

**SIoux RAPIDS CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING FEBRUARY 13, 2026**

The Special meeting of the Sioux Rapids City Council was called to order by Mike Katschman on Friday, February 13, 2026, at 5:15 pm. Roll call: Mike Katschman, Mike Gunderson, Kevin Thompson and Christy Wernimont. Lacy Garberding and Susan Pierce were absent. Amanda Caraway was also in attendance.

Gunderson moved to approve Resolution No. 920 – Approving Pay Application Number 1 for Sioux Rapids Health Clinic Project that was tabled last meeting, it was seconded by Wernimont. Roll being called: Ayes: Gunderson, Thompson and Wernimont. Absent: Garberding and Pierce. The motion passes.

Gunderson moved to approve payment to Graves Constructions in the amount of \$43,707.66 some of the construction of the Sioux Rapids Health Clinic, it was seconded by Wernimont. Ayes: All Nays: None Absent: Garberding and Pierce. The motion is carried.

The City Council discussed the possibility of changing the Employee Handbook and with the advice of the City Attorney eliminating section 9.4 (a) Nepotism clause. Possibility have a Resolution ready at the next council meeting.

The City Council also discussed wages and salaries for fiscal year 2027 for budget and also discussed personnel structure.

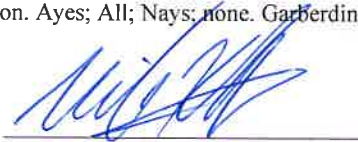
It was moved by Thompson to offer Holly Miller the Deputy City Clerk position as a full-time position with benefits at \$18.00/hr. If she was still waiting to work at the library as well she was welcome to come state her case at the next council meeting. It was seconded by Wernimont. Ayes: All Nays: None Absent: Garberding and Pierce. The motion is carried.

The next regular city council meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 11, 2026, at 6:30 pm at City Hall, 100 Front Street.

Gunderson made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Thompson. Ayes; All; Nays; none. Garberding and Pierce were absent. Motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 5:38 pm.

ATTEST;

  
Amanda Caraway, City Clerk

  
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Mayor, Mike Katschman