

City of Rock Falls

603 W. 10th Street
Rock Falls, IL 61071-2854

Mayor

Rod Kleckler
815-380-5333

City Administrator

Robbin Blackert
815-564-1366



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Pam Martinez
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Rock Falls City Council Agenda
Council Chambers
603 W 10th Street, Rock Falls, IL 61071

February 18, 2025
5:30 p.m.

Call to Order at 5:30 p.m.
Pledge of Allegiance
Roll Call

Audience Requests

Community Affairs - Rock Falls Chamber of Commerce, Sam Smith President/CEO

Consent Agenda:

1. Approval of the minutes of the February 4, 2025, City Council Meeting
2. Approval of bills as presented

Ordinances 1st Reading:

1. Ordinance 2025-2683 – Amending Chapter 26 – Residential Driveways and Curb Cuts
2. Ordinance 2025-2684 – Amending Chapter 26- Sidewalk Snow Removal withing the Downtown Business Area

Ordinances 2nd Reading & Adoption:

1. Ordinance 2025-2679 – Amending Chapter 6 – Stormwater Management
2. Ordinance 2025-2680 – Amending Chapter 16- Business License Fee Increases
3. Ordinance 2025-2681 – Amending Chapter 26 – Public Camping
4. Ordinance 2025-2682 – Amending Chapter 16 – Special Use Permits

Resolutions:

1. Resolution 2025-931 – Transferring Jurisdiction and Control of Real Property to the Industrial Development Commission (1115 W 19th Street)

City Administrator Robbin Blackert:

1. Recommendation from BF Engineering, LLC to accept all Motor Fuel Tax 2025 General Maintenance material proposals:
 - a) Helm Materials, Inc., 2283 Route 20 East, Freeport, IL 61032 (all materials from Palmyra Quarry);
 - Group II, Bituminous Patching Mix (UPM) @ \$140.00 per ton
 - Bituminous Hot Mix Asphalt @ \$58.00 per ton

- Aggregate Surface Course, Type B (CA-6) @ \$8.25 per ton
- b) Rock River Ready Mix, Inc., 2320 S. Galena Ave, Dixon, IL 61021
Portland Cement Concrete, IDOT Class PV @ \$135.00 per cubic yard
 - c) Quality Ready Mix Concrete, 13134 Galt Rd, Sterling, IL 61081
Portland Cement Concrete, IDOT Class PV @ \$143.00 per cubic yard
 - d) Sterling Steel Warehouse, Inc., 1103 Industrial Park Rd, Rock Falls, IL 61071
Reinforcement Bars @ \$0.70 per pound

Information/Correspondence

Matt Cole, City Attorney

Corey Buck, City Engineer

Alderman Reports/Committee Chairman Requests

Ward 1

Alderman Bill Wangelin – Public Works/Public Property Committee Chairman/Tourism Committee

Alderman Gabriella McKanna – Finance/Insurance/Investment Committee Chairman

Ward 2

Alderman Brian Snow – Building Code Committee Chairman/Utility Committee Vice Chairman

Alderman Vickey Byrd

Ward 3

Alderman Steve Dowd – Police Fire Committee Chairman

Alderman Nathan Stahr

Ward 4

Alderman Violet Sobottka – Ordinance/License/Personnel/Safety Committee Chairman

Alderman Cathy Arduini

Mayor's Report:

Executive Session:

1. Enter into Executive Session for the purposes of:
 - a. Collective Bargaining – Section 2(c)(2) – Collective negotiating matters and deliberations concerning salary schedules

Any action taken from Executive Session

Adjournment

Next City Council Meeting – March 4, 2025, at 5:30 p.m.

Posted: February 14, 2025

Michelle Conklin, Deputy City Clerk

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