

**APPROVED MINUTES
CITY COUNCIL
WORK SESSION
CITY OF WYOMING, MINNESOTA
FEBRUARY 17, 2026
5:30 PM**

CALL TO ORDER: *Mayor Lisa Iverson called the Work Session Meeting of the Wyoming City Council for February 17, 2026 to order at 5:31 PM*

CALL OF ROLL:

On a Call of the Roll the following members of the Wyoming City Council were present: Councilmembers Lisa Iverson, Linda Nanko Yeager, Dennis Schilling, Claire Luger, and Brett Ohnstad

Also Present: Robb Linwood - City Administrator, Grant MacFarlane - Assistant City Administrator, Steve Reeves – Public Works Superintendent, Mark Erichson – WSB

DETERMINATION OF A QUORUM:

Mayor Iverson determined that a Quorum was present.

NEW BUSINESS

1. To discuss 2026 City Council goals and initiatives

City Administrator Linwood presented a PowerPoint to the Council. Linwood provided an overview of the City Council's goals in 2025 and what they had achieved over the past year. Administrator Linwood then shared a list of other notable accomplishments by each City department which had occurred in 2025. Administrator Linwood requested that each councilmember reflect on the past year share any council-specific accomplishment that they were proud of. The council made the following list:

Council Achievements:

- Collaboration between Council and Staff
- The City levy being one of the lowest in the County
- Maintaining planned purchasing and Capital Improvement Plan
- Proper financial planning and a successful audit
- Completion of road projects in 2025
- Ongoing economic development – Attraction and Business Retention Visits
- Fire and Police Departments recruitment
 - Internal hirings and staff development

Administrator Linwood then asked the council to share their ongoing goals and new ideas for 2026. The council created the following list:

2026 Ongoing and New Goals / Ideas:

- Continuing work on City Facilities Project
- Discussions with Dunkin' Donuts and other retails on potential locations
- Increase civic engagement and check with local school

- Citizen recognition for volunteerism and engagement within the community
- Holiday lights promotion / competition
- Business inquiries about land use or acquisition
- Explore community events (ex: Music in the Park)
- Work on communicating Public Works activities
- City Code revisions

2026 Street Project

City Engineer Mark Erichson, of WSB, requested that the Council review the trail replacement portion of the 2026 Street Improvement Project. Mr. Erichson provided a cost estimate and discussed potential challenges.

The City Council highlighted the local impact, past practice, and the potential to delay the trails for a year and include them in the next year's project.

The City Council came to a consensus to delay the trails for a years and look into additional funding options, repair options, and potential reconstruction.

**A MOTION WAS MADE BY MAYOR IVERSION TO ADJOURN THE FEBRUARY 17, 2026
WORK SESSION OF THE WYOMING, MINNESOTA CITY COUNCIL AT 6:56PM**