



WATERFORD CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION

3rd Quarter Minutes 2025

The meeting was called to order by President Mike Stup at 7pm on September 18th 2025, at the Waterford Old School.

The meeting was opened with the reading of the WCA Mission Statement by Roger Smith:

The mission of the Waterford Citizens Association is to foster community action, to further the common good and general welfare of the community, to secure improvements, to preserve its unique history as a Historic Landmark, and to maintain the Waterford Area as a desirable and attractive community in which to live.

Minutes: Mike Stup advised that due to unforeseen circumstances that the minutes of the previous meeting are not yet available but will be put up on the website as soon as the notes are found and written up.

Mike Stup introduced Deputy Gerber who informed those present that there have been 36 traffic stops which have resulted in 40 citations. No accidents were reported during the last quarter. We are starting to see the results of our efforts.

Mike Stup Thanked Deputy Gerber for being the community contact and reminded everyone present that the link to make a traffic is available on the WCA website.

Jonathan Daniel Advised that the slate of executive officers for the WCA that will be voted on at the December meeting is as follows:

Christy Hertel - President

Jane Williams – Vice President

Jill Kadish – Treasurer
Lyn Anderson - Secretary

Mike Stup asked if there were any self nominations from the floor – there were none.

Presidents Report - Mike Stup advised that this is the 4th year that the WCA will be flagging at the Waterford Fair. The Ruitans are managing the sign up. More flaggers are needed, an email providing a link which will indicate slots available will be sent to members. Ann Belland was thanked for her efforts in organizing the 4th July events. Ann Belland will take over as Chair of the Events Committee moving forward.

Preservation Committee Report – Jane Williams advised that there were no updates to report. The RFP is still with the county Lawyers and no meetings were held over the summer.

Waterford Foundation Report – Sue Manch reported that this week was Constitution Week as designated by President Eisenhower. Ann Belland, who is a member of the DAR Mary Hemmings Bell Chapter was present for the ceremony which was carried out at the John Wesley Church.

Ann Belland reported that next year the ceremony may be held during the WCA meeting.

Sue Manch confirmed that everyone was working on last minute preparations for the Waterford Fair and that they are still looking for docents. Tree work will be carried out around the Old School prior to the Fair. The work at the Mill will be made presentable but will not be completed. Work is currently underway for a wooden water wheel. 3 bids have been received for the work on the John Wesley Church. A gift has been received for the provision of new interpretive signage. Residents could collect parking and fair tickets after the meeting. Abby is working of the America 250 commemoration for 2026, if anyone knows of any Revolutionary War links to the village please get in touch with Abby.

Treasurer Report – Christy Hertel reported that membership renewals totaling \$700 were deposited today. Everyone has been reimbursed for their July 4th

expenses and we are in good shape financially. A full finance report will be presented at the next meeting.

Jeff Bean moved to adjourn the meeting, this motion was seconded by Jonathan Daniel and approved by all those present.