

The Buffalo City Council meets on the first and third Mondays of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, 212 Central Ave (with some date exceptions for holidays).

This recap outlines key decisions made by the City Council and is not a comprehensive account of all actions taken. For more detail, please check our website and review the official minutes or watch the meeting online.

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The meeting of the Buffalo City Council was called to order at 7:00 p.m. Present: Mayor Steve Downer, Council Members Sheila Crawford, Brad Dahl, George Fantauzza, and Erin Walsh.

Monday
Dec 15, 2025

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Meeting Recap

- One individual spoke during **open forum** and presented donations to the community center project.
- Approved **liquor licenses** for JESI Ruelas, LLC, DBA La Catrina Restaurante & Bar.
- Adopted the **2026 budget, tax levy, CIP and master fee schedule**.
- Approved the **preliminary plat and planned unit development (PUD)** for the South Shores on Pulaski development.
- Approved **memoranda of understanding** with LELS Local #234.
- Approved **memoranda of understanding** with LELS Local #337.
- Made **2026 advisory board appointments**.
- Approved **donations** to the City of Buffalo.

Adjourned at 8:56 p.m. The next regular City Council meeting will be held on **Monday, January 5 at 7:00 p.m.**

Council recaps are not official minutes of City Council meetings. Official minutes are posted on the City website upon approval by the City Council.