

Madison City Council
Minutes December 15, 2025

The City Council meeting was called to order by Mayor Hamm at 6:03 p.m.

All present recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Follow by request for roll call. Present were Alderperson Browley Crochrell, Garrett, Crawford, Dixon and Johnson. Absent: Miller and Morris

It was moved by Alderperson Browley, seconded by Alderperson Dixon to approve the minutes of the Regular meeting held on December 15, 2025. Voice vote as follows: Six (6) ayes; no nays Absent: Miller and Morris Motion Carried

It was moved by Alderperson Crochrell, seconded by Alderperson Browley, to approve the presentation of the Comptroller's Report as submitted and that bills be allowed as drawn on the treasury and presented to the Council, unless there are any questions of the Summary of Expenses for the period of December 1, 2025, through December 15, 2025, in the amount of \$479,241.75. The Comptroller's Report was accepted as presented to be placed on file. Roll call as follows: Browley, Crochrell, Garrett, Crawford, Dixon and Johnson Absent: Miller and Morris Motion carried

Member of Public:

Mr. Clay owner of the apartments at 1720 and 1722 Kennedy Drive spoke about the trash service. He has concerns about paying the trash bill to the City of Madison. He is stating he is using a different company to pick up his trash, and he should not pay the City of Madison. He believes he is a commercial owner and should not pay like the residential owners. A discussion was held and the council would need time to review the issue. The council requested to have a meeting to discuss on Jan 5, 2026 at 5:00pm.

Reports Of Department Offices

Fire Chief advise everyone that they Santa Claus will be riding around on Dec 16 starting at 6pm. They will be handing out candy canes.

City Engineer stated they will start the Madison Avenue project on Jan 5, 2026.

It was moved by Alderperson Crochrell seconded by Alderperson Johnson to accept the reports of Department Officers Voice vote as follows: Six (6) ayes; no nays Absent: Miller and Morris Motion Carried

It was moved by Alderperson Crochrell seconded by Alderperson Crawford to approve to table both Ordinance to Amend Title 5 Chapter 50, Section 1 of the City of Madison Code of Ordinance and Ordinance Amending Title 15, Chapter 151, Section 2(B)(3)(Permit Fee Schedule) of The City of Madison Code of Ordinances. Roll call as follows: Browley, Crochrell, Garrett, Crawford, Dixon and Johnson Absent: Miller and Morris Motion carried

It was moved by Alderperson Browley seconded by Alderperson Johnson to approve an Ordinance making an assessment, levy, and collection of taxes within the corporate limits of the City of Madison, Counties of Madison and St. Clair County, State of Illinois, for the tax year 2025 and for the corporate expenses for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 2025, and ending April 30, 2026. Roll call as follows: Browley, Crochrell, Garrett, Crawford, Dixon and Johnson Absent: Miller and Morris Motion carried

Mayor advises the City of Madison received a \$25,000 donation from a small business in Madison. He may use the funds for the Recreation Program. He will review and advise.

There being no further business before the council meeting was adjourned at 6:30 p.m. by Alderperson Garrett seconded by Alderperson Browley Voice vote as follows: Six (6) ayes; no nays Absent: Miller and Morris Motion Carried

The next Council meeting will be held on January 20, 2026.

City Clerk: Celena Browley
Mayor: John W. H. H.
Date: 1-5-26