

VILLAGE OF BRULE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
AGENDA OF REGULAR MEETING AND BUDGET & TAX HEARINGS

Tuesday, September 8, 2026, **7:00 p.m.**

AGENDA

- 1. Roll Call > Call Meeting to Order**
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 3. Public Advisory:** A copy of the Nebraska Open Meeting Act is posted on wall of the meeting room accessible to the public. (Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 84-1412(8)).
- 4. Approval of Consent Agenda:** August 11, 2026 Meeting Minutes; Available Month-End Bank Balance Report; and Payment of Regular Claims.
- 5. Approval of Trustee Claims**
(Trustees must abstain from approving their own claim pursuant to *Neb. Rev. Stat. § 49-14,103.01.*)
 - Julius Dickmander – Interim Water Utility Work
 - BJ Franken – Interim Sewer Utility Work
 - Thaddeus Glenn – Mileage (NE Floodplain & Stormwater Managers Association Conference, Kearney, NE)
 - Kelsey Marquez – Seasonal Park Bathroom & Trash Work
 - David Spencer – Interim Grade IV Water Operator Work
- 6. Discussion/Action:** Utility Superintendent Vacancy – Recruitment Status, and Next Steps.
- 7. Discussion/Action:** Lease Agreement for Room #2 Office Space – Brule Community Center Association.
- 8. Department Reports:** Updates from Water, Sewer, Streets, and Parks.
- 9. Review and Possible Action: Building Permit Application – 714 State Street.**
- 10. 7:30 p.m. – Call Budget Hearing to Order**
This hearing cannot be limited by time pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 13-501 to 13-513.
- 11. Presentation of Proposed Budget**
Presentation outlining key provisions of the proposed 2026–2027 budget, including comparison to the prior year budget. Presenter: Susan Maline, CPA, McChesney, Martin, Sagehorn, P.C.
- 12. Public Comment on Proposed Budget**
Any member of the public desiring to speak on the proposed budget shall be allowed to address the governing body and given a reasonable amount of time to do so.
- 13. Adjourn Budget Hearing**
- 14. 7:40 p.m. – Call Special Hearing to Set Final Tax Request to Order**
Public comment invited on the proposed Final Tax Request pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 77-1632.
- 15. Consideration of Final Tax Request**
Consider motion to set the property tax levy at an amount different from the prior year's tax request.
- 16. Adoption of Resolution R26-09-01**
Consider adoption of Resolution R26-09-01 setting the 2026-2027 Property Tax Request.
- 17. Adjourn Special Hearing**
- 18. Adoption of the 2026-2027 Budget**
Consider motion to adopt the 2026-2027 Budget as presented by Susan Maline, CPA, McChesney, Martin, Sagehorn, P.C.
- 19. Public Comment:** Members of the public may speak during the Public Comment Period if recognized by the presiding officer. The public body is not required to respond to any comments made; although, a question from the public body may be directed toward the citizen for clarification about a point made in their statement.
- 20. Adjournment**