

CITY OF HARLAN – HARLAN, IOWA – October 30, 2025

The public was offered to participate by Zoom audio internet connection or by phone.

The City Council of the City of Harlan, Iowa met pursuant to law and the rules of said Council in special session, in the Council Chambers at 12:00 o'clock P.M. the 30th day of October 2025. The meeting was called to order by Jay Christensen, Mayor in the Chair, and the following Council members were:

PRESENT: Kyle Lindberg, Aaron Nippert, Troy Schaben, Sharon Kroger, Jennifer Kelly.

ABSENT: Richard Petersen.

The City Clerk presented the agenda. It was moved by Schaben and seconded by Lindberg to approve the agenda. Roll call vote: AYES: Lindberg, Nippert, Schaben, Kroger, Kelly. NAYS: None. Motion carried.

The Mayor asked the Council members to state any conflicts of interest, as applicable.

It was moved by Kroger and seconded by Lindberg to receive and file minutes from the 10-28-2025 Personnel & Finance Committee meeting. Roll call vote: AYES: Lindberg, Nippert, Schaben, Kroger, Kelly. NAYS: None. Motion carried.

During the discussion on the new fire truck, a council member raised concerns regarding storage capacity at the current fire station. It was noted that the proposed station expansion would address this issue, with the understanding that the expansion will incur additional costs beyond the purchase of the fire truck. Other options will be reviewed more thoroughly if the expansion isn't possible. It was moved by Schaben and seconded by Nippert to approve recommendation to sign the proposal to purchase a Pierce Mid-Mount Tower mounted on a Velocity Chassis from Reliant Fire Apparatus. Roll call vote: AYES: Lindberg, Nippert, Schaben, Kroger, Kelly. NAYS: None. Motion carried.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Ashley Schleis, City Clerk

Jay Christensen, Mayor

"These minutes are as recorded by the Clerk and are subject to Council approval at the next regular meeting."