

**PUBLIC HEARING & REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
WEDNESDAY, MAY 27, 2026, 5:30 P.M.
CIVIC CENTER / CITY HALL**

OFFICER PRESENT: TODD

COUNCIL PRESENT: MAPEL, SPARROW, HARRIS, TOMPKINS

COUNCIL ABSENT: PRIOR

PUBLIC HEARING-FY26 BUDGET AMENDMENT-5:30pm

Sparrow questioned why wage figures were up compared to budget and it was due to overtime.

There being no comments or objections from the audience and none received by the City Clerk, the public hearing was closed by Mayor. 5:31pm

REGULAR MEETING-5:32pm

CONSENT AGENDA

Previous minutes and claims. Liquor license for Family Dollar, 92 Roadhouse, tobacco license for Two Rivers Market, and building permit for Kenan Todd . Motion to approve consent agenda by Harris, second by Mapel. Mapel-yes, Sparrow-yes, Harris-yes, Tompkins-yes. Approved

CITIZEN'S CONCERN-None

RESOLUTION 052726 APPROVE BUDGET AMENDMENT FY26- Motion made by Harris, second by Mapel. Mapel-yes, Sparrow-yes, Harris-yes, Tompkins-yes. Approved

AMBULANCE LOAN DETAILS-Conry quoted loan at bank would be for 12 months, 6% interest, like an operating loan for \$85,000, payments of \$430.00 would balloon at one year. Tompkins asked if they would be able to pay it off in a year, Conry responded yes. Sparrow made motion to approve loan, Harris second. Mapel-yes, Sparrow-yes, Harris-yes, Tompkins-yes. Approved.

SWIMMING POOL ADMISSIONS-Randy Phillips and Jeff Maeder came from the school to ask if the city would once again make a donation to the pool for free admissions for everyone. They gave a financial report over the last few years on the operations. Sparrow asked what some of the big expenses were, Phillips stated they had pumps go down, concrete work on deck, chemicals, pool heater etc....Sparrow commented that the pool is a huge asset to our community and would like to see something in the future of building a new pool. Harris made the motion to give \$10,000 for free admissions for everyone to go to the pool, Sparrow second the motion. Mapel-yes, Sparrow-yes, Harris-yes, Tompkins-yes. Approved

EXCAVATION PERMIT FINE-The city amended an ordinance to require a permit to excavate and wanted to decide on a fine if they did not get a permit. Mayor Todd had looked up some other cities fines. They decided to do a \$250, \$500 and \$750 for each time they break the rule.

PARK WATER FOUNTAINS-Public Works, Jeff Vonnahme, said we need to do something different with the water fountains at the park. They break every year and we put lots of money into them. He talked

with Steve Tomfeld on building some for the city. The council agreed to have him get some quotes from Steve on the cost.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Utilities-Matt Walker is looking into getting Ridge Road sewer repaired and the correct way to approach it.

Streets & Sidewalks-Matt Walker is working on a road plan to fix them in different phases. He will also check into funding and grants available.

Public Safety-Mayor Todd would like to paint lines on North Main to Roundyway for the traffic. North Main is one-way and people tend to drive the wrong way. They would like to paint lines down the alley behind North Main as well for one-way traffic. The city will be advertising for police position.

Library Report-None


Employee Safety & Health-None

Ambulance-None


MAYOR'S REPORT

Mayor Todd told council the city has qualified for the Google grant for the first phase. He would like to decide what to do with the park house at upcoming meetings. Mapel would like to talk about new computer being paid by Roundy Funds.

Motion by Harris, second by Sparrow to adjourn. Meeting adjourned by Mayor.-6:05pm



Mayor



Attest: City Clerk