

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE REGULAR WYOMING CITY COUNCIL MEETING
HELD AT CITY HALL, OCTOBER 20, 2025 AT 7:00 P.M.**

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Vanderwood.

The Invocation was given by Pastor Tressa Liba, Buck Creek Church.

Present: Councilmembers Arnoys, Brethauer, Hill, Postema, Postler, Mayor Vanderwood.

Councilmember Postema moved, seconded by Councilmember Hill, to excuse Councilmember DeKryger from the meeting.

Motion carried: 6 Yeas 0 Nays

The minutes of the October 6, 2025 Regular Meeting and the October 13, 2025 Work Session were approved by unanimous consent.

Councilmember Postema moved, seconded by Councilmember Brethauer, to approve the agenda.

Motion carried: 6 Yeas 0 Nays

PUBLIC HEARINGS

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS

PRESENTATIONS AND PROCLAMATIONS

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICERS

BUDGET AMENDMENTS

Budget Amendment No. 6 – To establish the Godwin Mercado Fund, appropriate \$254,995 of budgetary authority, and authorize the related General Fund transfer for initial operations and reserves

Councilmember Postler moved, seconded by Councilmember Postema, to approve the preceding Budget Amendment.

Motion carried: 6 Yeas 0 Nays

CONSENT AGENDA

RESOLUTION NO. 28547

**RESOLUTION TO APPOINT MORGAN OAKES AS A MEMBER OF THE
WYOMING PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION REPRESENTING THE
KELLOGGSVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Councilmember Postler moved, seconded by Councilmember Arnoys, to adopt the Consent Agenda.

Motion carried: 6 Yeas 0 Nays

RESOLUTIONS

RESOLUTION NO. 28548

RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT AND DISTRIBUTE GRANT FUNDING RECEIVED FROM THE OFFICE OF HIGHWAY SAFETY PLANNING (BUDGET AMENDMENT NO. 5)

Councilmember Postema moved, seconded by Councilmember Postler, that the above Resolution be adopted.

Motion carried: 6 Yeas 0 Nays

At the request of Mayor Vanderwood, with consent from the City Council, the following Resolutions were taken under one motion:

RESOLUTION NO. 28549

RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE PURCHASE OF PUBLIC SAFETY PATROL CAR LAPTOP AND DOCKING STATIONS

RESOLUTION NO. 28550

RESOLUTION FOR THE PURCHASE OF CRIME-LITE ALTERNATIVE LIGHT SOURCE TECHNOLOGY AND ACCESSORIES

RESOLUTION NO. 28551

RESOLUTION FOR THE PURCHASE OF PUBLIC SAFETY TACTICAL HELMETS

RESOLUTION NO. 28552

RESOLUTION FOR THE PURCHASE OF SUBJECT CONTROL MATS

Councilmember Hill moved, seconded by Councilmember Arnoys, that the above Resolutions be adopted.

Motion carried: 6 Yeas 0 Nays

RESOLUTION NO. 28553

RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT A QUOTE FOR THE PURCHASE OF AN EQUIPMENT TRAILER AND TO AUTHORIZE THE TRADE-IN OF AN EXISTING TRAILER

Councilmember Postema moved, seconded by Councilmember Brethauer, that the above Resolution be adopted.

Motion carried: 5 Yeas 1 Nay (Hill)

RESOLUTION NO. 28554

RESOLUTION TO ENTER INTO A MUNICIPAL WASTEWATER SLUDGE DISPOSAL SERVICES INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS

Councilmember Hill moved, seconded by Councilmember Postler, that the above Resolution be adopted.

Motion carried: 6 Yeas 0 Nays

RESOLUTION NO. 28555

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER AND CITY CLERK TO SIGN A CONTRACT TO REMOVE WOOD PALLETS IN VIOLATION OF A COURT ORDER FROM 2553 BATT DRIVE SW

Councilmember Hill moved, seconded by Councilmember Arnoys, that the above Resolution be adopted.

Motion carried: 6 Yeas 0 Nays

ORDINANCES

The Clerk introduced Ordinance 12-25:

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ZONING CODE SECTIONS 90-402A “SPECIAL PERMITTED USES AFTER SPECIAL APPROVAL”, 90-407A “SPECIAL PERMITTED USES AFTER SPECIAL APPROVAL”, 90-438A “SPECIAL PERMITTED USES AFTER SPECIAL APPROVAL”, 90-407B “PRINCIPAL PERMITTED USES”, 90-408B “PERMITTED USES AFTER SPECIAL APPROVAL”, 90-412B “PRINCIPAL PERMITTED USES”, 90-413B “SPECIAL USES”, 90-424B “PERMITTED USES”, 90-412C “SPECIAL USES”, 90-1309 “BUILDING HEIGHT TRANSITION AREA”, 90-2100 “APPLICABILITY” (Final Reading)

Councilmember Brethauer moved, seconded by Councilmember Postler, that the above Ordinance be adopted and that the Ordinance be published in the Official Newspaper of the City.

Motion carried: 6 Yeas 0 Nays

The Clerk introduced Ordinance 13-25:

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 34-1 DEFINITIONS AND SECTION 34-3 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO ADOPT THE INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE, 2024 EDITION, BY REFERENCE TOGETHER WITH CERTAIN AMENDMENTS AND APPENDICES (Final Reading)

Councilmember Postema moved, seconded by Councilmember Brethauer, that the above Ordinance be adopted and that the Ordinance be published in the Official Newspaper of the City.

Motion carried: 6 Yeas 0 Nays

The Clerk introduced Ordinance 14-25:

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 14-BUSINESSES, ARTICLE IV-ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR BUSINESSES, SEC. 14-42-REQUIREMENTS FOR ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION LICENSES TO ADD A NEW PARAGRAPH (H) TO ALLOW GODWIN MERCADO TO SERVE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES (Final Reading)

Councilmember Arnoys moved, seconded by Councilmember Postler, that the above Ordinance be adopted and that the Ordinance be published in the Official Newspaper of the City.

Motion carried: 5 Yeas 1 Nay (Hill)

The Clerk introduced Ordinance 15-25:

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 50-OFFENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS, ARTICLE II-OFFENSES AFFECTING GOVERNMENTAL FUNCTIONS, SECTION 50-36-POSSESSION OR CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR IN PUBLIC PARKS AND PLACES OF AMUSEMENT IS AMENDED TO ADD A NEW PARAGRAPH (4) TO ALLOW GODWIN MERCADO TO SERVE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES (Final Reading)

Councilmember Postema moved, seconded by Councilmember Arnoys, that the above Ordinance be adopted and that the Ordinances be published in the Official Newspaper of the City.

Motion carried: 5 Yeas 1 Nay (Hill)

RESOLUTIONS

RESOLUTION NO. 28556

RESOLUTION TO CONSIDER AN APPLICATION FROM THE CITY OF WYOMING FOR A CLASS C – MUNICIPAL CIVIC CENTER OR CIVIC AUDITORIUM LICENSE TO BE LOCATED AT GODWIN MERCADO, 301 – 36TH STREET, WYOMING MI 49509

Councilmember Postema moved, seconded by Councilmember Arnoys, that the above Resolution be adopted.

Motion carried: 5 Yeas 1 Nay (Hill)

INFORMATIONAL MATERIAL

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF VISITORS

The meeting adjourned at 7:47 p.m.

Kelli A. VandenBerg
City Clerk