

**CITY OF HARTFORD  
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING  
HARTFORD CITY HALL 6:30 PM  
150 W ELM ST  
TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 2026**

Attendees present in person: Mayor Kandi Petry, Council Members: Sophia Eckert, Gregory Jennings and Laura Edenburn. 2 Vacant Seats. City staff in attendance - Clerk Cynthia Crippen via phone, Steve Eckert, David DuShane and ISG Cameron Carroll. Mayor Petry called the meeting to order at 6:30 P.M. Voluntary Pledge of Allegiance recited.

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA ITEMS:** Motion by Eckert, seconded by Jennings to approve. Motion carried 3-0.

**HOMETOWN PRIDE STREET ART PROJECT:** Leslie DesCamps presented ideas to council and feedback was provided before moving forward with more research to present back to council.

**MINUTES:** Motion by Eckert, seconded by Jennings to approve the minutes from Special Council Meeting June 02, 2026. Motion carried 3-0.

**RECEIVE AND FILE:** Motion by Eckert, seconded by Jennings to approve Sheriff report from May 2026, Fire/EMS report from May 2026. Motion carried 3-0.

**CONSENT AGENDA:**

**Expenditures:** Motion by Jennings, seconded by Eckert to approve for the Period June 1, 2026 – June 12, 2026. Motion carried 3-0.

**Payroll:** Motion by Jennings, seconded by Edenburn to approve for the Period June 1, 2026-June 12, 2026 for Steve Eckert, Jed Hampton, Dave Smith and Cynthia Crippen, AYES: Jennings, Edenburn and Abstain: Eckert.

**MAYOR** – Welcomed guest no public comment.

**REPORTS** – Reports given by Clerk, Fire/EMS, Public Works and ISG.

**COUNCIL BUSINESS:** Consideration & Possible Actions

**Alley Restoration Change Order #3** – Motion by Eckert, seconded by Jennings to approve. Motion carried 3-0.

**American Towers – Agreement** – Sophia present to council the proposed changes, It will be sent to legal for review.

**ESO – CAD Vendor Change** – New system will go live on June 23, 2026.

**AFG Grant** – Fire Department will be applying for 3 different grants earmarking \$58,000.00 of Fire/EMS Reserve funds:

2<sup>nd</sup> out Engine: Motion by Eckert, seconded by Jennings approving \$50,000. Motion carried 3-0.

SCBA Fill Station: Motion by Eckert, seconded by Jennings approving \$5,000. Motion carried 3-0.

EMT/Paramedic School 2 people: Motion by Eckert, seconded by Jennings approving \$3,000. Motion carried 3-0.

**Buchanan – Culvert Reconstruction and Ditch Work** – Motion by Eckert, seconded by Jennings to approve \$11,500 paid for with Storm funds. Motion carried 3-0.

**4<sup>th</sup> of July Street Closure Request – Dayton Circle** – Motion by Eckert, seconded by Jennings to approve. Motion carried 3-0.

**Back to School Bash – Street Closure Request** – Motion by Eckert, seconded by Jennings to approve & waiving the fees. Motion carried 3-0.

**Old Street Signs** – Will be donated to the Hometown Pride committee for a new project.

**GENERAL DISCUSSION:**

A Special Meeting will be scheduled for legal update.

Mayor Petry will call Safe Building regarding FD building permit.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Motion by Edenburn, seconded by Eckert to adjourn meeting at 7:36 pm; motion carried 3-0.

Cynthia Crippen, Clerk

Kandi S. Petry, Mayor

Note: Minutes are unofficial until approved by Council-final approval may include corrections.