



City of Antigo

Common Council Meeting

Council Chambers
City Hall, 700 Edison Street

Wednesday, January 14, 2026
6:00 PM

Call to Order by Presiding Officer

Roll Call

Pledge of Allegiance

Moment of Silent Meditation

Approval of Minutes

1. Approve Minutes from the December 10, 2025 Meeting

Citizen Comment

Individuals not listed below and wishing to address Common Council must sign in prior to the meeting. A time limit of 5 minutes will apply unless otherwise approved by Common Council. Any ruling by the presiding officer relative to Citizen Comments may be overruled by a majority vote of members present.

2. **Subjects on the Current Agenda** - The presiding officer will call each speaker to the floor during this portion of the meeting. The presiding officer may determine the order of speakers so testimony is heard in the most logical groupings
3. **Subjects Not on the Current Agenda** - The presiding officer will identify the appropriateness of public comments at this time and may place the matter on a future agenda, or could refer the matter to staff or committee for investigation and report.

Update on Citizen's Referrals from Previous Council Agenda

Committee Reports

Consent Agenda

Consent Agenda Resolutions

- 1-26 Approve Community Participation Policy Change to 12 Hours Per Year Instead of Not Exceeding 4 Hours - 3 Requests Per Year, Eliminate the Requirement the Event is Held in the City, and add the Policy to the Employee Manual
- 2-26 Change Credit Card Processing and Electronic Bill Capabilities from Payment Services Network to Bill Pay Xpress (Springbrook product)

Consent Agenda Communications

4. Department Manager Reports

New Business

Resolutions

- 3-26 Carry Forward Budget Items from 2025 to 2026
- 4-26 Approve 2025 Budget Transfers/Adjustments
- 5-26 Combining Wards for Primary Election (as requested by Mayor Bauknecht)
- 6-26 Contract with an Executive Search Firm to Assist with the Hiring of a City Administrator (contingent upon approval by the Finance, Personnel & Legislative Committee at a meeting to be held before the Council meeting)
- 7-26 Apply for the Wisconsin Department of Military Affairs Office of Emergency Communications Interoperable Radio Grant Program in the amount of \$50,000 (contingent upon approval by the Finance, Personnel & Legislative Committee at a meeting to be held before the Council meeting)

Miscellaneous Business

Payment of Bills

- 5. Direct Deposits for December 5 and December 19, 2025 Payrolls
- 6. BMO Bank Accounts Payable Check Nos. 85343- 85555
- 7. Self-Funding Health Insurance Check No. 2185
- 8. Block Grant Revolving Loan Check Nos. 3806 -3808

Committee Referrals

Referral of any matters to committees. No discussion or action may be taken on the referral.

Closed Session

Common Council will Convene into Closed Session.

- 9. Closed Session: Pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(g), Wisconsin Statutes, and Upon Proper Motion, the Council will Convene into Closed Session to confer with legal counsel for the governmental body who is rendering oral or written advice concerning strategy to be adopted by the body with respect to litigation in which it is or is likely to become involved for an update with legal counsel regarding Apostolic Adventures litigation. Upon Completion of Discussion in Closed Session, Council will Reconvene into Open Session to Act on Matters Discussed, If Necessary, and Proceed with the Regular Order of Business.

Adjournment

Upon reasonable notice, efforts will be made to accommodate disabled individuals through appropriate aids and services. For additional information, contact the Clerk Treasurer's Office, 700 Edison Street, Antigo, Wisconsin 54409. (715) 623-3633 extension 100. Members of and possibly a quorum of members of other governmental bodies may be in attendance to gather information. Any governmental body other than that specifically referred to above will take no action.