

Luther City Council
Regular Meeting Minutes
April 20, 2026
7:00 P.M.

The City Council meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Malorie Schaller presiding.
Present at Roll Call: Rob Dobek, Mike Miller, Trevor Mathis, Bob Owens, Jeff Sandegren
Absent: None
Other City Personnel Present: Treasurer Sprouse, Clerk Sandegren

Motion by Councilperson Dobek, seconded by Councilperson Mathis, to approve the Consent Agenda; April 20, 2026 Regular Meeting Agenda, March 16, 2026 Regular Meeting Minutes, March 30, 2026 Special Meeting Minutes, March 2026 Treasurer Report, and April 2026 Bills in the amount of \$2,124.34. The reports are also approved by the City Clerk and City Treasurer.
Ayes: All Present
Motion Carried

Company/Person	Amount	Reason	Account
Alliant Energy-Street Lights	\$350.47	Street Lights	RUT - Public Works
Alliant Energy-Park	\$30.17	City Park Electric	General Fund-Cult & Rec
Alliant Energy-City Hall	\$96.33	City Hall Electric	General Fund-Gen. Gov.
Xenia	\$66.00	City Hall Water	General Fund-Gen. Gov.
Deanna Sandegren-City Clerk Pay	\$512.12	City Clerk Monthly Payroll	General Fund-Gen. Gov.
Mary Beth Sprouse-City Treasurer Pay	\$295.83	City Treasurer Monthly Payroll	General Fund-Gen. Gov.
IPERS	\$150.42	Monthly Staff Pay	General Fund-Gen. Gov.
Finco Tree and Wood Service	\$150.00	March Snow Removal	RUT - Public Works
Card Services	\$173.00	\$47.49 case of paper/ \$125.51 Flags)	General Fund-Gen. Gov.
Torin Sprouse	\$300.00	Website/Technology Services	General Fund-Gen. Gov.
TOTAL EXPENSES:	\$2,124.34		
Expenses above by category for current month:		Revenues from past month:	
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$1,623.87	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$6,313.75
General Government	\$1,593.70	Community Room Rental	\$0.00
Public Safety	\$0.00	Bank Interest	\$11.72
Public Works	\$0.00	Property Taxes	\$4,763.53
Health & Social Services	\$0.00	LOST (Local Option Sales Tax)	\$1,538.50
Culture & Rec	\$30.17	Misc:	\$0.00
ROAD USE TAX TOTAL	\$500.47	Misc:	\$0.00
Public Works	\$500.47	Misc:	\$0.00
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND	\$0.00	ROAD USE TAX FUND	\$1,046.97
TIF - HEARTLAND CO-OP	\$0.00	TIF - HEARTLAND CO-OP FUND	\$108.19

New Business:

Public Hearing for Budget FY27:

Motion by Councilperson Miller, seconded by Councilperson Dobek, to open the public hearing at 7:00 p.m.
Ayes: All Present
Motion Carried

No citizens were present to ask questions or share concerns. Clerk Sandegren stated no written concerns were received.

Motion by Councilperson Miller, seconded by Councilperson Dobek, to close the public hearing at 7:02 p.m.
Ayes: All Present
Motion Carried

Budget FY27 Adoption by Resolution #042026:

Motion by Councilperson Dobek, seconded by Councilperson Owens, to approve by Resolution #042026 the Budget for FY27.
Ayes: All Present
Motion Carried

City Staff Updates:

Clerk Sandegren and Treasurer Sprouse shared updates in regards to researching prices for a city cell phone and the need in the near future for a new computer.

Treasurer Sprouse stated the DOT is reviewing the grant she applied for to replace the broken solar speed sign.

The meeting adjourned at 7:09 p.m. by Councilpersons Dobek and Owens.

These minutes are a draft and are not approved at time of posting.

May 4, 2026

Date Posted At 3 City Locations

City Clerk, City of Luther

Date Approved

Mayor, City of Luther