

Greenwood Council Meeting
Wednesday, May 20, 2026 at 6:00pm
Council Chambers

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Hansen. Oath of office was given to newly elected officials Tracy Nelson- Ward 1 Alderperson, Ryan Ashbeck- Ward 2 Alderperson, and Dave Hansen- Mayor. Roll call- Behrens, Hinker, Ashbeck, and Nelson all present. Also present Clerk/ Treasurer Kayla Schar, Attorney Bonnie Wachsmuth, Utility Director Trent Johnson, Public Works Director Eddie Herrick, Chief of Police Andrew Kohnert, and representatives from Clark County Pleasure Riders.

Public Comment:

1. Amanda Nitz from the Clark County Pleasure Riders would like to have a meeting with the Planning and Zoning Commission to discuss amending their current lease with the City to include additional adjoining property to use to run their horses through obstacle courses and additional training. Planning and Zoning will meet in June to discuss.

New Business:

1. Ashbeck motioned to approve the appointments as listed below:

City Clerk/ Treasurer- Kayla Schar	Cemetery Sexton- Eddie Herrick
Chief of Police- Andrew Kohnert	Health Officer- Clark County
City Attorney- Bonnie Wachsmuth	Emergency Government Official- Del Horn

Behrens seconded the motion. All ayes. Motion carried.
2. Ashbeck motioned to nominate Dean Hinker as Council president. Nelson seconded the motion. All ayes motion carried.
3. Behrens motioned to approve the committees and boards as recommended by Mayor Hansen. Nelson seconded the motion. All ayes. Motion carried.
4. Ashbeck motioned to approve Forward Bank and State Investment Pool as the Official depositories for the city. Nelson seconded the motion. All ayes. Motion carried.
5. Ashbeck motioned to approve the bid overlayment of Hunt Street up to \$20,000 of General funds with American Asphalt. Hinker seconded the motion. All ayes. Motion carried.
6. Nelson motioned to approve repairing the front plow on 2005 dump truck as recommended by the Public Works committee. Ashbeck seconded the motion. All ayes. Motion carried.
7. Hinker motioned to approve expanding the Greenwood Area Library bathroom to make it ADA compliant generously funded by Don and Judith Pentz. Gardner Carpentry to complete the work by end of 2027. Clerk Schar will write up a grant request for \$25,000 from Forward Bank to complete additional updates to the Greenwood Area Library to include flooring, updated electrical, and windows. If the grant is approved the work will be completed by end of 2026. Ashbeck seconded the motion. All ayes. Motion carried.
8. Behrens motioned to approve amending ordinance 2-2-10 (B) Meetings to read as follows: *Regular meetings of the Common Council shall be held on the 3rd Wednesday of every month commencing at 6:00 P.M. Any regular meeting falling on a legal holiday, shall be rescheduled or cancelled by a majority vote of those present at the meeting immediately prior to the meeting falling on a legal holiday. All meetings of the Common Council, including special and adjourned meetings, shall be held in the Greenwood City Hall unless otherwise noted.* Hinker seconded the motion. All ayes. Motion carried.
9. Behrens motioned to approve amending ordinance 2-1-3 (C) Central Polling Place to read as follows: *The Greenwood City Hall located at 201 S Main Street, Greenwood, Wisconsin, shall be the central polling place for all wards of the City of Greenwood, unless otherwise designated by the Common Council, at least ten (10) days before the election at which another central polling place is to be used, pursuant to Wis. Stats. § 5.25.* Nelson seconded the motion. All ayes. Motion carried.

10. Hinker motioned to approve closing the Revolving Loan Bank account at Forward Bank. Nelson seconded the motion. All ayes. Motion carried.
11. Behrens motioned to approve a 7-year contract with TimeClockPlus at \$778.88 annually. Ashbeck seconded the motion. All ayes. Motion carried.
12. Ashbeck motioned to approve the bills and vouchers as presented. Behrens seconded the motion. Roll call vote. All ayes. Motion carried.
13. Behrens motioned to approve the minutes as written. Nelson seconded the motion. All ayes, Behrens abstained. Motion carried.

Closed Session:

Closed Session pursuant to S.S. 19.85 (1)(g) Wis. Stats. for the purpose of conferring with legal counsel for the governmental body who is rendering oral or written advice concerning strategy to be adopted by the body with respect to litigation in which it is or is likely to become involved, specifically to further discuss Attorney letter regarding surveys.

1. Nelson motioned to invite Attorney Bonnie Wachsmuth and City Clerk Kayla Schar into closed session. Behrens seconded the motion. Roll call vote. All ayes. Motion carried.
2. Nelson motioned to enter into closed session. Behrens seconded the motion. Roll call vote. All ayes. Motion carried.
3. Behrens motioned to adjourn closed session and reconvene into open session. Hinker seconded the motion. Roll call vote. All ayes. Motion carried.

Adjourn:

1. Behrens motioned to adjourn. Nelson seconded the motion. All ayes. Motion carried.

Kayla Schar
Clerk/ Treasurer