

City of Fairbury
City Council Minutes – June 18, 2025
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, Jon Kinate, Bruce Weber, Jim Tipton, and Bill Schmidgall. Charles Hoselton Jr and Jerry Hoffman were absent.
3. **Pledge of Allegiance**
4. **Motion to approve the Consent Agenda** – Motion by Tipton, second by Endres to approve the following items on the Consent Agenda:
 - A. Minutes from June 4, 2025 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 6-0 YES- Norris Endres Kinate Weber Tipton Schmidgall
5. **Mayor Slagel opened Public Comment and the following persons provided comments:**
NONE
6. **Reports of Departments**
 - Streets - Lonnie Rhoads, Superintendent - none
 - Fire – Josh Hoselton, Chief - none
 - Sewer – Bruce Pride, Superintendent – absent
 - Water – Mike Mellott, Superintendent – absent
 - Police – Robert McCormick, Chief inquired about a new office computer
 - City – Brett Ashburn, Superintendent - none
 - Legal – Matt Schrock, City Attorney – none
7. **Reports of Aldermen**
 - Alderman Norris inquired about sand for the volleyball courts at North Park
 - Alderman Endres - none
 - Alderman Hoselton Jr - absent
 - Alderman Kinate - none
 - Alderman Weber thanked the Street Dept for trimming trees at Sunken Park
 - Alderman Hoffman - absent
 - Alderman Tipton was approached by a business owner inquiring about getting the millings from Route 24 construction to put on Thadd Rd
 - Alderman Schmidgall - none

8. Items Removed from Consent Agenda**NONE****9. Old Business – Discussion/Action Items****NONE****10. New Business – Discussion/Action Items**

- A.** Motion by Norris, second by Kinate to approve a request from the Dominy Library for a donation of 200 Daily Pool passes for their Summer Reading Program. Motion carried 6-0 YES- Norris Endres Kinate Weber Tipton Schmidgall
- B.** Consideration to approve Project and OSLAD Grant services agreement with Farnsworth Group for future park acquisition and development. – **TABLED**
- C.** Motion by Norris, second by Kinate to approve new street name Autumn Glen for Fairview Haven subdivision. Motion carried 6-0 YES- Norris Endres Kinate Weber Tipton Schmidgall
- D.** Motion by Endres, second by Schmidgall to approve quote for in car and body worn cameras for the Police Dept. Motion carried 6-0 YES- Norris Endres Kinate Weber Tipton Schmidgall

11. Other Items for Discussion & Information**NONE****12. Public Comment****NONE****13. Executive Session**

Motion by Schmidgall, second by Tipton to enter Exec. Session at 7:12 p.m.

- A.** Personnel- Section 2(c)(1) – Employee hiring, firing, compensation, discipline and performance
- B.** Acquisition of Real Property- Section 2(c)(5)- The purchase or lease of real property for the use of the public body

Motion by Kinate, second by Norris to enter Open Session @ 7:37 p.m.

ACTION AFTER EXECUTIVE SESSION**NONE****14. Adjournment – Motion by Weber, second by Schmidgall to adjourn at 7:37 p.m.**

Alexandria Reis, City Clerk