

AGENDA

AGENDA – City Council Meeting – March 2, 2026
7:00 P.M. Regular Council Meeting

Invocation
Pledge of Allegiance
Roll Call

OMNIBUS VOTE DESIGNATION – Approve:
Minutes of the Regular meeting held January 17, 2026
Minutes of the Ordinance Committee meeting held February 19, 2026
Minutes of the Finance Committee meeting held February 19, 2026
Minutes of the Public Facilities Committee meeting held February 26, 2026
Minutes of the Street & Sewer Committee meeting held February 26, 2026

Recognition – FFA State Degree winners

Oath of Office for Chance Dickey - Firefighter

Ordinance – Approving and Authorizing the Execution of the First Amendment to the Business District Redevelopment Agreement by and between the City of Taylorville and Dustin Clark (100-102 N. Main Street).

Ordinance – Amending Section 6-4-1 of Taylorville City Code (i.e. redesignating stop signs at intersection of Cheney Street and Adams Street and at intersection of Cheney Street and Vandever Street).

Resolution – In support of participating in the community project funding program within the City of Taylorville – South Cherokee Street.

Resolution – In support of participating in the community project funding program within the City of Taylorville – Northern Avenue Storm Sewer.

Resolution – In support of participating in the community project funding program within the City of Taylorville – West Spresser Street.

Motion to approve the appointment of Josh Nicol as Water Superintendent.

Motion to approve the amended budget.

Motion to approve the submittal of the Purchase Agreement for Barker Implement, Inc. and Joshua D Weakly; and a Purchase Agreement for Galaxy Trucking Logistics, Inc. for their approval.

Motion to approve the revised Memorandum of Understanding pertaining to the Take Home Squad Vehicles.

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:

Ordinance –

Motion to recommend to the City Council to Direct the City Clerk to prepare an Ordinance Authorizing the Sale of Personal Property Owned by the City of Taylorville (i.e. property from Lake, Cemetery, Water, Street and Sewer Departments).

Motion to recommend to direct the City Attorney to Amend City Code 8-4 to reflect the suggested changes by Superintendent Brune.

Motion to recommend to the City Council to direct the City Attorney to Amend City Code 1-9-14 to reflect the following changes: The Mayor, Human Resources Manager, and Personnel Committee Chair shall meet annually to review and evaluate the current salaries of Non-Bargaining Employees. Following such annual review, the Mayor, Human Resources Manager, and Personnel Committee Chair may recommend an increase, if any, to the annual salaries of the aforesaid officers and employees. Any approved increase shall be applied as determined by the City Council and shall not reduce or otherwise alter the minimum salary base amounts established in City Ordinance No. 4117, which shall remain in full force and effect. The City Council shall retain final authority to approve or deny any recommended salary increase.

Motion to recommend to the City Council to direct the City Attorney to Amend the City Code 1-6-5 to remove Section C "Evaluate all department heads in relation to job performance and pay raises".

Motion to recommend to the City Council to direct the City Attorney to Amend City Code 10-6-2a to allow billboards in the Industrial Zone.

Finance -

Motion to recommend to the City Council to approve the \$10,000.00 requested by the Greater Taylorville Chamber of Commerce for the Chillifest 2026 Event to be taken from the Hotel/Motel line item (010-5-270-915).

Motion to recommend to City Council to approve the Purchase of an Office Desk for Human Resources Office at a price not to exceed \$2,500.00.

Motion to recommend to City Council to approve the Sale of Property located in the Industrial Park with Funds to Return to the BDD Fund.

Public Facilities –

Motion to recommend to City Council to approve the quote and purchase of an EZ-H2O Drinking Fountain for City Hall from Rikki Plumbing in the amount of \$2,480.00.

Street & Sewer –

Motion to recommend to the City Council to approve the purchase of a Komatsu 238 Excavator from Roland Machinery, waiving the statutory bidding process, a cost not to exceed \$270,000.00. Funds to come from Ward 5 Reserve 010-5-410-518.

Motion to recommend to City Council to approve to move forward with preparing specifications for two (2) single-axle dump trucks and one (1) pickup truck.

Motion to recommend to City Council to approve the Engineering Agreement between Benton & Associates and the City of Taylorville for the resurfacing project from Silver St. to Houston Street in the amount of \$89,000.00.

Motion to recommend to City Council to approve bidding process for Concrete, Sidewalks, Curb and Guttering and Fuel.

Motion to recommend to City Council to authorize and direct the Mayor to sign the Engineering Agreement for the Downtown project Phase #2 with Benton & Associate for a total of \$525,000.00; Per the Joint Funding Agreement in which passed on 2-12-26 the City's portion will be \$65,000.00.

City Attorney Updates

Mayor Updates

Motion to recommend to the City Council to accept the Treasurer's Report as presented.

Motion to Approve and/or ratify payment of bills (\$299,802.95).

- 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
	Kelly Hamell	State Journal Register
	Benton & Associates	Chamber of Commerce
	All Superintendents	Main Street Inc.
		Nick Zepin
		Damon Moore
		Wesley Withrow