

CITY OF SHEBOYGAN

SEVENTH REGULAR COMMON COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Monday, July 06, 2026

OPENING OF MEETING

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. Due to technical difficulties the meeting was recessed until 6:35 p.m.

2. Roll Call

Alderspersons present: Boorse, Bremser (remote), Close, Dekker, Grawien, Heidemann, Kelly, Menzer, Perrella (remote) – 9.

Aldersperson excused: Mitchell – 1.

3. Pledge of Allegiance

4. Approval of Minutes

Sixth Regular Council Meeting held on June 15, 2026

First Special Council Meeting held on June 22, 2026

Second Special Council Meeting held on June 29, 2026

MOTION TO APPROVE THE MINUTES

Motion made by Boorse, Seconded by Close.

Voting Yea: Boorse, Bremser, Close, Dekker, Grawien, Heidemann, Kelly, Menzer, Perrella – 9.

5. Mayoral Appointments – Lays over

Jacob Wise to the Board of Zoning Appeals

Jamie McDonald to the Board of Zoning Appeals

JJ Montgomery as Harbor Master

6. Public Forum

Limit of five people having five minutes each with comments limited to items on this agenda. Mike Brunette spoke.

7. Mayor's Announcements

Upcoming Community Events, Proclamations, Employee Recognitions

CONSENT

- 8. Report 12-26-27 by Board of Water Commissioners informing the Common Council that it intends to apply to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources for loan and principal forgiveness funds in the amount of \$1,000,000 through the Safe Drinking Water Loan program to use for replacing lead service lines (LSL) on private property for projects resulting in full LSL replacements. The project is known as DNR SDWLP project #4901-19.**

MOTION TO ACCEPT AND FILE THE REPORT

Motion made by Boorse, Seconded by Close.

Voting Yea: Boorse, Bremser, Close, Dekker, Grawien, Heidemann, Kelly, Menzer, Perrella – 9.

9. Report 13-26-27 by Board of Water Commissioners informing the Common Council that it intends to apply to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources for loan and principal forgiveness funds in the amount of \$1,000,000 through the Safe Drinking Water Loan program to use for replacing lead service lines (LSL) on private property for projects resulting in full LSL replacements. The project is known as DNR SDWLP project #4901-20.

MOTION TO ACCEPT AND FILE THE REPORT

Motion made by Boorse, Seconded by Close.

Voting Yea: Boorse, Bremser, Close, Dekker, Grawien, Heidemann, Kelly, Menzer, Perrella – 9.

10. Report 14-26-27 by Board of Water Commissioners informing the Common Council that it intends to apply to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources for 100% principal forgiveness funds in the amount of \$3,000,000 through the Safe Drinking Water Loan program to use for replacing lead service lines (LSL) on private property for projects resulting in full LSL replacements. The project is known as DNR SDWLP project #4901-21.

MOTION TO ACCEPT AND FILE THE REPORT

Motion made by Boorse, Seconded by Close.

Voting Yea: Boorse, Bremser, Close, Dekker, Grawien, Heidemann, Kelly, Menzer, Perrella – 9.

11. Report 15-26-27 by Board of License Examiners submitting an application for a Building Contractor License already granted (Hephner).

MOTION TO ACCEPT AND FILE THE REPORT

Motion made by Boorse, Seconded by Close.

Voting Yea: Boorse, Bremser, Close, Dekker, Grawien, Heidemann, Kelly, Menzer, Perrella – 9.

12. Report 16-26-27 by Mead Public Library Board submitting resolutions to recognize the service of Jim Hollister, Michael Close, and Meg Albrinck to Mead Public Library.

MOTION TO ACCEPT AND FILE THE REPORT

Motion made by Boorse, Seconded by Close.

Voting Yea: Boorse, Bremser, Close, Dekker, Grawien, Heidemann, Kelly, Menzer, Perrella – 9.

13. Res. No. 42-26-27 by Alderpersons Boorse and Heidemann approving alcohol beverage/tobacco licenses.

MOTION TO ADOPT THE RESOLUTION

Motion made by Boorse, Seconded by Close.

Voting Yea: Boorse, Bremser, Close, Dekker, Grawien, Heidemann, Kelly, Menzer, Perrella – 9.

14. Res. No. 41-26-27 by Alderpersons Mitchell and Perrella authorizing an amendment to the 2026 budget for the hiring of additional part-time employees at Uptown Social.

MOTION TO ADOPT THE RESOLUTION

Motion made by Boorse, Seconded by Close.

Voting Yea: Boorse, Bremser, Close, Dekker, Grawien, Heidemann, Kelly, Menzer, Perrella – 9.

15. Res. No. 40-26-27 by Alderpersons Mitchell and Perrella approving the proposed 2027 Budget Schedule and 2027 preliminary budget fiscal factors for guidance prior to departmental budget preparation.

MOTION TO ADOPT THE RESOLUTION

Motion made by Boorse, Seconded by Close.

Voting Yea: Boorse, Bremser, Close, Dekker, Grawien, Heidemann, Kelly, Menzer, Perrella – 9.

RESOLUTIONS – None.

GENERAL ORDINANCES

16. Gen. Ord. No. 3-26-27 by Alderperson Close creating article 48-VI: Pedestrian Malls.

MOTION TO ADOPT THE ORDINANCE

Motion made by Close, Seconded by Dekker.

Voting Yea: Boorse, Bremser, Close, Dekker, Grawien, Heidemann, Kelly, Menzer, Perrella – 9.

OTHER MATTERS AUTHORIZED BY LAW – None.

TENTATIVE DATE OF NEXT REGULAR MEETING

17. Next scheduled meeting: July 20, 2026 at 6:00 p.m.

ADJOURN MEETING

18. Motion to Adjourn

MOTION TO ADJOURN AT 6:53 PM

Motion made by Boorse, Seconded by Close.

Voting Yea: Boorse, Bremser, Close, Dekker, Grawien, Heidemann, Kelly, Menzer, Perrella – 9.