

Town of Covington
Meeting of Covington Town Board
May 12, 2026

The Monthly meeting of Covington Town Board was held on Tuesday May 12th at the Town Hall. Present were Councilpersons Larry Warren, Paul Tobias, Mike Cook and Sharon West. Also present were Supervisor Nathan Rudgers, Clerk Amy Wiedrich, Zoning Officer Alan Rudgers, Highway Superintendent Mike Bell and Water Operator Josh Gardner. Residents John Roll, Jerry Davis, Shirley Warren and Rick Smith were also in attendance.

Supervisor Rudgers opened the floor to public comment, Hearing None, the pledge of allegiance opened the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Last months meeting Sharon questioned the water law lateral restrictions with Ag's and Markets on vacant land. On a motion of Councilperson Warren, seconded by Councilperson Cook the following resolution was

ADOPTED AYES 5 NAYS 0 ABSENT 0 ABSTAIN 0
RESOLVED to approve April 14th minutes as corrected

ZONING- Alan Rudgers

- Alan submitted his monthly report
- Went over sign requirements with Martin Equipment

HIGHWAY-Mike Bell

- Had two (2) come look at the salt barn for the roof but have not received any quotes yet
- Mike has not issued permit for the County internet Pole as where they want to put it as it is too close to the water line
- The new pickup is at the Plow installer
- The existing pickup needs to be declared surplus and decide if we put the truck out front or sell it on auction international. We have done it both ways in the past
- Mike had tractor prices with accessories for the board to review. Decision will depend on what we get from the 2023 pickup

WATER- Josh Gardner

- Generators were serviced last Friday
- Been flushing hydrants

SUPERVISOR-Nathan Rudgers

- Supervisor Rudgers submitted town financial report
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| Highway Checking..... | \$58,629.52 |
| General Checking..... | \$34,232.17 |
| Capital Checking..... | \$250.00 |
| Water District #2..... | \$8,714.78 |
| Trust and Agency..... | \$125,978.28 |
| General Money Market..... | \$3,124.68 |
| Highway Money Market..... | \$291,399.76 |
| TOTAL..... | \$522,329.19 |

- Four (4) poles for the countywide internet have been installed

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- Waste Management had such a successful bulk pickup-they ran out of dumpsters

DEPUTY SUPERVISOR- Paul Tobias

- All bills are paid and cleared
- Ck #9370 is null and void

On a motion of Councilperson Warren, seconded by Councilperson West the following resolution was ADOPTED AYES 5 NAYS 0 ABSENT 0 ABSTAIN 0
RESOLVED to approve paying highway bills 43 thru 52 totaling \$68,721.87

On a motion of Councilperson Cook, seconded by Councilperson Tobias the following resolution was ADOPTED AYES 5 NAYS 0 ABSENT 0 ABSTAIN 0
RESOLVED to approve General Bills 62 thru 79 totaling \$11,643.85 and water bills 16 thru 21 totaling \$13,107.51

NEW BUSINESS

- Thursday May 14th the assessor will be in our office for informal grievance from 9 to 4
- Grievance day will be Thursday May 28th 4 to 8

OLD BUSINESS

- Shirley reminded everyone of the dedication ceremony for Jack McGee will be Thursday May 14th at 10 a.m. on the corner of Route 19 and Wyoming Rd.
- 250th anniversary brochures are out
- Nathan has a call into Dimatteo, Roach & Kelly office regarding lateral restrictions on vacant land for the water and is waiting for a return call.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 pm

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Financial Report as of May 1, 2026

<u>Checking Accounts @ Five Star Bank</u>	<u>MAY 1, 2026</u>	<u>JUNE 1, 2026</u>
Highway Checking	\$ 58,629.52	\$ 75,853.84
General Checking	\$ 34,232.17	\$ 28,105.47
Capital Checking	\$ 250.00	\$ 250.00
Water District #2	\$ 8,714.78	\$ 20,315.52
Trust and Agency Checking	\$125,978.28	\$ 7,522.93
General Money Market	\$ 3,124.68	\$ 3,124.71
Highway Money Market	<u>\$291,399.76</u>	<u>\$191,418.28</u>
Total	\$522,329.19	\$326,590.75
<u>NY Class</u>		
Capital Building Account	\$ 260.95	\$ 261.77
Water District #2	\$ 14,030.58	\$ 14,072.38
General Fund	\$372,232.11	\$373,341.79
Highway Fund	\$337,504.67	\$338,510.85
Buildings and Grounds Capital Fund	<u>\$ 24,984.35</u>	<u>\$ 25,058.83</u>
Total	\$749,012.66	\$751,245.62
<u>Total of All Accounts</u>	\$1,271,341.85	\$1,077,836.37