerk:** Sally Arndt

**Guests Present:** Mark Slagh, Karen Gust, Peter Deane, Sam Ingram

- **Approval of Agenda** - Motion by Chris Gust, second by Steve Schulz to approve the Agenda. Motion carried.
- **Approval of Minutes** - Motion by Jim Hunter, second by Chris Gust to approve the Minutes of the 6/9/2025 meeting, Motion carried.

### Reports:

- **Sewer**—Nothing new
- **Streets**— Nothing new at this time
- **Fire Department**—Fire Stand By fees have been billed
- **Marina**—Hoping to get more boats

### Old Business:

#### Pay Bills:

- Motion by Ron Steinhorst, second by Steve Schulz to approve bills of \$19,446.34. Motion carried.

### New Business:

- Letter received from Ken Schultz expressing his interest to fill the vacancy on the Village of Port Hope Council. Motion by Jim Hunter, second by Chris Gust to appoint Kenneth Schultz to fill Gene Schuett's open seat on the Council.

### Communications/Correspondence/Public Comments:

- Sam Ingram has talked to Eric Tamlyn of the Huron County Road Commission about developing the old pier – what they require to get started is a letter from the Village of Port Hope stating that as a community we are in favor of any efforts to develop the pier. Eric was talking about grants with matching funds. Sam just wants a start. Motion by Jim Hunter, second by Chris Gust to offer support and seek a resolution in the development of the pier. Motion carried.
- Pete Deane reported that the Green Man festival is scheduled for next weekend, and everything is in order. Karen Murphy will be the artist in residence.

### Adjournment:

- Motion to adjourn by Chris Gust, seconded by Jim Hunter. Motion carried.

**Sally Arndt, Village Clerk**