

**CITY OF FORMAN, NORTH DAKOTA
REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
SEPTEMBER 15TH, 2026**

The regular City Council meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM by Council President Luke Anderson. Present were council members, John Stenvold, Kirk Fliehs, and Mark Wyckoff. Also attending were City Auditor Alicia Thompson, and EDC Coordinator Sara Dux, and City Superintendent Donavon Hajek.

All stood for pledge of allegiance.

Guest/ Public Comments: Mike Keiper

Mike Keiper was present at meeting to request the city pay 6000.00 for sand for the sand volleyball court at the Fair Grounds. Kirk Fliehs made a motion to donate \$5000.00 for the Sand Volleyball court. John Stenvold seconded that motion. Motion carried.

Sheriff Paeper was present-mentioned August was a busier month with extended traffic citations. Officer Wold is back at the schools.

Mark Wyckoff made a motion to return to the annual budget meeting after guests spoke. Kirk Fliehs seconded that motion. Motion carried.

The annual budget hearing was called to order at 6:22 PM by Council President Luke Anderson. Present were council members, Mark Wyckoff, John Stenvold and Kirk Fliehs. Also attending were City Auditor Alicia Thompson, City Superintendent Donavon Hajek, EDC Coordinator Sara

Dux.

There were no residents present.

Budget was proposed as drafted. A motion was made by Mark Wyckoff, seconded by John Stenvold to approve the final 2027 budget for the City of Forman. Roll call vote: Stenvold – yes; Fliehs – yes; Wyckoff – yes; Motion carried.

Motion by Mark Wyckoff to adjourn the Budget hearing and seconded by John Stenvold.

A motion was made by John Stenvold and seconded by Kirk Fliehs to approve the agenda for the regular city council meeting. Motion carried.

Kirk Fliehs made a motion to approve the June 18th city council meeting minutes. Mark Wyckoff seconded that motion. Motion carried.

City Superintendent Donavon Hajek-spoke on what is happening around the town, different things they have been doing.

John Stenvold made a motion for Jet Black to come in and do the crack sealing around town. Kirk Fliehs seconded that motion. Motion carried.

City Attorney Lyle Bopp- working on updating ordinances.

City Coordinators Sara Dux- Still planning a Forman Fall Fest, and the different things that are going to be happening.

John Stenvold made a motion to table the Waste Management Recycling contract until the next meeting. Kirk

Fliehs seconded that motion. Motion carried.

Mark Wyckoff made a motion to approve the first reading of DRN franchise agreement. Kirk Fliehs seconded that motion. Motion carried.

Kirk Fliehs made a motion to approve Bill Ammermans building permit. John Stenvold seconded that motion. Motion carried.

Mark Wyckoff made a motion to approve CHS building permit. John Stenvold seconded that motion. Motion carried.

Bills: RUTLAND OIL COMPANY \$2671.20, CITY OF FARGO 14.00, AMAZON 17.59, CENTRAL GROCERY 23.59, FORMAN LUMBER 10.78, JP MORGAN 688.79, SOUTHSIDE AUTO 39.12, MARC 3235.92, BEAVER TRUCKING 234.69, FORMAN PARK BOARD 2839.31, FORMAN GOLF ASSOCIATION 946.44, HAWKINS 3470.46, ONE CALL CONCEPTS 12.00, BADGER METER INC 31.20, METERING AND TECH 8536.00, SARGENT COUNTY TELLER 145.55, COMPUTER EXPRESS 225.99, DAKOTA PLAINS 501.32, OTTER TAIL POWER 3343.91, DICKEY RURAL 515.58

Kevin Bopp, Mayor
Alicia Thompson, City Auditor
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