

Village of Crooksville
Council Workshop Meeting
May 11, 2026

Mayor Mohler calls the meeting to order with the following council members present: Mr. Hampton, Mr. Loomis, Mr. Redfern, Ms. Smith and Ms. McKinney. Mr. Locke was absent. Lacey Tumblin and Courtney Edwards were also present.

First up on the agenda, Bryan Stanley was supposed to be present but did not show up. He had complained to Lacey about his neighbor (Austin Allen) putting up a fence. Austin had already called in weeks prior to asking if he needed a permit. He was replacing the old fence and putting a new fence in the exact same spot. Mr. Allen's contractor was present to discuss this situation. He states that Mr. Stanley told him that he didn't call in and had no issues. Mrs. Tumblin states that he called in and was yelling at her that the neighbor is stealing his yard and demanded that she come out and look at the pins. She let him know we don't have anything to do with surveying and that he could come to the council meeting tonight. He told Lacey he would have her job, and he was very heated at the conversation. Mrs. Tumblin stated that Mr. Allen took the steps he needed to before starting the fence.

Next, Mrs. Tumblin passed out an email from Javan Johnson with Congressman Balders's office. The Crooksville Waterline Replacement and extension project has been selected as one of the Congressman's top twenty project submissions. This does not mean that the funding is secured. We still have a long way to go, but it is a very good start.

Next up, Mrs. Tumblin stated that the baby pool looks amazing. She reached out to Tim Patterson today and he stated that the filter equipment installation will be the 12th, the electric in the filter room will be the 14th, the fence will be this week. The plan is to fill the pool on the 18th, Ohio Department of Health inspection on the 20th and then the operating training on the 20th.

Next, she had a brief update on the B1/B6. She states that the concrete pads have been laid. The fences are going up. They are working on fine tuning everything to make sure it is working at its full capacity. They will be working on punch list items until everything has been completed.

Next up, Mrs. Tumblin stated that they had their Buckeye St bridge weekly meeting. Mr. Loomis stated that they were going to dig the posts and once that was done it would be at a standstill until they are ready to put the two pieces of concrete in.

Chief Alexander passed out info for the council & states that the village can change or designate different rules for the E bikes, bicycles, scooters, etc. He asked the council if they would like to add any restrictions. They are going to come up with suggestions and revisit this.

Next up Chief Newlon passed out papers with the numbers medicount have given them for what they would collect runs. He states that the average 150 EMS runs a month is about 1800 runs a year. Medicount states that we would collect about \$450 a run. That would average out to about

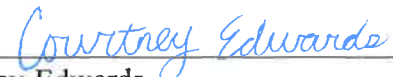
\$810,000 a year. He asked if they could explore the option to hire 2 basics and 2 medics full-time. He states that would be about \$217,000 a year. The council are going to think about it and revisit this as well.

Up next, Mr. Redfern wanted to discuss alley paving. He states that we have some alleys that need paved bad. He states the worst one in his opinion is the alley above Sand St, between Second & Third streets. The alley between Elizabeth and N Buckeye streets and the alley between Vaughn & McKeever streets. He feels that we need to score them somehow and do 2-3 each year. Mayor Mohler stated that we could get an estimate of alleys and storm drains needing done and then bring it to council. They agree Summit, High and Heskett St to start out with to get estimates. Mr. Loomis states his opinion is that we need to just do one at a time, so they do not overwhelm themselves.

Without any further discussion, the meeting is adjourned.



Chris Mohler
Mayor



Courtney Edwards
Fiscal Officer