



**CITY OF NEW GERMANY- CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
FEBRUARY 3, 2026 – 7:00 PM**

1. Opening Items

- Call meeting to Order – **Mayor Shirley Jaeger called the meeting to order at 7 PM.**
- Roll Call – **Mayor Shirley Jaeger, Council Members; Paul Roepke, Lorn Herrmann, Thomas Mielke and Kevin Grove. Others were Chris Barlau PW & FD.**

2. Approval of Agenda

- Consider Approval of Agenda – **Tom Mielke moved and Paul Roepke second approving the agenda with the addition of Resolution 2026-02. The motion carried. 5/0**

3. Public Comment Period

Open Public Comment Period – Comments are limited to 5 minutes.

4. Business items or New Business –

- Ducks Unlimited LG220 Application for Exempt Permit for Fat Boyz, March 6, 2026, Bingo and Raffle. **Lorn Herrmann moved and Paul Roepke second approving Ducks Unlimited LG220 application for Bingo, & raffles on March 7, 2026, at Fat Boyz. The motion carried. 5/0**
- Mayer New Germany Lions signage – Lions signage approved place below the city sign. Not on the social media site.

Officers’/Department/Staff Reports

- Fire Department Report – no band at FD Tournament; have at the hall; October 3.
- Parks – no report.
- Water/Sewer – no report.
- Public Works - - A few cars were issued citations for winter parking during this last snowfall. Order two red OSHA fuel cans with 5/8” hose, no yellow cans will be needed.
- Sheriff Report – no report.
- Misc – nothing additional.
- Clerk Report – Clerk was absent, will review at next meeting.
 - General fund
 - Money market account
- Building Permit – no update

6. Consent Agenda

- Consider Approval of January 20, 2026, Council Minutes
- Consider Approval of Claims for Payment
- Consider Approval of Financial Reports
- Resolution 2026-02 FD year end Budget surplus; \$34,092.56.
Tom Mielke moved and Lorn Herrmann second approving the consent agenda. The motion carried. 5/0

7. Old Business

- 2026 Project priority list
- Miscellaneous – Additional sewer backup insurance coverage, Council reviewed the information and had a discussion on coverage.
Paul Roepke moved and Lorn Herrmann second \$25K for \$481 per year. The motion carried. 5/0

8. Mayor City Council Reports

- Council member Kevin Grove – nothing additional.
- Council member Thomas Mielke – nothing additional.
- Council member Paul Roepke – nothing additional.
- Council member Lorn Hermann – nothing additional.
- Mayor Shirley Jaeger – nothing additional.

9. Adjourn City Council Meeting – Lorn Herrmann moved and Paul Roepke second adjourning the meeting at 7:30 PM. The motion carried. 5/0

Minutes by Kevin Grove and typed by Twyla Menth (absent from meeting).