

September 8, 2026
ELMWOOD CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Mayor Almasi called the Public Hearing to order at 6:45 PM.

Roll Call: Strom, Davis, Paige, Brunnelson, Teel and Johns were all present.

Stephanie Schmieg and Bonnie Beal presented Ordinance 2026-08, City of Elmwood Annual Budget.

Public Discussion.

Mayor Almasi closed Public Hearing at 7:03 PM

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The Pledge was recited.

Davis made a Motion to accept the minutes presented from August 2026 meetings. Strom 2nd the Motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

The bills were discussed. Strom made the Motion to approve the bills. Teel 2nd the Motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Paige made a Motion to accept the Treasurer's Report. Strom 2nd the Motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Chief Mike Darrah gave the Police Report.

Amy Davis and Kaitlyn Wagner gave the Economic Development/Building and Zoning report.

Johns made a Motion to adopt Ordinance 2026-08, an Ordinance regarding the 2026-2027 Annual Appropriation Ordinance. Including the change of \$4,000 from Tree Maintenance to Purchase of Trees. Strom 2nd the Motion. A Roll Call Vote was taken. Strom-Yes, Davis-Yes, Paige-Yes, Teel-Yes, Brunnelson-Yes, Johns-Yes. All agreed. Motion carried. Ordinance adopted.

Council discussed the downtown flag poles.

Jenny Smith from PCAPS addressed the Council in regards to changing the animal contract for the City of Elmwood.

Council opened the meeting for Public comment. Scott Doubet, Tom Bell, Chris Greene, Brandon Carrington and Chris Davis addressed the Council in regards to the changing of the City of Elmwood Police Chief.

Johns made a Motion for Council to enter executive session at 7:35 PM. Strom 2nd the Motion. Council enters executive session.

Davis made a Motion at 8:03 PM to conclude Council executive session. Paige 2nd the Motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Paige made a Motion to ratify the Council decision of the Chief of Police's termination. Teel 2nd the Motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Council discussed Committee Reports.

At 8:09 PM Strom made the Motion to Adjourn the Meeting. Davis 2nd the Motion. All agreed. The Meeting was adjourned.



City Clerk

Mayor