



City of La Crosse, Wisconsin

City Hall
400 La Crosse Street
La Crosse, WI 54601

Meeting Minutes - Final

Finance & Personnel Committee

Thursday, October 2, 2025

6:00 PM

Council Chambers
City Hall, First Floor

Call To Order

Chair Goggin called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m.

Roll Call

Present: 6 - Aron Newberry, Barb Janssen, Chris Kahlow, Erin Goggin, Larry Sleznikow, Rosanne Northwood

Agenda Items:

[25-1054](#)

Resolution approving a reorganization to the table of positions and classifications for the department of the Mayor.

A motion was made by Sleznikow, seconded by Janssen, that the Resolution be RECOMMENDED TO BE NOT ADOPTED to the Common Council on 10/9/2025.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 4 - Janssen, Kahlow, Goggin, Sleznikow

No: 2 - Newberry, Northwood

[25-1053](#)

Resolution approving a Wisconsin Department of Transportation - Transportation Alternatives Program State/Municipal Grant Agreement to upgrade the 2nd Street Cycle Track.

A motion was made by Kahlow, seconded by Newberry, that the Resolution be RECOMMENDED TO BE ADOPTED to the Common Council on 10/9/2025. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - Newberry, Janssen, Kahlow, Goggin, Sleznikow, Northwood

[25-1109](#)

Resolution authorizing the Mayor and City Clerk to sign State/Municipal Agreement for a Highway Safety Improvement Project at the intersection of Mormon Coulee Road (USH 14) & Birch Street (Project I.D. #1641-03-07/77).

A motion was made by Janssen, seconded by Northwood, that the Resolution be RECOMMENDED TO BE ADOPTED to the Common Council on 10/9/2025. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - Newberry, Janssen, Kahlow, Goggin, Sleznikow, Northwood

[25-1119](#)

Resolution authorizing a Development Agreement for the Grandview Apartments project regarding a Site Assessment Grant (SAG) award from the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation (WEDC).

A motion was made by Sleznikow, seconded by Kahlow, that the Resolution be RECOMMENDED TO BE ADOPTED to the Common Council on 10/9/2025. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - Newberry, Janssen, Kahlow, Goggin, Sleznikow, Northwood

[25-1128](#)

Resolution amending Appendix C Fee Schedule regarding the Temporary Street Privilege Permits for portable toilets.

A motion was made by Sleznikow, seconded by Newberry, that the Resolution be RECOMMENDED TO BE ADOPTED to the Common Council on 10/9/2025. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - Newberry, Janssen, Kahlow, Goggin, Sleznikow, Northwood

[25-1129](#)

Resolution authorizing installation of neighborhood safety street lighting at the intersection of 19th Street South & Jackson Street.

A motion was made by Kahlow, seconded by Sleznikow, that the Resolution be RECOMMENDED TO BE ADOPTED to the Common Council on 10/9/2025. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - Newberry, Janssen, Kahlow, Goggin, Sleznikow, Northwood

[25-1130](#)

Resolution appropriating additional funds for sidewalk and restoration as part of the citywide sidewalk infill program (CIP #762).

A motion was made by Kahlow, seconded by Northwood, that the Resolution be RECOMMENDED TO BE ADOPTED to the Common Council on 10/9/2025. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - Newberry, Janssen, Kahlow, Goggin, Sleznikow, Northwood

[25-1134](#)

Resolution to re-allocate unused funds from completed Capital purchases and/or projects to previously approved and newly requested capital equipment purchases for the Stormwater Utility.

A motion was made by Sleznikow, seconded by Northwood, that the Resolution be RECOMMENDED TO BE ADOPTED to the Common Council on 10/9/2025. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - Newberry, Janssen, Kahlow, Goggin, Sleznikow, Northwood

[25-1135](#)

Resolution to re-allocate unspent Capital funds from completed purchase and/ or projects to underfunded and unplanned capital equipment needs for the Sanitary Sewer Utility.

A motion was made by Kahlow, seconded by Sleznikow, that the Resolution be RECOMMENDED TO BE ADOPTED to the Common Council on 10/9/2025. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - Newberry, Janssen, Kahlow, Goggin, Sleznikow, Northwood

[25-1108](#)

Resolution approving Loan Modification Agreement and other associated documents for Upper Floor Loans with Dale Berg d/b/a Jeaneri, Ltd.

A motion was made by Kahlow, seconded by Newberry, that the Resolution be RECOMMENDED TO BE ADOPTED to the Common Council on 10/9/2025. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - Newberry, Janssen, Kahlow, Goggin, Slezniak, Northwood

[25-0001](#)

Collective Bargaining Update.

(Note: The Committee and/or Council may convene in closed session pursuant to Wis. Stat. 19.85(1)(e) to formulate & update negotiation strategies and parameters.

*Following such closed session, the Committees and/or Council may reconvene in open session.) **F&P Item Only, unless otherwise directed.***

No action taken.

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 6:38 p.m.