

MINUTES - CITY COUNCIL

DATE: February 10, 2026
TIME: 6:00 P.M.
LOCATION: City Council Chambers, Kiel City Hall
621 Sixth St., Kiel, Wis.
MEMBERS: Mayor Hennings, Alderpersons Jeremy Fromm,
Tyler Guell, John Brocker, Bill Krueger, and Alice
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- 1) Mayor Bob Hennings, called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.
- 2) Pledge of Allegiance
- 3) Roll Call– All council members were present. Also in attendance were City Administrator (CA) Pafford, General Manager of Utilities (GMU) August, and Tracy Folz from Tri-County News.
- 4) Alder Brocker moved, and Alder Achter seconded to approve the minutes of January 27, 2026, City Council Meeting
- 5) Public Comment—There was no public comment
- 6) Alder Brocker moved, and Alder Krueger seconded to approve a Comfort Resolution for Great Lakes Utilities (GLU). Voting Aye were Alderpersons Fromm, Guell, Brocker, Krueger, and Achter. The motion passed 5-0
- 7) Alder Guell moved, and Alder Brocker seconded to approve the purchase of a Digger/Derrick truck for inclusion in the 2027 budget from Altec in the amount of \$350,312. Voting Aye were Alderpersons Fromm, Guell, Brocker, Krueger, and Achter. The motion passed 5-0
- 8) Alder Brocker moved, and Alder Fromm seconded to approve Kris August to attend the Water Environment Federation Technical Exhibition and Conference (WEFTEC), to be

held September 26–30, 2026, in New Orleans, Louisiana. The motion carried unanimously.

- 9) Alder Guell moved, and Alder Fromm seconded to hire Amy Pitzen as Utility Clerk pursuant to the Offer of Employment. Voting Aye were Alderpersons Fromm, Guell, and Achter. Voting Nay were Alderpersons Brocker and Krueger. The motion carried 3-2.
- 10) Alder Brocker moved, and Alder Achter seconded to approve an extraterritorial Certified Survey Map (CSM) for the Kuester property. Voting Aye were Alderpersons Fromm, Guell, Brocker, Krueger, and Achter. The motion passed 5-0
- 11) Alder Krueger moved, and Alder Fromm seconded to approve receipts and disbursements. The motion carried unanimously.
- 12) Alder Krueger moved, and Alder Fromm seconded to approve paying the bills. There was a discussion on the check amounts for former City employees. CA Pafford explained that Wisconsin Retirement System reimbursements were due during the benefit audit. CA Pafford will communicate with the council to explain the check amounts. Voting Aye were Alderpersons Fromm, Guell, Brocker, Krueger, and Achter. The motion passed 5-0
- 13) Alder Guell moved, and Alder Brocker seconded to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 6:16 p.m.

Bob Hennings, Mayor

Prepared by Ryan Pafford, City Administrator