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City of Fairbury

City Council Minutes – September 16, 2026
6:30 p.m. - Fairbury City Hall

1. **Call to order –** Mayor Slagel called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

2. **Mayor Slagel directed the Clerk to call roll and the following members of Council answered present:** Gary Norris, Steve Endres, Charles Hoselton Jr, Jon Kinate, Bruce Weber, Jerry Hoffman, Jim Tipton, and Bill Schmidgall.

3. **Pledge of Allegiance**

4. **Motion to approve the Consent Agenda –** Motion by Kinate, second by Norris to approve the following items on the Consent Agenda:

   A. Minutes from September 2, 2026 council meeting
   B. Voucher Invoice Register listing the bills
   C. Treasurer's Cash Report (second meeting of the month)
   D. Check Register (second meeting of the month)
   E. None
   F. Overtime Report

   Motion carried 8-0 YES-Norris Endres Hoselton Jr Kinate Weber Hoffman Tipton Schmidgall

5. **Mayor Slagel opened Public Comment and the following persons provided comments:**

   NONE

6. **Reports of Departments**

   → Streets - Lonnie Rhoads, Superintendent reported –
   - Locust St project has begun

   → Fire – Josh Hoselton, Chief - absent
   → Sewer – Bruce Pride, Superintendent reported –
   - Sewer manhole is in on Clay St

   → Water – Mike Mellott, Superintendent - none
   → Police – Chris Edwards, Chief – absent
   → City – Brett Ashburn, Superintendent reported –
   - Annexation hearing for Fairview Haven property is October 7th at 6:15 p.m.

   → Legal – Matt Schrock, City Attorney - absent

7. **Reports of Aldermen**

   → Alderman Norris - none
   → Alderman Endres - none
   → Alderman Hoselton - none
   → Alderman Kinate - none
   → Alderman Weber - none
   → Alderman Hoffman - none
   → Alderman Tipton - none
   → Alderman Schmidgall – none

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8. Items Removed from Consent Agenda
NONE

9. Old Business – Discussion/Action Items

A. Motion by Schmidgall, second by Weber to approve $74,845 quote from Petersen Chevrolet to purchase new truck for Water Dept. Motion carried 8-0 YES – Norris Endres Hoselton Jr Kinate Weber Hoffman Tipton Schmidgall

10. New Business – Discussion/Action Items

A. Motion by Hoffman, second by Kinate to approve the 2025-2026 Audit as presented by MCK CPAs & Advisors. Motion carried 8-0 YES – Norris Endres Hoselton Jr Kinate Weber Hoffman Tipton Schmidgall

B. Motion by Endres, second by Hoselton Jr to approve $21,200.00 quote from Britton Electronics & Automation, Inc to replace flowmeter for wastewater department. Motion carried 8-0 YES – Norris Endres Hoselton Jr Kinate Weber Hoffman Tipton Schmidgall

C. Motion by Schmidgall, second by Norris to approve amendments to Chapter 6 Refuse & Garbage. Motion carried 8-0 YES – Norris Endres Hoselton Jr Kinate Weber Hoffman Tipton Schmidgall

D. Motion by Kinate, second by Hoffman to approve $2,500 quote from PDK for tree removal. Motion carried 8-0 YES – Norris Endres Hoselton Jr Kinate Weber Hoffman Tipton Schmidgall

E. Motion by Kinate, second by Hoselton Jr to approve request from the Student Senate of Prairie Central High School to use City Streets Friday, October 2nd, at 2:30 p.m. continuing for one half-hour for the annual Homecoming Parade. Motion carried 8-0 YES – Norris Endres Hoselton Jr Kinate Weber Hoffman Tipton Schmidgall

11. Other Items for Discussion & Information

NONE

12. Public Comment

NONE

13. Executive Session

NONE

14. Adjournment – Motion by Norris, second by Schmidgall to adjourn at 6:51 p.m.

Alexandria Reis, City Clerk