

**Public Health and Safety Committee Meeting
Monday, July 20, 2026
Red Bud City Hall
Council Chambers (2nd floor)**

Committee Members Present: Bill Hanebutt, Curt Guebert, Patrick Mueller, Kyle Donjon

Committee Members Absent: Bryce Parsons

Council Members Present: Jeremy DeMond, Rodney Nevois

Council Members Absent: Alan Piel

Others Present: Mayor Susan Harbaugh, City Attorney Rebecca Cooper,
City Superintendent Josh Eckart, Code Admin./City
Engineer Jeff Mueller, Admin. Officer Jill Landgraf, Police
Chief John Brittingham, Finance Officer Liz Cowell

Others Absent: City Clerk Joanne Cowell

Committee Chairman Hanebutt called the meeting to order at 6:36 P.M.

Old Business

None

New Business

I. Approval of Prior Month's Meeting Minutes – June 15, 2026

Recommendation made by Committee Chairman Hanebutt, seconded by Committee Member Donjon, to approve the minutes of the June 15, 2026, meeting. Carried

II. Departmental Activity Report

The report was included in the packet. Chief Brittingham was asked to keep the number of golfcart permits separate from the UTV permits.

Discussion was held regarding e-scooters and e-bikes driving too fast. Chief Brittingham said that Illinois has passed new laws which regulate these; therefore, there is no need to pass a city ordinance.

The five-minute drop-off parking spots at the four-way stop were questioned. Brittingham clarified that the program was intended to add one spot beyond the yellow no parking zone and that he and Eckart are working on repainting markings which need adjustments to properly align with regulations. Brittingham will contact 1860 Public House to clarify the needed corrections.

III. Public Comments/Anything for the Good of the City

None

The meeting was adjourned at 6:46 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,

Joanne G. Cowell, City Clerk, Red Bud, Illinois