

Mt. Pulaski City Council Meeting  
City Hall  
Tuesday October 28, 2025  
6:00 P.M.

The City Council Meeting was called to order at 6:00 P.M., Mayor Bobell presided. Roll call was taken. Those present: Ed Anderson, John Aylesworth, Brad Davis, Kate Davis, Randy Hagenbuch, Sean McCormick. Also present were: Chief of Police, Tony West, Director of Public Works, Matt Presswood, and Dee Howard, Treasurer.

Mayor Bobell then led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Recognition of Guests:** Mick Cyrulik

**Approval of Consent Agenda:** Motion by Ed Anderson, second by Brad Davis, to approve the Consent Agenda Items: Claims and Accounts. Roll call vote. Answering aye: Ed Anderson, John Aylesworth, Brad Davis, Kate Davis, Randy Hagenbuch, and Sean McCormick. No nay. Motion carried

**Public Comments:** Mick spoke at the September 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting about turning the sexton building into a chapel at the cemetery. He wanted to know if the council had any questions. Mayor Bobell asked if he had gotten any bids for the roof, windows, and doors. Mick stated he didn't get instructions to. Matt Presswood had the building inspected for termites, asbestos, and lead. The building did have signs of termites being there but wasn't sure if they were still active so treated as if they were. The asbestos and lead reports will not be in for a couple weeks. Mick brought in some roof tiles for council to see. John Aylesworth wants to know if there is any way to alleviate any damage to Patsy Lipp's father's gravesite. Mick assured him there wouldn't be any change to it as most of the work will be on the south side of the building, and the bathroom will go in the back. When the roof is put on they will be careful to protect it. John also wanted to know if they could keep Marion Street closed off, Mick said yes. Mick will get prices for the roof, doors, and windows.

**Reports by Officers**

- **Police Chief Tony West:** Chief West reported:
  - 10/16/25 – Single vehicle accident at 1120 N. Topper Dr. No injuries
  - 10/18/25 – The sale of our 2013 Dodge Charger at Clinton Auto Auction. Brought the city \$4,560.00
  - 10/26/25 – Warrant Arrest for Failure to Appear
  - 10/27/2025 – Served Ordinance Violation 000348 on 219 N Marion Street for dangerous buildingMayor Bobell would like to move forward with 117 E McDonald Street and 402 N. Jefferson being condemned. Chief West will see if the person who has paid the back taxes on 117 E McDonald street has the deed, otherwise the city can't.

**Director of Public Works:** Matt Presswood reports they have been busy patching. Alley work and leaf vacuuming are coming up. They will be taking down the Veteran's banners and putting up Christmas decorations. Sean McCormick wanted to know what they are going to do with the vehicle replaced by the new one. Matt states they are not worth taking to the auction. Sean would like to get something from Matt telling them what they're working on so if someone calls asking, they can tell them. Randy said for days like today when it's raining it would be good. Ed Anderson also wanted to know what they do on rainy days. Matt said if they need parts, they must drive to Springfield to get them. Winter is a lot of shop time. Mayor Bobell something more detailed in writing so they can see it would be good.

- **Treasurers Report:** Dee gave the treasurer report.

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:**

**Other Business:**

**Public Comments -Non-Agenda:**

**Executive Session:** Motion by Ed Anderson, second by Brad Davis, to exit Regular Session and enter Executive Session for discussion of Personnel. Voice vote. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Kate Davis, second by John Aylesworth, to exit Executive Session and re-enter Regular Session. Voice vote. All ayes. Motion carried

No action being taken tonight.

**Adjourn:** Motion by Ed Anderson, second by Brad Davis, to adjourn. Voice vote. All ayes. Motion carried.

Anna Beckers- City Clerk