

CITY OF GOOSE LAKE
CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
June 18, 2026

Mayor Ken Schoon called the regular meeting to order at 7:00 pm. Council Members present included: Matt Cain, Mike Schmidt, Bre Hudson, and Maggie Kenney. Absent was Josh Spain.

M/S: Cain/Schmidt moved to adopt the agenda as presented. On roll call, carried unanimously.

M/S: Cain/Kenney moved to approve the consent agenda. On roll call, carried unanimously. The consent agenda includes minutes of the May 21, 2026 regular meeting, the treasurer's report, financial reports, and the following new bills.

IA Dept of Revenue- WET tax	309.66	ECIA- lagoon project	167.53
IPERS- Wage report	483.91	Hawkins- chlorine	723.39
Employee Salaries	2537.47	J&S Endeavors- fuel	95.61
DeWitt Observer	17.06	Farrell's Lawn Care	700.00
Water Services LLC- water oper.	550.06	Ted VanPatten- mowing	60.00
Clinton County Sheriff contract	949.44	IA League of Cities- dues	410.00
Preston Ambulance services	45.90	Origin Design- lagoon project	19836.62
Meyer Pest Control	40.00	Chem Right Lab- water testing	65.00
Preston Telephone	235.33	Elan Financial CC- supplies	93.94
Alliant Utilities	1859.24	Bernie's Heating & Cooling	95.00
AT Disposal- garbage	1609.75	Heiman Inc- FD	342.24
Access Systems- copier lease	243.03	Cummins- generator	4142.31
Lectronic's- monthly monitoring	40.00	Sarah Beeck- mileage/postage	12.49
FENIX- Data hosting software	135.00	Seth Ashpole- supplies/mileage	283.03
TEST Inc- water testing	25.00	ClerkBooks- software	96.70
MacQueen- FD	855.00	Heiar Painting- xmas lights	280.00
River Valley- LP	1113.75	Smoke & Chrome- FD	455.50
Northway- well	963.06	US Post Office	546.00

Expenses were: General \$17553.11, Insurance \$0, RUT \$1314.10, County Contributions \$0, Local Option Sales Tax \$0, Fire Sinking Fund \$0, ARPA \$0, Water \$3532.00, Water Sinking Fund \$0, Water Trust \$0.00, Sewer \$10840.42, Sewer Sinking Fund \$0, Garbage \$2078.04. Revenues were: General \$4551.16, Insurance \$1108.18, RUT \$2251.52, County Contribution \$0, Local Option Sales Tax \$2993.99, ARPA \$0, Capital Projects Fire Sinking Fund \$0, Water \$150.00, Water Trust \$0, Water Sinking Fund \$0, Sewer \$8576.28, Sewer Sinking Fund \$0, Garbage \$2152.00.

The monthly Sheriff's report was sent in by Sheriff Bill Greenwalt. There were 61:26 total hours logged for the month; 30 calls for service; 0 citations or warnings; 1 case reported.

Water Superintendent Marty Jahn emailed his report in and said all reports and samples have been sent into the DNR, chlorine tank has been repaired, there is a cracked valve again, phosphate injection port was replaced, pump tube repaired, and he had 1 service locate. Everything else is running well.

Sewer Superintendent Seth Ashpole was not present, but informed the clerk everything is good.

Assistant Chief Firefighter Cain was present and said they have had 67 calls for the year. The fire department will have their breakfast fundraiser and BBQ on Saturday.

Bernie's checked our blower motors on the furnaces. Beckwith Roofing caulked two leaks in the roof.

TJ Burken gave a presentation on how he would like to start a non-profit with Charlotte and Goose Lake to improve the communities and parks.

Marc Ruden was present and gave an update on the lagoon project. There is solid bedrock under part of the old lagoon and it will need to be dug out and moved, which is the cheaper option. They couldn't bore under the old lagoon to know there was rock when before the project started.

M/S: Hudson/Cain made a motion to approve Change Order No. 2 for WWTF Improvements 2025 on the bedrock. On roll call, carried unanimously.

M/S: Kenney/Schmidt moved to approve Contract Payment No. 2 for \$54,320.00 for WWTF Improvements 2025. On roll call, carried unanimously.

M/S: Hudson/Cain moved to approve Resolution 9509: Resolution Adopting and Approving Tax Compliance Procedures Relating to Tax-Exempt Bonds. On roll call, carried unanimously.

M/S: Schmidt/Kenney moved to approve Resolution 9510: Resolution to fix date for a public hearing on proposal to enter into a Sewer Revenue Loan and Disbursement Agreement and to borrow money thereunder in a principal amount not to exceed \$750,000. On roll call, carried unanimously. A Public Hearing is set for July 16, 2026, at 7 pm.

M/S: Hudson/Cain moved to approve Resolution 9511: Resolution to fix a date for a public hearing on proposal to enter into a General Obligation Sewer Improvement Loan and Disbursement Agreement and to borrow money thereunder in a principal amount not to exceed \$750,000. On roll call, carried unanimously. A Public Hearing is set for July 16, 2026, at 7 pm.

Council discussed sewer rates and decided to raise sewer rates 1.5%. Clerk will prepare an ordinance.

M/S: Schmidt/Kenney moved to approve the liquor license renewal for J&S Endeavors LLC. On roll call, carried unanimously.

M/S: Kenney/Hudson moved to approve a 3.5% cost of living increase for the City Clerk. On roll call, carried unanimously.

M/S: Cain/Hudson moved to close the road on the parade route for the Northeast Homecoming Parade on 9/18/26. On roll call, carried unanimously.

M/S: Hudson/Kenney moved to approve the quote from Cummins to fix the generator. On roll call, carried unanimously.

Mayor Schoon emailed the contact about water meter endpoints. They will be setting up a meeting.

Mayor Schoon would like to thank the McCoy family for the landscaping around the city sign. It looks great!

M/S: Schmidt/Cain moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:08 pm. On roll call, carried unanimously. The next regular meeting will be held on July 16, 2026 at 7:00 pm at City Hall in Goose Lake.

Kendell Schoon, Mayor

Sarah Beeck, City Clerk