

Concord Village Voice ♦ June 2026

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Village Meeting Dates and Times

All meetings are held in the Village Commons unless otherwise noted and are open to the public. Come participate in your local government!

The Village Council meets one time per month!!

Village Council: June 9th @ 7:00pm

Parks & Recreation: June 2nd @ 7:00pm

Planning Commission: June 16th @ 6:30pm

Fire Board: June 17th @ 6:00pm - Meeting at Fire House

HAVE YOU HEARD THE NEWS???

Concord is taking steps moving forward on the Village becoming a City!! Do you want to learn more? Stop in to the Village office or check out our website to get more information.

Are you interested in getting the Voice emailed to you? Please email clerk@villageofconcord.com to get added to the email list.

Looking for ways to get involved in volunteering in the community? Please email clerk@villageofconcord.com

Community Garden:

Community Garden keep up every Tuesday @9am. Please come out behind the Methodist church.

Get to know our Village People:

Jeff Jackson: Village Council/Parks Commission

Q: What is the most rewarding experience you've had as a council member?

A: No one thing in particular, but hearing positive comments and remarks about the council and village staff in general from village residents. It affirms to me that our work is noticed and appreciated.

Q: How long have you lived in this community? What is your favorite place or event in the community?

A: We moved to Concord in 1995. My favorite place in the community is Falling Water trails, favorite event is the Concord Classic.

Q: What is a hobby that you enjoy outside of your role as a council member?

A: My classic cars / Hunting

Q: What keeps you in this community?

A: I enjoy the close-knit feeling of a community small enough where people know one another, greet one another, pitch in to help their neighbors, and look after one another.

CUMC'S PAR 3 GOLF OUTING Sat, June 6, 9 am, Whiffletree Hill Golf Course, 15714 Homer Rd. (M-60) Concord.

NON PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS ARE NEEDED FOR THE COMMUNITY BLESSING BOX!

Our motto, Take what you need, leave what you can.

Concord Classic Weekend June 26 - June 28

Friday, June 26th

5:00 pm Food Trucks, Vendors & Bounce Houses Open, Live Music

5:00 pm 4 on 4 Women's Sand Volleyball Tourney

5:30 pm Cornhole sign-up & check-in

5:30 pm Athletic Booster Beer Tent Opens

6:00 pm 2-on-2 Cornhole Tourney (Open Team Tourney)

6:00 pm Youth Baseball Tourney

Saturday, June 27th

9:00 am Pancake Breakfast Concord Community Center (Sponsored by Lego League)

10:00 am Concord Classic Car Show

10:00 am Food Trucks & Vendors Open

Noon Bounce Houses Open, Athletic booster beer tent, Live music

Noon Youth 2 on 2 Cornhole Tourney

1:00 pm Kids Bingo (Community Center)

2:00 pm Whiffle Ball Tourney

3:00 pm Adult Bingo (Community Center)

3:00-6:00 pm Home Run Derby

5:30 pm Cornhole sign-up & check-in

6:00 pm 2 on 2 Cornhole Tourney (Couples Tourney)

Fireworks at Dusk

Sunday, June 28th

9:00 am 2-man 9-hole Scramble at Whiffletree GC

1:00 pm Volleyball (Middle School Youth Tourney)

2:00 pm Live Music

Noon Food Truck, Vendors & Bounce Houses Open

3:30 pm Euchre Tourney (Community Center)

Show up with a partner and play!

SUBJECT TO CHANGE!

Village of Concord Council Minutes

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The Village Council of Concord met on April 14, 2026, at 7:00 pm in the Village Commons Meeting Room.

Council Members Present: J. Bush, J. Jackson, M. Lovitt, C. Laeder and A. Meeks, K. George.

Council Members Absent: T. Thurman.

Public Present: Clerk C. Niceswander, A. Jumeaux, R. Carson, K. Wyatt, D. Saenz and S. Ruddock

For their review, Council Members were e-mailed or given: Bills to be Paid in Amount of \$96,203.15; Revenue & Expense Report thru 03/31/2026; April Village Voice; January Fire Run Report; Concord Area Police Services Blotter; 3/10/2026 Village Council Meeting Proposed Minutes; 4/13/2026 Council Meeting Agenda; Recognize Red Jumueax, Josephine Billings & Shane Holloman for Community Center Cleaning.

Motioned by A. Meeks, seconded by K. George, to accept the minutes from the 3/10/2026 meeting. All were in favor. Motion approved.

Motioned by A. Meeks, seconded by J. Jackson, to pay bills in the amount of \$96,203.15. All were in favor. Motion approved.

Motioned by J. Bush, Seconded by M. Lovitt, to approve the resolution for the second street extension for Act 51. All were in favor. Motion approved.

Public Comments:

K. Wyatt spoke about the Swains Lake sewer project, J. Bush stated that everything on our end was still a go, that we are just waiting to hear from them.

S. Ruddock had questions pertaining to the vacant Jax building. He wanted to know if the Village supports bringing new business into the community. Asking if he could expand the outside pad? Put in a dock? What would the Village require from the business. J. Bush stated anything Council could do to assist we would be open to.

D. Saenz spoke of the DNR coming to the township for a tour. Albion Rd. bridge the earliest it will be started is July 2026 and the latest it will be finished is spring of 2027. Luttenton and Mann Roads will be chip sealed, and a part of Allman Road will get skip paved.

A. Jumeueax announced the Concord Farmers Market meeting on April 22 @ 7 pm. He spoke about the seed library that they will be starting with the Hanover and Concord library. This will be a free resource for the community where you can come into the libraries and get seeds to start your own garden.

J. Bush spoke about the concerns brought to J. Blossom about the trees in the downtown business district needing trimmed. As J. Blossom has done some research, we are not going to trim the trees at this time but may revisit it this fall.

Council Comments:

J. Bush spoke about the Community Events in Community Places program he wants the Council to consider and April 25th we are planting our 16 donated fruit trees in the park.

With no other business to discuss, it was motioned by A. Meeks, seconded by M. Lovitt, to adjourn at 7:35 pm. Motion approved by all.

Approved by Jeremy Bush, Village President

Date

