

Roll Call: Bret Hayworth, Calvin Mellies, Palm Malm (zoom), Jared Rapp and John Parks are present.

Rapp motions to approve agenda, seconded by Mellies. Ayes, motion carries. Mellies motions to approve the minutes from the last meetings, seconded by Rapp. Ayes, motion carries. Mellies motions to approve the bills, seconded by Parks. Ayes, motion carries. Parks motions to approve the Treasurer's report, seconded by Hayworth. Ayes, motion carries. Rapp motions to approve the business liquor licenses, seconded by Hayworth. Ayes, motion carries. Rapp motions to approve all business tobacco/vape licenses, seconded by Mellies. Ayes, motion carries.

Brittini Forrer speaks at public forum setting up a 5K Run on July 25, 2026 and would like to offer a free swim at Haskell pool afterwards. Briana Cunningham spoke at public forum asking for reimbursement of materials from the city if MYRA repairs the baseball field 1 dugout with volunteers before their tournament May 30th. The dugout was damaged due to the storm on Sunday night. Items listed for \$180 roof and wood which has yet to be purchased.

Mayor Fisher, City Clerk Peterson and council members gave a shout out to the Moville Police Department, Moville Volunteer Fire Department, Public Works Department, Moville Volunteer Ambulance crew, for setting up and navigating a command center during and after a natural disaster hit our town Sunday night. Another shout out goes to the following businesses which offered free meals, snacks and drinks to all the first responders, electrical crews, Public Works, and hard-working volunteers in our community after the storm. Thank you to Outlaw Bar & Grill, Yellow Rose Catering, Casey's General Store, Subway and Chazz's Smoke Shack. No one else wishes to speak at public forum.

Building Inspector Dave Christensen gave an update on the last few days after the storms. Dave travelled from Moville to Kingsley to Pierson assessing and taking pictures of the devastating damage to structures, power lines and trees. Inspector Christensen also gave an update on the month of April. Mayor Fisher, Councilman Mellies drove around town with the Inspector recording nuisance's weeks before the storm. 58 Nuisances issued, 10 abatements, 9 letters sent, 11 official notices, 2 citations issued, 26 no action holds. Permits: 1 driveway, 1 fence and 1 shed were approved. Total billed for services in April was \$13,582.17 which was the second highest month.

Public Works Superintendent Pat Smith gave an update for March through May. Water-Pumped 3.8 million gallons in March and 4.8 in April, replaced meters, hydrant flushing, fixed water leaks out by REC. Wastewater- Pumped 3.2 million gallons of wastewater in March and 3.0 in April, April E-COLI testing came back well under permit limits. Streets-patched potholes, set up barricade for car show, Austin passed his CDL test. Parks- installed new fireplace at library, mowed and trimmed, unwinterized all parks, sprayed MYRA fields, pool cleaned out and filled, Jake and Wyatt Ofert began seasonal work for the city. A shout out to the Woodbury Central kids that helped with laying mulch on Community Service Day and Micayla's Garden to make our flower beds and planters look amazing!

ISG Engineering update states we can't move forward with the Water Tower Improvement Project until all easement agreements are signed.

Mellies motions to approve amending Chapter 92, section 92.02 rates of service to add an additional \$15 per month to each meter to put towards the Capital Water Improvement Project, seconded by Paks. Ayes, motion carries. Attorney Thompson to draft up for the next council meeting.

Mellies approves Resolution 2026-34 to issue 6-month council meeting attendance pay to any member that requests it, seconded by Hayworth. Ayes, motion carries.

Parks motion to approve Resolution 2026-33 allowing the State Auditor to audit the city for the years 2022, 2023, 2024 and 2025, seconded by Malm. Ayes, motion carries.

Hayworth sets public hearing for 2026 budget amendments on June 3, 2026, at 6:30pm, via Resolution 2026-35, seconded by Rapp. Ayes, motion carries.

Mayor and Council concerns and comments were discussed. Hayworth explains Parks Committee intentions for fiscal year 2027 and a possible survey on what project will be next for our parks.

Rapp thanks officer Hopp for community policing and getting out there and meeting the public and Chief Frick for demonstrating bicycle safety to the student at WC. Parks would like animal control added to a future agenda due to the most recent hike in dogs and cats at large in our community and the number of pets still not registered with the city. It's \$5 for spade and neutered and \$10 for those which aren't.

Mayor Fisher would also like to thank all the hard workers, first responders, city workers, electricians, linemen, residents, WC wrestlers, WC Baseball players, and volunteers in our community for coming together and stepping up to help each other during the clean up after the storm. Pat Smith and Mike Ofert also want to thank Karl Paulsen, Ian Bappe and Ben Lau for donating their time and equipment to help dig us out of this devastating disaster around town.

Next meeting will be held Wednesday, June 3rd, 2026, at 6:30 pm.

With no further business Parks motioned to adjourn around 7:57 pm and Hayworth seconded. All ayes, motion carries-meeting closed.

Michaela Peterson
City Clerk

Jim Fisher
Mayor