

THE CITY OF HURON, OHIO
Proceedings of the Huron City Council
Regular Meeting Tuesday, September 22, 2026 at 6:30pm

Call to Order

Mayor Monty Tapp called the regular Council meeting of September 22, 2026 to order at 6:30pm. The Mayor called for a moment of silence. After the moment of silence, the Mayor led in saying the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll Call

The Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll for the regular meeting of Council. The following members of Council answered present: **Joe Dike, Sam Artino, Monty Tapp, Mark Claus, Tom Harris and Joel Hagy.** Council member absent: **William Biddlecombe.**

Motion

Motino by Mr. Claus to excuse the absence of Mr. Biddlecombe.

The Mayor asked if there were any questions on the motion. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Claus, Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp (6)

NAYS: None (0)

There being a majority in favor, Councilman Biddlecombe's absence was excused.

Staff in attendance: City Manager Stuart Hamilton, Assistant Law Director Gary Ebert, Finance Director Isaac Phillips, Police Chief Terry Graham, Fire Chief Kevin McGraw, Parks and Recreation Director Doug Steinwart, and Terri Welkener, Clerk of Council.

Approval of Minutes

Motion

Motion by Mr. Dike to approve the minutes of the September 8, 2026 regular Council meeting, as written.

The Mayor asked if there were any questions on the motion. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Dike, Artino, Tapp, Claus, Harris, Hagy (6)

NAYS: None (0)

There being a majority in favor, the motion passed.

Audience Comments

The Mayor directed members of the audience having comments to approach the podium, state their name and address Council, and advised that they would have 3 minutes to make their comments.

No public comments were received.

Old Business

None.

New Business**Ordinance No. 2026-29**

Motion by Mr. Hagy that the three-reading rule be waived and Ordinance No. 2026-29 (AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF BONDS IN THE MAXIMUM PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$4,000,000 TO PAY COSTS RELATING TO THE CONAGRA NEW STONE REVETMENT PROJECT, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 165.01 OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CREATING OR PRESERVING JOBS AND EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES AND IMPROVING THE ECONOMIC WELFARE OF THE CITY AND ITS RESIDENTS AND THE STATE OF OHIO; PROVIDING FOR THE PLEDGE FOR THAT PURPOSE OF CERTAIN NONTAX REVENUES; ESTABLISHING AN ACCOUNT OR FUND OF THE CITY; APPROVING RELATED DOCUMENTS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY) be placed on its first reading.

The Mayor asked if there were any questions on the motion. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp, Claus, Harris (6)

NAYS: None (0)

There being five or more votes in favor, the three-reading rule was waived, and Ordinance No. 2026-29 was placed upon its first reading. The Assistant Law Director read the Ordinance by its title only.

Motion by Mr. Hagy to place Ordinance No. 2026-29 as an emergency measure.

The Mayor asked if there were any questions on the motion. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp, Claus, Harris (6)

NAYS: None (0)

There being five or more votes in favor, motion passed and Ordinance No. 2026-29 was placed as an emergency measure.

Finance Director Isaac Phillips presented the details of the proposed bond issuance. The bond would be structured as a 20-year term at an assumed interest rate of 5.1%, generating an annual debt service payment of approximately \$326,000. Projected annual TIF revenue of \$472,000 would service the debt, with 25% of that revenue allocated to the school district and 12.5% to the Erie County Regional Planning

Commission (EOB). After those distributions and the debt service payment, an estimated \$20,000 annual surplus was projected, though Phillips emphasized these are projections.

Of the \$4,000,000 bond proceeds, Phillips outlined the following allocation: \$3,200,000 for construction; \$500,000 to reimburse the City for design and engineering costs already incurred; \$200,000 for cost of issuance; and \$100,000 (2.5%) as a contingency reserve for potential change orders or delays in TIF revenue.

Councilmember Hagy asked whether the bond could be paid off early, noting that based on the projected surplus figures, it could potentially be retired in 12 to 13 years. Finance Director Phillips confirmed that a call option would be available three years from issuance, allowing for early payoff.

The Mayor asked if there were further questions. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on final adoption. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp, Claus, Harris (6)
NAYS: None (0)

There being a majority in favor, Ordinance No. 2026-29 was adopted. The Ordinance as adopted was signed by the Mayor and Clerk of Council and will take effect immediately.

Ordinance No. 2026-30

Motion by Mr. Harris that the three-reading rule be waived and Ordinance No. 2026-30 (AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER'S EXECUTION OF AN EASEMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN ARDAGH METAL PACKAGING USA CORP. AND THE CITY OF HURON, GRANTING TO THE CITY OF HURON THE RIGHT TO ERECT, CONSTRUCT, INSTALL AND LAY, AND THEREAFTER, USE, OPERATE, INSPECT, TEST, MAINTAIN, REPAIR, REPLACE, AND REMOVE AND RELOCATE ALL ABOVE-GROUND AND SUB-SURFACE ELECTRICAL LINES (INCLUDING ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS, SERVICE CONNECTIONS, METERS AND OTHER APPURTENANCES) ON, OVER, UNDER AND ACROSS PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY OF HURON IDENTIFIED AS PART OF ERIE COUNTY, OHIO PERMANENT PARCEL NUMBERS 42-02021.000 AND 42-02021.002; AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE RECORDATION OF SAID EASEMENTS WITH THE ERIE COUNTY, OHIO RECORDER; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY) be placed on its first reading.

The Mayor asked if there were any questions on the motion. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp, Claus (6)
NAYS: None (0)

There being five or more votes in favor, the three-reading rule was waived, and Ordinance No. 2026-30 was placed upon its first reading. The Assistant Law Director read the Ordinance by its title only.

Motion by Mr. Harris to place Ordinance No. 2026-30 as an emergency measure.

The Mayor asked if there were any questions on the motion. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp, Claus (6)
NAYS: None (0)

There being five or more votes in favor, motion passed and Ordinance No. 2026-30 was placed as an emergency measure.

City Manager Stuart Hamilton provided context for the ordinance. Originally, FirstEnergy was to supply power to the new 2.0-million-gallon elevated water tower located on the Ardagh site. However, FirstEnergy and Ardagh could not reach agreement on liability, resulting in Ardagh declining to grant FirstEnergy a utility easement. The City then pivoted to take the easement from Ardagh directly. Under the new arrangement, FirstEnergy will drop their meter at their pole, and the City will own the remaining infrastructure. City Manager Hamilton noted this arrangement also strategically positions Huron Public Power (HPP) to assume service when it eventually extends down Sawmill Parkway, as the City will already own the easement and infrastructure. City Manager Hamilton praised Ardagh as an exemplary partner throughout the process, highlighting their cooperation in providing access easements and land.

The Mayor asked if there were further questions. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on final adoption. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp, Claus (6)
NAYS: None (0)

There being a majority in favor, Ordinance No. 2026-30 was adopted. The Ordinance as adopted was signed by the Mayor and Clerk of Council and will take effect immediately.

Resolution No. 81-2026

Motion by Mr. Tapp that the three-reading rule be waived and Resolution No. 81-2026 (A RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE CITY MANAGER'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE PROPOSAL AND ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH GUARDIAN FOR THE PROVISION OF DENTAL INSURANCE COVERAGE THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2027) be placed on its first reading.

The Mayor asked if there were any questions on the motion. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Tapp, Claus, Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino (6)
NAYS: None (0)

There being five or more votes in favor, Resolution No. 81-2026 was placed upon its first reading. The Assistant Law Director read the Resolution by its title only.

City Manager Hamilton prefaced his remarks by noting he would address Resolutions 81-, 82-, and 83-2026 together, as all three are employee benefit-related. He also acknowledged Clerk of Council Terri Welkener for her extensive work in managing the City's benefits enrollment and negotiations, crediting her with the savings achieved across all three agreements.

Regarding Resolution 81-2026, Hamilton reported the City is consolidating ancillary benefits under a single provider, Guardian, achieving a 14% savings on dental coverage — approximately \$7,000 in annual savings — for the same level of coverage as previously provided.

The Mayor asked if there were further questions. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Tapp, Claus, Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino (6)
NAYS: None (0)

There being a majority in favor, Resolution No. 81-2026 was adopted. The Resolution as adopted was signed by the Mayor and Clerk of Council and will take effect immediately.

Resolution No. 82-2026

Motion by Mr. Tapp that the three-reading rule be waived and Resolution No. 82-2026 (A RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE CITY MANAGER'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE PROPOSAL AND ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH GUARDIAN FOR THE PROVISION OF VISION INSURANCE COVERAGE THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2027) be placed on its first reading.

The Mayor asked if there were any questions on the motion. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Tapp, Claus, Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino (6)
NAYS: None (0)

There being five or more votes in favor, the three-reading rule was waived, and Resolution No. 82-2026 was placed upon its first reading. The Assistant Law Director read the Resolution by its title only.

City Manager Hamilton reported that vision coverage was also moved to Guardian, achieving approximately 50% savings by consolidating it with the dental coverage under the same provider, while maintaining the same level of benefits.

The Mayor asked if there were further questions. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on final adoption. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Tapp, Claus, Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino (6)
NAYS: None (0)

There being a majority in favor, Resolution No. 82-2026 was adopted. The Resolution as adopted was signed by the Mayor and Clerk of Council and will take effect immediately.

Resolution No. 83-2026

Motion by Mr. Tapp that the three-reading rule be waived and Resolution No. 83-2026 (A RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE CITY MANAGER'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE PROPOSAL AND EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT WITH ARLO/COVET HEALTH FOR THE PROVISION OF MEDICAL HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FROM OCTOBER 1, 2026 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2027) be placed on its first reading.

The Mayor asked if there were any questions on the motion. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Tapp, Claus, Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino (6)

NAYS: None (0)

There being five or more votes in favor, the three-reading rule was waived, and Resolution No. 83-2026 was placed upon its first reading. The Assistant Law Director read the Resolution by its title only.

City Manager Hamilton reported that the City's main medical and prescription insurance provider initially proposed a rate increase of nearly 30% when first approached in July. The City declined and asked the provider to explore alternatives. The provider returned with a new funding backer and a revised increase of 12.7%, which Hamilton characterized as a favorable renewal in the current benefits market. He noted that per the terms of last year's union negotiations, the City agreed to absorb any increase below 25%, meaning the full 12.7% increase — approximately \$150,000 — will be covered by the City. Hamilton confirmed the City has budgeted for this increase and maintains a sufficient healthcare account balance.

The Mayor asked if there were further questions. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on final adoption. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Tapp, Claus, Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino (6)

NAYS: None (0)

There being a majority in favor, Resolution No. 83-2026 was adopted. The Resolution as adopted was signed by the Mayor and Clerk of Council and will take effect immediately.

Resolution No. 84-2026

Motion by Mr. Claus that the three-reading rule be waived and Resolution No. 84-2026 (A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE HURON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR PROVISION OF A MONETARY CONTRIBUTION TO THE CITY OF HURON IN SUPPORT OF THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT FOR THE 2026 CALENDAR YEAR IN THE AMOUNT OF ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-THREE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN AND XX/100 DOLLARS (\$123,367.00)) be placed on its first reading.

The Mayor asked if there were any questions on the motion. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Claus, Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp (6)

NAYS: None (0)

There being five or more votes in favor, the three-reading rule was waived, and Resolution No. 84-2026 was placed upon its first reading. The Assistant Law Director read the Resolution by its title only.

Parks and Recreation Director Doug Steinwart explained that following the dissolution of the Huron Recreation District (HRD) and the formation of the new Parks & Recreation Advisory Board, Huron Township chose to maintain its commitment to funding recreational services for Township and City

residents. The agreement holds the Township's contribution at the same rate as the previous two years (\$123,367.00).

The Mayor asked if there were further questions. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on final adoption. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Claus, Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp (6)
NAYS: None (0)

There being a majority in favor, Resolution No. 84-2026 was adopted. The Resolution as adopted was signed by the Mayor and Clerk of Council and will take effect immediately.

Resolution No. 85-2026

Motion by Mr. Hagy that the three-reading rule be waived and Resolution No. 85-2026 (A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO AWARD THE BASE BID AND ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH SHORELINE CONTRACTORS LLC FOR PROFESSIONAL CONSTRUCTION SERVICES RELATING TO THE NEW STONE REVETMENT AT THE FORMER CONAGRA PROPERTY PROJECT IN THE AMOUNT OF THREE MILLION TWO HUNDRED THREE THOUSAND FORTY-THREE AND 50/100 (\$3,203,043.50)) be placed on its first reading.

The Mayor asked if there were any questions on the motion. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp, Claus, Harris (6)
NAYS: None (0)

There being five or more votes in favor, the three-reading rule was waived, and Resolution No. 85-2026 was placed upon its first reading. The Assistant Law Director read the Resolution by its title only.

City Manager Hamilton reported that the project was publicly bid with an engineer's estimate ranging between \$4,700,000 and \$5,300,000. Bids were opened on September 2nd and ranged from \$3,200,000 to \$5,600,000. The lowest and best bid of \$3,203,043 was submitted by Shoreline Contractors LLC, a local company. Hamilton noted that all bids were reviewed and determined to be compliant. The project must be completed by March of next year, in advance of the developer beginning home sales on the Conagra (Huron Harbor) site. Hamilton expressed confidence in the timeline, noting the seawall work is well-suited for winter construction as it is performed from land with little to no water work required.

Councilmember Claus inquired whether the completion deadline is written into the contract and whether any penalty clauses exist. City Manager Hamilton confirmed the deadline is contractually specified, though a formal penalty clause is not included. Councilmember Claus also confirmed that Shoreline Contractors is the same firm that was awarded the Boat Basin project. Several Council members expressed satisfaction that a local contractor submitted the winning bid and that the bids came in significantly below the engineer's estimate.

The Mayor asked if there were further questions. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on final adoption. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp, Claus, Harris (6)

NAYS: None (0)

There being a majority in favor, Resolution No. 85-2026 was adopted. The Resolution as adopted was signed by the Mayor and Clerk of Council and will take effect immediately.

Resolution No. 86-2026

Motion by Mr. Claus that the three-reading rule be waived and Resolution No. 86-2026 (A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE MYLANDER FOUNDATION FOR THE PURCHASE OF A NEW OUTDOOR SOUND SYSTEM FOR THE HURON BOAT BASIN AMPHITHEATER IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED THREE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE AND XX/100 DOLLARS (\$3,365.00); AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACCEPT SAID GRANT AWARD IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED THREE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE AND XX/100 DOLLARS (\$3,365.00), SHOULD THE APPLICATION BE SUCCESSFUL) be placed on its first reading.

The Mayor asked if there were any questions on the motion. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Claus, Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp (6)

NAYS: None (0)

There being five or more votes in favor, the three-reading rule was waived, and Resolution No. 86-2026 was placed upon its first reading. The Assistant Law Director read the Resolution by its title only.

Parks and Recreation Director Steinwart described the grant opportunity through the Mylander Foundation to purchase a seasonal outdoor sound system for the amphitheater. The system would include speakers mounted under the canopy and an outdoor equipment enclosure housing microphones, amplifiers, and associated components. The system would serve the Movies by the River series, Arts at the Amphitheater programming, and any organization utilizing the amphitheater. Steinwart noted that the City successfully applied to the same grant program in the prior year, receiving a projector and screen, and this application would complete a two-year equipment upgrade cycle. The grant application deadline is October 1st.

Councilmember Claus asked for clarification on the system's capabilities, and Director Steinwart confirmed it is designed for background music and microphone use — not for amplified band performances, for which groups would continue to bring their own equipment.

The Mayor asked if there were further questions. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on final adoption. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Claus, Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp (6)

NAYS: None (0)

There being a majority in favor, Resolution No. 86-2026 was adopted. The Resolution as adopted was signed by the Mayor and Clerk of Council and will take effect immediately.

City Manager's Discussion

The City Manager spoke on several topics:

ConAgra / Huron Harbor Development: Hamilton advised Council that the former ConAgra site will henceforth be referred to by its new name, Huron Harbor. The developer has mobilized, leveled the site, and recently received approvals from the EPA, which will allow utility installation to begin — including sanitary, storm, and water infrastructure. Hamilton noted that coordination between the seawall contractor (Shoreline Contractors) and the developer's crews will be critical as heavy equipment from both projects will be operating on the same site simultaneously. A pre-construction meeting with all contractors will be held once Shoreline is under contract.

Councilmember Harris asked about the storm water management plan for the Huron Harbor site, specifically whether any retention or filtration would be in place before runoff enters the river. City Manager Hamilton clarified that given EPA restrictions preventing excavation below five feet on the brownfields site, underground retention is not feasible. Storm water will drain directly into the river in a manner consistent with how the City's existing storm infrastructure discharges to Lake Erie.

Main Street Streetscape: Main Street is currently closed to through traffic but remains open to local business traffic southbound. Hamilton acknowledged there have been some early communication challenges with affected businesses but indicated those have been largely resolved. He outlined that businesses whose only access is via Main Street will retain that access except during concrete pouring and curing operations, for which 48 hours' notice will be provided. During those periods — estimated at up to four days — neighboring businesses have volunteered use of their parking lots to accommodate customers. Hamilton projected that the road closure phase of the project should be completed by Thanksgiving, as cold weather will preclude further concrete and asphalt work, though the broader project is scheduled for completion by March 15th.

Councilmember Harris sought clarification on the four-day concrete cure time, noting that seven days has traditionally been the standard. City Manager Hamilton explained the City is exploring switching to a mix with a shorter cure time; if that material is not used, the closure would extend to a full week.

Councilmember Dike raised a concern about a road closure sign that had been posted unnecessarily at Bogart and William Streets. City Manager Hamilton confirmed the sign had been identified as erroneous the previous evening and was removed by the contractor that morning. Councilmember Dike also asked for a general project timeline; Hamilton reiterated that road closures should conclude by Thanksgiving and the full project by March 15th.

Transient Rentals (Short-Term Rentals): At the request of residents who will be unavailable for the first October meeting, the first public work session on transient rental (short-term rental) regulations has been moved to the second Council meeting in October, with a second work session tentatively scheduled for the second November meeting. Work sessions will begin at 5:00 PM and will be broadly publicized through the City, Sandusky Register, social media, the City website, and potentially text alerts.

Safety Services — Retirements and Promotions: City Manager Hamilton announced that Captain Mike Hohler will retire on September 25th after 33 years of service with the City. He also noted that Captain Doug Nash is expected to retire in early 2027. As a result of upcoming retirements, the City's promotional

process for lieutenants and captains is ongoing. Two lieutenants and two captains are expected to be promoted from the current eligibility list, with administrative interviews to take place shortly and promotion decisions anticipated around October 5th. The City also continues to accept applications for full-time firefighter positions to backfill those being promoted.

Budget Season: City Manager Hamilton reminded Council and the public that all budget meetings are open to the public. The schedule is as follows: Community Development — October 19th; Services (streets, water, electric, storm water, garbage, street lighting) — October 26th; Public Safety (police, fire, court) — November 2nd; Debt, Capital, General Fund and other funds — November 10th. Additional dates have been reserved if needed.

Service Department: City Manager Hamilton recognized Terry Ochs on his retirement after 40 years of service with the City.

Water Distribution: Staff are conducting hydrant flushing by zone. Zone 1 is complete and Zones 2 and 5 are underway. Residents experiencing pressure drops or discolored water were advised to contact the water department. Hamilton reminded residents to give workers space while operating within the right of way.

Road Resurfacing: Riverside Drive, described as the worst road in the city, is scheduled for resurfacing this fall. The project was awarded to Erie Blacktop in the amount of \$187,810. A specific start date has not yet been set, pending the contractor completing larger active projects.

Upcoming Meetings: City Manager Hamilton outlined a full schedule of October meetings, including a Utilities Committee meeting (October 7th), a BZA meeting (October 12th), a public hearing on Chapter 1133 amendments (October 13th), council meetings (October 13th and 27th), finance committee budget meetings (October 19th and 26th), a Planning Commission meeting (October 21st), a Records Commission meeting (October 27th), and the transient rental work session (October 27th at 5:00 PM).

Mayor's Discussion

Mayor Tapp offered congratulations to Captain Mike Hohler on his retirement, noting that he was among the youngest full-time firefighters hired by the City when he joined at age 19 or 20, and that the two had served on the same shift. Mayor Tapp also congratulated Terry Ochs on 40 years of service and expressed appreciation for the Township's ongoing partnership with the City's Parks and Recreation Department. He thanked Clerk Welkener for her work on benefits. Mayor Tapp addressed the broader community regarding construction disruptions, urging patience and acknowledging that staff and elected officials navigate the same inconveniences. He closed by extending condolences on behalf of Council to the family of Mike McDevitt, a long-tenured community member, veteran, and supporter of Huron school athletics, who recently passed away at the age of 92.

For the Good of the Order

Councilmember Hagy and Councilmember Harris each extended congratulations to Captain Hohler and Terry Ochs on their retirements. Councilmember Harris encouraged residents to view construction inconveniences as a necessary part of improving the City. Councilmember Claus and Councilmember Artino likewise congratulated both retirees and thanked them for their years of service. Councilmember

Dike expressed appreciation for the insurance savings achieved this year, praised the City's partnership with Huron Township, and encouraged residents with opinions on short-term rental regulations to attend the October 27th work session. Councilmember Dike also extended condolences to the McDevitt family and congratulated Terry Ochs and Captain Hohler on their retirements.

Executive Session

None.

Adjournment

Motion by Mr. Harris to adjourn the regular meeting of Council.

The Mayor asked if there were any questions on the motion. There being none, the Mayor directed the Clerk to call the roll on the motion. Members of Council voted as follows:

YEAS: Harris, Hagy, Dike, Artino, Tapp, Claus (7)

NAYS: None (0)

There being a majority in favor of the motion, the regular Council meeting of September 22, 2026, was adjourned at 7:16pm.

Adopted: _____

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Terr S. Welkener, Clerk of Council