

**UNOFFICIAL MINUTES OF
CITY OF CRYSTAL
COUNCIL MEETING
MONDAY, JULY 6, 2026**

Mayor Larry McCollum called the meeting to order at 7:00pm, July 6, 2026, in the Crystal Community Room.

Council present: Shane Feltman, Lynn Burrell, Frank Olimb (joined at 7:05), Vince Reilly, and Mayor Larry McCollum.

Also attending: Brittany Cyrus, Peyton Cole, and Zach Hermann.

The Council read the June 1, 2026 minutes. Shane made a motion to approve the minutes as read, 2nd by Vince. All in favor. Passed. The June 1, 2026 financial report was reviewed. Motion of a roll-call vote for approval - Shane, Lynn, and Vince. All in favor. Passed.

JUNE 2026 BILLS:

• CITY CHECKING: USPS \$6.08; Larry McCollum \$1,108.20; Shane Feltman \$761.89; Frank Olimb \$831.15; Vince Reilly \$831.15; Lynn Burrell \$900.41; Frank Olimb \$1,000.00; Brittany Cyrus \$323.22; Michael Osborne \$156.99; Ottertail Power \$92.16; Ottertail Power \$423.16; Consolidated Waste \$11,881.02;

Michael Osborne \$140.47; The Chuck Stop \$156.87; Einarson Law Office \$1,446.82; Cavalier Equipment \$81.98; Michael Osborne \$195.12; Crystal Memorial Cemetery \$1,964.81.

• CRYSTAL COMMUNITY ROOM CHECKING: Ottertail Power \$359.89; Polar Communications \$87.40.

2026 Election results for the City of Crystal: Larry McCollum was re-elected as mayor for a 4-year term, Vince and Lynn were re-elected as aldermen for a 4-year term.

Continued discussion with Zach Hermann from Houston Engineering on the city's options for flood protection. Zach presented the scopes of work and will adjust based on council's feedback. Council to review once updates are received.

Zach H. left the meeting at 7:47pm
Peyton from Einarson Law Office provided updates for the council on resident letters sent previously and responses received.

Motion by Frank to send a certified letter to Dominguez for the council's list of items to be addressed. 2nd by Shane. Motion passed with Frank, Shane, Lynn and Larry voting in favor and Vince opposed.

Two bids were received for demolition of the house on parcel 28-0720010. Kendall Construction submitted a bid of \$10,880. and Porter Excavating submitted a bid of \$8,000. Motion by Shane to accept the bid from Porter Excavating in the amount of \$8,000.00. Motion passed.

Discussion was held regarding mosquito spraying. The council discussed the condition of the pickup used for spraying, noting that it is in need of repairs. No action was taken.

Discussed storage container ordinance. Tabled to August meeting.

Discussion held regarding planning and zoning. No action taken.

Frank made the motion to adjourn the City Council meeting, 2nd by Shane. Passed. Meeting adjourned at 8:57pm.

Next City Council meeting will be on August 3, 2026 at 7:00pm at the Crystal Community Room.

/s/ Larry McCollum, Mayor
/s/ Brittany Cyrus, Auditor
(August 5, 2026)

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