

The City of Prinsburg held its regular monthly council meeting on May 9, 2026, at 1:00 pm, with Mayor Mitch Swart presiding. Council members present were Greg Bonnema, Mike Bredeck, Dan Negen, and Nate Marcus. Also in attendance were Kari Steinbeisser of Conway Deuth & Schmiesing (CDS), and City Employees Nolan Slagter and Sarah Van Dyken

Art 1. Kari Steinbeisser of CDS presented the 2025 audit review. The General Fund is in good condition; however, the enterprise funds require closer review. The Council discussed creating restricted funds for future capital projects and purchases. Greg Bonnema moved to approve the audit. Nate seconded the motion. MSP

Art 2. Mike Bredeck moves to approve the Regular meeting minutes of May 9, 2026. Nate Marcus supports the motion. MSP

Art 3. Dan Negen moves to approve Claims presented in the amount of \$54,904.20. Mike Bredeck supports the motion. MSP

Art 4. Nuisance Ordinance NO 10

a. Dan Negen provided an update on Ordinance No. 10 and presented a second draft to the council. Greg Bonnema raised a question about the provision addressing grass over 6 inches and asked whether weeds and overgrown grass on residential property could be added to item 3. Sarah Van Dyken will make the minor revisions discussed. Dan Negen moved to approve Nuisance Ordinance No. 10 with the noted corrections. Greg Bonnema seconded the motion. MSP

b. Dan Negen moved to send the ordinance to Griffin, the City Attorney, after the corrections were made. Mike Bredeck seconded the motion. MSP

Art 5. The Council scheduled two additional workshop meetings: Wednesday, May 20 at 6:00 AM to discuss the Public Works lead job description, and Wednesday, May 27 at 6:00 AM to discuss the City's strategic planning.

Art 6. City Attorney Griffin Leitch is preparing an ordinance on soliciting in town. Sarah Van Dyken will share the information once it is received.

Art 7. Mayor Mitch Swart and Nolan Slagter are seeking another quote for a street sweeper.

Art 8. Mayor Mitch Swart moved to sign the Mayor letter on Paid Family and Medical Leave (PFML) to the Governor. Mike Bredeck seconded the motion. MSP

Art 9. Mayor Mitch Swart moved to approve the permit application for a shed on Brent Brouwers' business property. Dan Negen seconded the motion. MSP

Art 10. Sarah Van Dyken updated the Council on overdue water accounts and will continue to keep the Council informed of payments received.

Art 11. Greg Bonnema moves to adjourn the meeting. Mike Bredeck supports this motion. MSP

Sarah Van Dyken

Sarah Van Dyken, City Administrator/Clerk