



January 26, 2026 - 5:30 PM  
CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS

## **MINUTES**

### **1. Call to Order**

Members Present: Alan Snow, Ray West, Juan Topete

Others Present: Mayor David Flanigan

Staff Present: Police Chief Chad Dininger, Police Assistant Chief Jeff Pinnell, Fire Chief Jason Martin, Police Admin. Sgt. Heather Wolfe

Alan Snow called the meeting to order at 5:30PM

### **2. Old Business**

1. Approval of 11-24-25 Minutes

Chairman Snow made a motion to accept the 11-24-25 minutes.

Councilman West made a motion to approve. Motion passed.

### **3. Citizen Participation**

(Each person addressing the Committee shall state their name and address or the organization or firm represented and is limited to no more than five (5) minutes. The time may be extended by the chair if deemed necessary. Once a person has had their say on a particular issue, they are not permitted to once again speak on the issue unless called to answer any further questions by the Committee or Chair)

### **4. New Business**

1. Consider and discuss Tower 2 Tower Run - Meagan Milliken CWEP  
Consider and discuss 2026 Tower to Tower Run — Meagan Milliken.

Meagan Milliken presented to the committee the CWEP 2026 Tower 2 Tower Run. The CWEP will be hosting the run in honor of Drinking Water Week (May 3rd-9th). The event will take place on Saturday, May 9, 2026, at 8:00am, and all activities will conclude no later than 10:30am. The start/finish location will be at 826 E George E Phelps Blvd.

Councilman Topete made a motion to approve the 2025 Tower 2 Tower Run.  
Motion passed.

2. Consider and discuss acceptance of the MoDot HMV mini-grant — Chief Dininger

After lengthy discussion, a decision was made to accept and forward resolution 2109; a resolution authorizing the mayor to accept the Missouri Department of Transportation Hazardous Moving Violations Mini Grant for the Carthage Police Department to full council was made by Councilman Topete. Motion passed.

3. Consider and discuss acceptance of the Violent Crime Prevention grant — Chief Dininger

After lengthy discussion, a decision was made to forward resolution 2110; a resolution authorizing the mayor to accept the Missouri Department of Public Safety Local Violent Crime Prevention grant for the Carthage Police Department to full council.

Motion was made by Councilman Topete to forward to full council. Motion passed

4. Consider and discuss the decommissioning of police vehicles and one taxi van no in longer use — Chief Dininger

After lengthy discussion, a decision was made to forward resolution 2111; a resolution approving the declaration as surplus to the city's needs and authorizing the disposition of certain police department vehicles to full council.

It was determined that the funds received for the surplus of the taxi vehicle, would be placed back into the taxi account.

A motion was made by Councilman Topete. Motion passed.

5. Staff Reports

#### Fire Department

Fire Chief Martin gave station updates.

No motions

#### Police Department

Police Chief Dininger gave station updates, and requested to use PD donation account.

Councilman Topete made a motion to forward the request for the police department to use the donation account to the Budget Ways & Means meeting for approval.

## 5. **Adjournment**

Councilman Topete made a motion to adjourn at 6:44pm. Motion passed.