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Jeremiah Hanley

Steve Jenkins

Marcy Mumford

Carlene Richardson

Lori Wilson

REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL MONDAY APRIL 20TH, 2026 6:00 P.M.

The Regular Meeting of the City Council was held Monday April 20th, 2026 beginning at 6:00 p.m. Mayor Mike Nichols was present and called the meeting to order. David Craig led the pledge of allegiance.

Roll Call:

Present: Alderman Brown
Alderman Hanley
Alderman Jenkins
Alderman Mumford
Alderman Richardson
Alderman Wilson

Absent: None

A quorum was declared.

Public Forum:

None

Community Affairs:

None

Meeting Minutes:

Mayor Nichols looked for a motion to approve the 4/6/2026 City Council meeting minutes.

Alderman Mumford motioned approval of 4/6/2026 City Council meeting minutes, seconded by Alderman Wilson. Upon roll call the vote was:

Ayes: 5 – Brown, Hanley, Mumford, Richardson and Wilson

Nays: 0 – None

Abstain: 1 – Jenkins

Motion declared carried

Officers Reports:

Director of Public Works Staley went over a list of what he has been working on as well as what utility guys have been doing.

Economic Development Director Daughhete gave a Big250 update.

Director Staley also reported that the Resurfacing of Park roads grant has been moved into Federal appropriations. We will now just wait until the budget gets

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signed, hopefully later this year.

New Business:

Alderman Hanley reported that he would like to talk about the donation of our used Siren to the Village of Westfield. After discussion, Attorney Willenborg will prepare a resolution to do this at our next meeting.

Alderman Wilson reported on a Public Utility Committee meeting held on 4/20/2026 where they discussed Utility rates. They will have another meeting on 4/27/2026 at 5:00 to continue this discussion.

Mayor Nichols looked for a motion to go into Executive Session for the purpose of the following subjects, pursuant to 5 ILCS 120/2 (c); Personnel – Section 2 (c) (1); Sale of property 2 (c) (6).

Alderman Hanley motioned to go into Executive Session, seconded by Alderman Mumford.

Upon roll call the vote was:

Ayes: 6 – Brown, Hanley, Jenkins, Mumford, Richardson and Wilson

Nays: 0 – None

Motion declared carried

Executive Session began at 6:13 p.m.

Executive Session ended at 6:49 p.m.

Roll call to resume regular session:

Present: 6 – Brown, Hanley, Jenkins, Mumford, Richardson and Wilson

Absent: 0 – None

Mayor Nichols looked for a motioned to approve the new hire of Kaden Hanley for the Street Department.

Alderman Mumford motioned approval to hire Kaden Hanley, seconded by Alderman Jenkins.

Upon roll call the vote was:

Ayes: 5 – Brown, Jenkins, Mumford, Richardson and Wilson

Nays: 0 – None

Abstain: 1 – Hanley

Motion declared carried

Mayor Nichols looked for a motion to approve Ordinance #619: Appointment Ordinance, which includes a 4% salary increase for appointed officials.

Alderman Jenkins motioned approval of Ordinance #619, seconded by Alderman Hanley. Upon roll call the vote was:

Ayes: 5 – Brown, Hanley, Jenkins, Mumford, and Richardson

Nays: 1 – Wilson

Motion declared carried

Unfinished Business:

Alderman Jenkins reported on the Finance Committee meeting held on 4/7/2026 where they continued FY27 Appropriations.

Alderman Reports:

Alderman Jenkins reported a Alley Light out to Director Staley.

Alderman Wilson asked about a round a bout at the intersection of 40/49.

Alderman Mumford called an Economic Development Committee meeting for 4/29/2026 at 5:15 p.m.

Mayor Report:

Mayor Nichols gave a report on some of the things he has been working on lately.

There was no further Business of the City Council for the April 20th, 2026 Council Meeting.

Adjournment:

Alderman Hanley motioned to adjourn, seconded by Alderman Mumford. Upon roll call the vote was:

Ayes: 6 – Brown, Hanley, Jenkins, Mumford, Richardson, and Wilson

Nays: 0 – None

Motion declared carried

Adjournment of the City Council was at 7:01 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by; Jeremy Mumford, City Clerk