



CITY OF BANGOR
BANGOR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
November 4, 2024
MINUTES

Fire Station

Regular Meeting

7:00PM

417 W ARLINGTON ST
BANGOR, MI 49013

1. **This meeting was called to order by Mayor Farmer at 7:00 pm.**
2. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE IS LED BY COUNCILMEMBER UPLINGER AND RECITED BY ALL PRESENT**

ATTENDANCE/ROLL CALL

Attendee Name	Title	Status	
		Present	Absent
Lynne Farmer	Mayor	X	
Pati Martinez-Serratos	Mayor Pro Tem	X	
Heléne Rivers	Councilmember	X	
Jeremy Uplinger	Councilmember	X	
Jerry Muenzer	Councilmember	X	
Amber Garcia	Councilmember		X
Darla McCrumb	Councilmember	X	
QUORUM MET			

OTHERS PRESENT

Shelly Umbanhowar, Clerk
 Ezekiel Drake, Code Enforcement
 Derek Babcock, Fire Chief

Steve Lowder, DPW Director
 Scott Graham, City Attorney
 Approximately 7 members of the public

3. **APPROVAL OF REGULAR AGENDA**

Motion to accept Regular Meeting Agenda as Presented.	
RESULT:	CARRIED (UNANIMOUS)
MOVER:	Jeremy Uplinger, Councilmember
SECONDER:	Jerry Muenzer, Councilmember

4. **APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA**

a. **Consent Agenda**

Motion to accept Consent Agenda items:	
Regular 10/21/24 , General Checking Accounts Payable & Payroll in the amount of \$154,124.89 and T&A Checking Accounts Payable in the amount of \$24,951.69 .	
RESULT:	APPROVED (6 YES, 1 ABSENT)
MOVER:	Heléne Rivers, Councilmember
SECONDER:	Pati Martinez-Serratos, Mayor Pro-Tem
AYES:	Rivers, Martinez-Serratos, Muenzer, Uplinger, McCrumb, Farmer
ABSENT:	Garcia

5. OTHER REGULAR BUSINESS

None

6. OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

Public comments were heard.

7. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

a. Decision to Approve/Deny New City Attorney Selection: Nick Curcio

Brief discussion regarding hiring a new City Attorney or keeping current City Attorney Scott Graham. Scott Graham is willing to continue to be the City Attorney for the City.

Motion to continue to retain Scott Graham as the City Attorney.

RESULT: APPROVED (5 YES, 1 NO, 1 ABSENT)

MOVER: Jerry Muenzer, Councilmember

SECONDER: Pati Martinez-Serratos, Mayor Pro-Tem

AYES: Rivers, Martinez-Serratos, Muenzer, Uplinger, Farmer

NAYS: McCrumb

ABSENT: Garcia

8. NEW BUSINESS

a. Stephanie Strickfaden/Crossing Guard Resignation

Motion to accept the Resignation effective Friday, 11/08/24.

RESULT: CARRIED (UNANIMOUS)

MOVER: Jeremy Uplinger, Councilmember

SECONDER: Heléne Rivers, Councilmember

AYES: Rivers, Garcia, Martinez-Serratos, Muenzer, Uplinger, McCrumb, Farmer

9. OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

10. COUNCILMEMBER COMMENTS

Councilmember comments were heard.

11. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn at 7:37 PM

RESULTS: CARRIED (UNANIMOUS)

MOVER: Jeremy Uplinger, Councilmember

SECONDER: Pati Martinez-Serratos, Mayor Pro-Tem

Shelly Umbanhowar, City Clerk

Mayor Lynne Farmer

CERTIFICATION

I, **Shelly Umbanhowar**, the duly appointed Clerk for the City of Bangor, do hereby certify that this is a true and exact copy of the minutes from the **Regular Meeting held on Monday, November 4, 2024**. These minutes were **approved by the City Council on Monday, November 18, 2024**, by unanimous vote. The original is on file at the Bangor City Hall, 257 W. Monroe Street, Bangor, Michigan 49013.

Shelly Umbanhowar, City Clerk