

STATE OF MINNESOTA
GOODHUE/OLMSTED COUNTIES
CITY OF PINE ISLAND
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
November 18th, 2025

Pursuant to due call, and notice thereof, Mayor David Friese called the Regular City Council meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Members Present: Weis, Pahl, Wright, Veith Staloch, Friese
Members Absent: None

Others Present: City Administrator- Elizabeth Howard, Deputy City Administrator- Steven Scheevel, City Clerk- Stephanie Pocklington, Public Works Director- Todd Robertson, Library Director- Rachel Gray, Bob Vose- City Attorney (Virtually), EDA Director- Mitch Massman, Widseth Engineer- Craig Britton, Bryce Grobe- Street Supervisor, SGT Trevor Sullivan- Goodhue County Sheriff's Office, Mike & Janice Prescher, Rod & Joyce Lanners, Dave & Rosanne Boser, Eric Zimmerman Zuckerman, Tom & Dena Hoel, Darcie Simpson, Erick Krakowski, Ren Tescher, Reverend David & Aubree Derksen, Ashley Deng and 3 others who did not sign in.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Consent Agenda:

Motion was made by Brandi Veith Staloch with a second from Vernon Pahl to approve the consent agenda. Approved 5-0-0

- October 21st, 2025 Regular Council Meeting Minutes
- Letter of Support- GCPW for LRIP CSAH 11 and CSAH 62
- Letter of Support- Goodhue County Coop Electric
- Request to Approve LMCIT Waiver
- Request to Approve Fire Chief Candidate List
- Request to Approve Purchase of Holiday Lights

Public Input:

- Aubree Derksen addressed Council
- Rodney Lanners addressed Council
- Reverend David Derksen addressed Council
- Mayor Friese recognized Veteran's Day Services and read a Proclamation recognizing November as National Native American Heritage Month.

Administration:

- A. Resolution 25-49 Approving the 2026 Tax Assessments for Unpaid Debts for Goodhue/Olmsted County was approved with a motion from Brandi Veith Staloch and seconded by Vernon Pahl. Approved 5-0-0
- B. Resolution 25-50 Authorizing the Write Off of Uncollectable Debts was approved with a motion by Brandi Veith Staloch and seconded by Vernon Pahl. Approved 5-0-0

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- C. Resolution 25-51 Approving the 2026 Business Licenses was approved with a motion from Brandi Veith Staloch and seconded by Vernon Pahl. Approved 5-0-0
- D. Resolution 25-52 Declaring Polling Location for 2026 Elections in Goodhue/Olmsted County was approved with a motion from Brandi Veith Staloch and seconded by Vernon Pahl. Approved 5-0-0
- E. Request to Approve Data Practices Policy Updates was approved with a motion from Brandi Veith Staloch and seconded by Vernon Pahl. Approved 5-0-0
- F. Request to Approve Façade Loan Application for IOOF was approved with a motion from Brandi Veith Staloch and seconded by Vernon Pahl. Approved 4-0-1 With Mayor David Friese abstaining due to conflict of interest.

Planning Commission: Nothing to Report.

Public Works & Engineering:

- A. Brandi Veith Staloch made a motion to approve the purchase of a Grapple Attachment for loader from Midwest Machinery for \$11,600 to come out of the Capital Equipment Fund and Vernon Pahl seconded. Approved 5-0-0

Legal: Bob Vose has been busy reviewing applications from Skyway.

Claims: Brandi Veith Staloch made a motion to approve claims with a second by Vernon Pahl. Approved 5-0-0.

Department Reports-

- ❖ City Administrator, Elizabeth Howard reported to Council
- ❖ Library Director, Rachel Gray reported to Council
- ❖ Public Works Director, Todd Robertson reported to Council
- ❖ EDA Director, Mitch Massman reported to Council

Motion to adjourn at 6:31 p.m. by Brandi Veith Staloch and seconded by Vernon Pahl. Approved 5-0-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephanie Pocklington
City Clerk