

PLATTEVILLE COMMON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
February 24, 2026

The regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Platteville was called to order by Council President Barbara Daus at 6:00 PM in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building.

ROLL CALL

Present: Barbara Daus, Kathy Kopp, Steven Badger, Bob Gates, Tony McFall, and Brian Whisenant
Excused: Lynne Parrott

PRESENTATION

- A. Proclamation Recognizing Doug McKinley's 34 Years of Service to the City of Platteville
- B. Annual Tourism Report – Platteville Regional Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Wayne Wodarz

CONSIDERATION OF CONSENT AGENDA

Motion by Whisenant, second by Badger to approve the consent agenda as follows: Council Minutes – 2/10/26 Regular; Payment of Bills in the amount of \$5,900,548.40; Appointments to Boards and Commissions: none; Two Year Operator License - Matthias D Adamavich, Jona M Austin, and David M Vera; "Class B" Combination Beer & Liquor License for 2S Social LLC, Platteville, WI (Amar Reddy, Agent), for premises at 45 N Second Street (Second Street Social); Banner Permits for March 16 to March 30 (weather permitting) for the Platteville Fire Department's Pancake Breakfast, April 1 to October 31 (allowing for other banners) for Platteville Farmer's Market, and September 7 to September 28 (allowing for UW-P Homecoming banner) for the Grant County Cancer Coalition; Street Closing Permits for the Platteville Farmer's Market - N. Bonson Street (by City Park) and E. Mineral Street from N. Bonson Street to N. Fourth Street on Saturdays from 6:30 AM to 1:00 PM from May 2 to October 31, Irving Place from Park Place to N. Bonson Street, N. Court Street, and N. Bonson Street between Main Street and Irving Place for the Alternate Farmer's Market Site for Dairy Days and UW-P Homecoming Parades and Sweet Treats on Main from 6:30 AM to 1:00 PM, and Irving Place from Park Place to N. Bonson Street, N. Court Street, and N. Bonson Street between Main Street and Irving Place for Platteville Night Market on Saturday, July 18, from 2:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Motion carried 6-0 on a roll call vote.

CITIZENS' COMMENTS, OBSERVATIONS AND PETITIONS, if any.

Council President Daus thanked the Airport Commission for hosting the Winter Fly-in/Drive-in Chili Feed and also the Mining and Rollo Jamison Museums and Friends of the Museum for organizing the Miners Ball.

REPORTS

- A. Board/Commission/Committee Minutes – Parks, Forestry, & Recreation Committee, Library Board, Police & Fire Commission, and Airport Commission
- B. CIP Quarterly Status Report – 12/31/25

ACTION

- A. *Resolution for DNR Trail Grants – Mound View Park Trail Maintenance*) – Motion by Kopp, second by Badger, to approve Resolution 26-04, DNR Trail Grant - Maintenance. Motion carried 6-0 on a roll call vote.

INFORMATION AND DISCUSSION

- A. *Contract 6-26 – 2026 Sidewalk Repairs* - Director of Public Works Howard Crofoot presented that this is our annual sidewalk repair contract. Staff opened one bid on February 17, 2026. The sole bidder is Augelli Concrete and Excavating, LLC. They have done much of the concrete work for street construction contracts over the past few years. The bid came in lower than expected at \$29,406.00. The City will work with them to add more locations to be repaired while staying under budget. The budget is \$45,000. With Engineering costs, staff will adjust the repair work to be at or under \$40,000. Staff recommend the Common Council pass a motion to award Contract 6-26 to Augelli Concrete and Excavating, LLC at the bid price not to exceed \$40,000.
- B. *Letter of Support – Standalone Curb Ramp Improvement Project*– Director of Public Works Howard Crofoot explained that the WisDOT is proposing a project to improve curb ramps on Highways 80 and 81 in conjunction with the 2033 improvement projects. This requires a Letter of Support from the City for WisDOT to receive Federal funding for this project. Part 1 – Reconstruction of Water Street from Business Highway 151 to Pine Street. This would rebuild the storm sewer under the street, not including the large storm culvert. It would rebuild street, curb & gutter, and sidewalk. They will investigate whether the configuration needs to change, or other improvements need to be made. All sidewalk curb ramps in this section will be brought up to code as part of this project. Part 2 – Mill and Overlay of State Highway 81 of the asphalt section from Mineral Street on Chestnut Street to the City Limits on Lancaster Street. This would grind out 2 inches of asphalt, then replace it with new asphalt. All sidewalk curb ramps in this section will be brought up to code as part of this project. Part 3 – SCRIP. This would replace sidewalk curb ramps and bring them up to current code for all portions of Highways 80 and 81 not included in parts 1 and 2 above. It would include Pine Street, the section of Chestnut Street from Pine to Mineral, and Water Street from Pine Street to the north City Limits. According to WisDOT, there is no City funding required for this project. Design, construction, and real estate costs are all part of the WisDOT grant funding from the Federal Highway Administration. Staff recommend the Common Council approve a Motion to direct the City Manager to sign the Letter of Support for WisDOT.

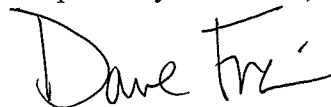
Motion by Badger, second by Whisenant, to go into a Closed Session. Motion carried 6-0 on a roll call vote.

CLOSED SESSION - per Wisconsin Statute 19.85(1)(c) - Considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility - Approve City Manager applicants for interview by Common Council.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Badger, second by Kopp to adjourn. Motion carried 6-0 on a roll call vote. The meeting was adjourned at 7:55 PM.

Respectfully submitted,



Dave Frain, Deputy City Clerk