

**CITY OF MENDOTA  
REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MINUTES  
October 6, 2025**

Mayor Boelk then called the October 6<sup>th</sup>, 2025 Regular City Council Meeting to order at 5:34pm. The meeting was held in person at 607 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Mendota. After the Pledge of Allegiance, roll call was taken.

**PRESENT: Mayor Boelk, Alderpersons Hessenberger, Fitzpatrick, Hochstatter, Holland, Kim, Miller, Peasley and Johnson.**

**ABSENT: None.**

Mayor Boelk asked if there were any changes, additions or deletions to the agenda. Alderman Miller stated that the Scavenger License will be tabled. Alderman Hessenberger stated that the ordinance, 10-06-25A, vacating the alley between 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Streets will also be tabled. Being no other changes, he entertained a motion to approve:

1. The Agenda for the Regular City Council Meeting for October 6, 2025.
2. The Minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting held on September 15, 2025.
3. The payment of General Fund Bills totaling \$124,781.93.
4. The payment of Water/Sewer Fund Bills totaling \$74,129.74.

**General Fund Bills**

1st AYD Corp.	\$198.97
A.R.S.	\$1,609.07
Alexis Fire Equipment	\$537.23
Alta Equipment Company	\$1,191.19
American Machine	\$269.70
Amrize Mid-America Inc.	\$2,193.40
Anderson Mosshart	\$229.00
Annie Short	\$958.74
Beatty's Lock & Key	\$268.25
Bound Tree Medical LLC	\$121.85
C.O.P.S. & F.I.R.E. Personnel	\$500.00
Cardmember Service	\$1,127.51
Carquest Auto Parts	\$803.59
Carriage House Electric	\$2,271.00
Choice1 Health Care Services	\$93.80
City of Mendota/Water Dept.	\$124.88
Clegg=Perkins Electric	\$1,082.50
ComCast	\$551.42
ComCast Business	\$73.95
ComEd	\$1,655.67
Dinges Fire Company	\$450.00
Ekana Nurseries	\$630.00
Environmental Systems Research	\$1,304.84
Ehtan Guelde	\$75.00
Ficek Electric & Communications	\$99.00
Fire Penny	\$134.30
First Net	\$250.37
Frontier	\$279.09

Graphic Electronics Inc.	\$26.00
Hi-Viz Inc.	\$375.00
Illinois Frame Inc.	\$379.27
Illinois Valley Regional Dispatch	\$17,368.05
Jason Martin	\$300.00
Jeff Schillinger	\$75.00
Justin Boelk	\$225.74
Justin Setchell	\$969.00
Klein, Thorpe & Jenkins LTD	\$1,003.00
LaSalle Publishing Co	\$119.57
Mark Grinka	\$75.00
Mautino Dist. Co. Inc.	\$47.70
McLean County Asphalt Co.	\$1,250.50
Mendota Area Chamber of Commerce	\$700.00
Mendota Companion Animal Center	\$476.52
Mendota Ford Inc.	\$173.00
Mendota YMCA	\$3,687.45
Midwest Disposal	\$42,756.68
Moore Tire	\$1,320.80
Nicholas Stremlau	\$75.00
Nicor Gas	\$111.80
Northern Illinois Ambulance Billing	\$2,967.50
Norther Partners Coop	\$9,992.10
O'Reilly Auto Parts	\$134.12
OSF Occupational Health	\$1,027.25
Pitney Bowes Bank Inc. Purchase	\$201.00
Ray O'Herron Co. Inc.	\$66.53
Rita Borelli	\$75.00
Roberto Martinez	\$75.00
Schmidt Sales & Service LLC	\$161.05
Sherwin Williams Co.	\$272.14
SMB Data Networks Inc.	\$6,487.50
Sullivan Foods	\$390.70
Sullivan's Ace Hardware	\$97.52
Susan Ponto	\$160.00
The Glass Guy	\$435.32
Thrush Sanitations Svc. Inc.	\$345.00
Tri State Asphalt LLC	\$4,933.12
Unifirst Corp	\$107.25
United Rentals Inc.	\$648.60
Utility Equipment Company	\$190.83
Validor Consulting	\$4,600.00
Western Sand & Gravel	\$815.00
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**Water-Sewer Fund Bills**

Blue Cardinal Chemical	\$389.61
Brenntag Mid-South Inc.	\$563.00

Carquest Auto Parts	\$6.66
Carus LLC	\$4,234.00
Chase Card Services	\$728.75
City of Mendota Insurance Reserve	\$2,675.89
ComEd	\$2,791.79
Constellation New Energy	\$437.31
Dynegy Energy Service	\$27,065.46
Environmental Systems Research	\$2,609.68
Erin Lauer	\$75.00
Fehr Graham	\$13,500.00
Ferguson Waterworks	\$967.38
First Net	\$326.83
Frontier	\$1,015.96
Gracie Cervantes	\$211.21
Hach Company	\$732.82
Jason Phalen	\$15.57
Lawson Products Inc.	\$274.63
Menards-Peru	\$136.25
Midwest Mailing & Shipping	\$2,095.00
Moore Tire	\$33.53
NiCor Gas	\$668.46
Peterson & Matz Inc.	\$4,195.99
Roberta Patterson	\$356.65
SMB Data Networks Inc.	\$450.00
Sullivan's Ace Hardware	\$21.13
Test Inc.	\$1,745.00
Unifirst Corp.	\$222.78
Utility Equipment Company	\$5,583.00
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Alderman Holland motioned to approve the above items. Alderman Hochstatter seconded the motion.

**The Roll Call Vote:**

**Ayes: Alderpersons Hessenberger, Fitzpatrick, Hochstatter, Holland, Kim, Miller, Peasley and Johnson.**

**Nays: None.**

**Absent: None.**

**Motion carried.**

**City Clerk McConville's Business & Correspondence:**

<b>City Sales Tax</b>						
7/24 disbursed	9/24	\$139,063.09		25FYTD	\$684,316.72	
7/25 disbursed	9/25	\$177,992.41	27.99%	26FYTD	\$850,998.35	24.36%
<b>Non-Home Rule Sales Tax</b>						
7/25 disbursed	9/25	\$97,764.44		26FYTD	\$412,174.20	
<b>State Income Tax</b>						
7/24 disbursed	9/24	\$61,799.66		25FYTD	\$488,654.45	
7/25 disbursed	9/25	\$135,439.25	119.16%	26FYTD	\$635,380.26	30.03%

**Attorney Guilfoyle's Business & Correspondence:**

**Department Head Business & Correspondence:**

Annie Short thanked the city staff for their help making Safe Night Out successful. They had more than 800 people attend. She added that Amigo Fest will happen downtown from 3pm-9pm on October 11th. All are invited.

**Aldermanic Business & Correspondence:**

Alderman Hessenberger presented and motioned to approve Ordinance 10-06-25, An Ordinance Vacating Part of an Alley. This ordinance vacates the 12' alley that runs north and south between 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> Streets and east of Lincoln Avenue. Alderman Holland seconded the motion.

**The Roll Call Vote:**

**Ayes: Alderpersons Hessenberger, Fitzpatrick, Hochstatter, Holland, Kim, Miller, Peasley and Johnson.**

**Nays: None.**

**Absent: None.**

**Motion carried.**

Alderman Hessenberger brought forth a Petition to Annex from the City of Mendota. Two of the three parcels that the city obtained when they purchased Phalen Steel Construction Company are not presently in the city limits. Letters will be sent to the appropriate taxing bodies and an ordinance will be on a future agenda.

Alderman Fitzpatrick stated that the Leaf Pickup Program will start on October 20<sup>th</sup>. Pickup for the 4<sup>th</sup> Ward will be on Mondays. The 2<sup>nd</sup> Ward will be Tuesdays. The 3<sup>rd</sup> Ward will be Wednesdays and the 4<sup>th</sup> Ward will be on Thursdays. Fridays will be catch up day.

Alderman Fitzpatrick presented the bid results for the Main Street Sidewalk Project. The low bid at \$153,920 is Gillan Construction. Alderman Fitzpatrick motioned to award the project to Gillan Construction. Alderman Hessenberger seconded the motion.

**The Roll Call Vote:**

**Ayes: Alderpersons Hessenberger, Fitzpatrick, Hochstatter, Holland, Kim, Miller, Peasley and Johnson.**

**Nays: None.**

**Absent: None.**

**Motion carried.**

Next, Alderman Fitzpatrick presented and motioned to approve Resolution 10-06-25, Resolution of Support and Commitment of Local Funds for Safe Routes to School Grant. Alderperson Johnson seconded the motion.

**The Voice Vote: ALL AYES.**

**Absent: None.**

**Motion carried.**

Alderman Miller presented License Addition #5 consisting of liquor licenses for Two Aces and Reimagine Mendota. It also contained a video gaming license for Two Aces. Alderman Miller motioned to approve the liquor licenses with the provision that Two Aces pass a final inspection by the Building Inspector. Alderman Peasley seconded the motion.

**The Voice Vote: ALL AYES.**

**Absent: None.**

**Motion carried.**

Alderman Miller did not bring the video gaming license to a vote since Two Aces has not been open for a period of at least 6 months.

Alderman Peasley stated that the UTV Ordinance was in effect and everything is going smoothly.

At this time, Alderman Kim introduced Paula Daley to swear in Nathan Tolley as a full-time firefighter/paramedic. His wife, Victoria, presented and pinned his badge.

Alderman Hochstatter asked if a person were to get a new UTV would the old license be transferred? The answer is no. It will have to go through the inspection process and get a new license.

Mayor Boelk asked if there was any other business from the council or department heads. Being no other business, Mayor Boelk asked if there was any business from the floor. Being none, Mayor Boelk asked for a motion to adjourn.

Kim motioned to adjourn the Regular City Council Meeting of October 6, 2025 at 5:49pm. Alderman Miller seconded the motion.

**The Voice Vote: ALL AYES.**

**Absent: None.**

**Motion carried.**

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**David W. Boelk, Mayor**

**ATTEST:**

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**Emily J. McConville, City Clerk**