



December 1, 2025  
Common Council

**Present:**

Mike Hartman, Mayor  
Kristie Laub, Council District 2  
Darren Alloway, Council District 3, Council President  
Gale Ryan, Council District 4  
Angela Eck, Clerk-Treasurer  
Gavyn Aden, Wastewater Superintendent  
Andy Cintron, Water Superintendent  
Braxton Minkey, IT Specialist  
Stuart Mutzfeld, Code Enforcement  
Andrew Provines, City Planner  
Donald Stuckey, City Attorney  
Kris Tadsen, Street Superintendent  
Matt Traster, Police Chief

**Absent:**

Council At Large Seat: Vacant  
Tracey Hawkins, Council District 1  
Ron Mausteller, Fire Chief

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Mayor Hartman opened the regular session of the Common Council at 7:12 pm at 215 South Broadway.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

Mayor Hartman asked for comments or questions from the audience pertaining to the agenda items. None

Mayor Hartman reminded everyone in attendance that all meetings are recorded and to please not speak over anyone and not to have any side conversations.

The minutes from the November 17<sup>th</sup> meeting were presented. Council Member Laub made a motion to approve the minutes and Council Member Alloway seconded the motion. The motion passed with all in favor.



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Resolution 25-671, Update to Credit Card Policy was presented. The items highlighted in blue are from the ordinance committee and the items in yellow are from the clerk-treasurer. There was discussion. Council Member Laub made a motion to approve the resolution with Council Member Ryan seconding. The motion passed with all in favor.

City Planner Andrew Provines reported that the ETJ would be presented to the DeKalb County Commissions at their next meeting on December 8<sup>th</sup>.

Mayor Hartman stated that the Redevelopment Commission meets tomorrow at 6 pm.

IT Specialist Braxton Minkey reported that Surf Internet is live at the water tower now. This new connection will allow him to finally isolate where issues within the network exist.

Wastewater Superintendent Gavyn Aden reported that the SDI Lift Station overflowed last Monday. American Pump has managed to get it running again in backup mode.

Clerk-Treasurer Eck stated that it is time for all elected officials to certify that they are following the City's Anti-Nepotism and Contracting rules. This is an annual certification.

Mayor Hartman reported that he received a letter from INDOT this afternoon stating that the City was awarded a CCMG Grant, which provided \$540,000 for street paving.

Council Member Ryan made a motion to adjourn at 7:24 pm and Council Member Laub seconded the motion. The motion passed with all in favor.

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Mayor

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A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Angela M. Eck".

Clerk-Treasurer