



AGENDA FOR JANUARY 7TH, 2026
BALDWIN CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING
7:00 p.m.
(Revised 1/2/2026)

7:00 p.m. Call to Order

- a. Pledge of Allegiance
- b. Additions/Corrections to Agenda
- c. Approval of Regular Meeting Agenda With/Without Additions/Corrections

Treasurer's Report:

Sheriff's Report:

Fire Department Report:

- a. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove Leave of Absence (LOA) for Assistant Chief; Robin Fischer
- b. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove Proposal from Stinson Electric for \$6495.00
- c. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove Brandon Larson Resignation

Public Comment Requests:

Approval of Consent Agenda *(Items on Consent Agenda are reviewed in total by the City Council and may be approved through one motion. Any item on the Consent Agenda may be removed by any of the City Council Members for separate consideration.)*

- Re-Approve City Council Meeting Minutes for December 1st, 2025
- Approve Special City Council Meeting Minutes for December 8th, 2025
- Approve Resolution 26-02; Adopting the 2026 Final Budget
- Approve Security Reduction for Northland Ponds as Recommended by Acting City Engineer
- Approve Quote from M-R Signs for \$679.58
- Approve Deputy Clerk Attending Ehler's Minnesota Public Finance Seminar February 5th and 6th, 2026

Planning Items:

- a. Discuss Code Enforcement Process

Park Committee Report – Tom Rush

Cemetery Update – Tom Rush

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Tabled Items:

- a. Discuss Expenditure Policy for Public Works – Tom Rush
- b. Discuss City Council Goals for 2026 – Jay Swanson

New Business:

- a. Discuss Landscape and Driveway Escrow Agreement for Betzler Builders – Jeff Holm
- b. Discuss Time Tracking Method – Jeff Holm
- c. Discuss City Council Re-Organization – Jay Swanson
- d. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove Resolution 26-01; Making Appointments to Certain Offices and Positions Within the City of Baldwin for 2026 – Jay Swanson
- e. Schedule Board of Audit – Jay Swanson
- f. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove January Newsletter – Clerk
- g. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove NSU Summary of Needs and Findings – Jay Swanson
- h. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove Exhaust Manifold/Gasket Quotes for Truck # 30 – Alan Walker

Announcements:

- a. Public Works Attending MN Equipment Show Thursday, January 8th from 8:00 – 1:00
- b. Special Planning Commission Meeting Wednesday, January 14th, 2026 at 7:00 p.m.
- c. Park Committee Meeting Thursday, January 15th, 2026 at 7:00 p.m.
- d. City Hall Closed Monday, January 19th, 2026 in Observance of Martin Luther King Day
- e. Next City Council Meeting Wednesday, January 21st, 2026 at 7:00 p.m.
- f. Baldwin/Blue Hill Township Fire Contract Meeting Monday, February 2nd, 2026 at 7:00 p.m.
- g. Local Board of Appeal and Equalization April 16th, 2026 at 3:00 p.m.

Any Other Business:**Approve Bills for Payment:****Adjourn:**