

MINUTES

PALESTINE VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

SPECIAL MEETING

April 28, 2026

Palestine Board of Trustees met on April 28, 2026, at 4:30 PM. Trustees answering roll call were Mary Michael, Twilla Davis, Staci Rachoy, Scott Campbell and Rikki Callaway.

Visitors present: Eric Erickson, Cliff McBenge, Kristy Camden, and Bret Callaway.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Meeting called to order at 4:30 PM by Mayor David Woods.

Minutes were taken by the Village Clerk, Kerry Watson.

This meeting was called for the purpose of:

1. Discussion and Action of Amending Liquor Classification for Pioneer Spirits and Gambling.

Rikki made a motion to discuss and take action and Mary seconded. The mayor began by explaining the purpose of the meeting and the requests of Pioneer Spirits and Gambling liquor licensing classification. Bret Callaway spoke how he has owned his business in Palestine for 25 years and would like to continue being the only A1 liquor classification holder. Erik Erickson says they do not want to take anything away from the Saratoga, they just want to continue doing what they are doing currently and have the correct licensure and classification to do so. The original license given to Erickson was done in error as an A1, from previous mayor, Rob Byrley. Staci made a motion to update classification to B1, which will cover the consumption of alcohol on the premises from the original package up to 9% alcohol. Roll call was taken by Kerry, voting "yay" was Twilla Davis, Rikki Callaway, Staci Rachoy, Scott Campbell and Mary Michael. Motion carried.

Scott Campbell made a motion to keep the fee of \$1100, Mary Michael seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

With no other business to discuss Rikki made a motion to adjourn at 4:58pm and Mary seconded.

PRESIDENT

CLERK