

## **AGENDA**

AGENDA – City Council Meeting – January 5, 2026  
7:00 P.M. Regular Council Meeting

Invocation  
Pledge of Allegiance  
Roll Call

OMNIBUS VOTE DESIGNATION – Approve:  
Minutes of the Regular meeting held December 15, 2025  
Minutes of the Water Committee meeting held December 18, 2025

Motion to Recommend to the City Council to Accept the resignation letter from Alderman Chris Skultety.

Motion to Recommend to the City Council to Approve low bid of \$10,000.00 for the city owned property at 305 E. Poplar Street.

Motion to Recommend to the City Council to Approve the engagement letter with Hart, Southworh & Witsman.

Motion to Recommend to the City Council to Approve the Non-Bargaining pay increase of 4% to reflect the AFSCME Union Contract beginning January 1, 2026.

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Discussions and/or Motions to approve/adopt and/or deny and/or table and/or amend and/or refer to an appropriate Committee in whole or in part the matters regarding the following subject matters discussed at the Committee level:

#### **Water –**

Motion to Recommend to the City Council to Approve the Water Rate Increase beginning January 1, 2026 and to Direct the City Attorney to Amend the current Ordinance to reflect these changes.

City Attorney Updates

Mayor Updates

Motion to Approve and/or ratify payment of bills (\$143,172.24).

- Per subparagraph (g) of 5 ILCS 120/2.06, this portion of the City Council Meeting is reserved for any person wishing to address the Council on any relevant subject matters concerning the City. The Illinois Open Meetings Act (5 ILCS 120/1 et seq.) mandates NO action shall be taken on subject matters not listed on the agenda, but the Council may direct staff to address the topic or refer the subject matter to a future Council and/or Committee Meeting. If anyone wishes to address the Council, please provide your name and address, limit your comments or presentation to three (3) minutes, and avoid repetitious comments. Thank you.

ADJOURNMENT

cc:	Mayor Barry	Breeze Courier
	All Aldermen	Herald & Review
	Attorney Romano	WTIM
	Crystal Nichols	WICS
	Traci Bentley	WAND
	Andy Goodall	State Journal Register
	Matt Adermann	Chamber of Commerce
	Dwayne Wheeler	Main Street Inc.
	Geoffrey Ortman	NewWave Communications
	Mike Mann	WCFN
	Mike Tennant	Nick Zepin
	Reggie Benton	Damon Moore
		Wesley Withrow