

“The public was offered to participate in the Insurance meeting electronically by Zoom internet connection or by phone.”

The City of Harlan Insurance Committee met at 12:00 PM on Wednesday, March 11, 2026, in the City Council Chambers. Troy Schaben called the meeting to order. The following members were:

Present: City: Chairperson Troy Schaben and Richard Petersen
HMU: Michelle Erickson and Jim Shelton*

Absent: Aaron Nippert

Also, Present: Gervas Mgonja, Ashley Schleis, Susan Brammann, Joe Rueschenberg, Jenney Kelly, Brent Scheve
(* indicates participating remotely)

It was moved by Petersen and seconded by Erickson to approve the agenda. The motion carried unanimously.

Members were asked to state any conflicts of interest as applicable.

Brent Scheve with The Agency was present to review the renewal summary of coverage for property/casualty and work comp insurance for the City and HMU. The policy will go into effect April 1, 2026. Insurance rates have gone up due to many factors. Discussion was held on the insurance documentation provided including Summary of Coverage and Workers Compensation.

It was moved by Erickson and seconded by Petersen to make a recommendation to Council to approve The Agency’s proposal for the Property & Casualty Insurance renewal with EMC Insurance. The motion carried unanimously.

It was moved by Petersen and seconded by Erickson to make a recommendation to Council to approve The Agency’s proposal for the Work Comp Insurance with IMWCA, policy effective April 1st. The motion carried unanimously.

Old Business - none

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Ashley Schleis, Recording Secretary

“These minutes are as recorded by the secretary and are subject to Committee approval at the next regular meeting.”