

RESOLUTION 26-09

A Resolution Authorizing the City Manager to Enter into A Partnership Agreement With the Board of Preble County Commissioners for the Purposes of Outlining Their Responsibilities and the Terms of Compliance with the 2026 Community Housing Impact and Preservation Program (CHIP).

Councilman Moore moved for the adoption of Resolution 26-09. Councilman Matlock seconded the motion which passed as follows:

Ayes: Ball, Matlock, Moore, Kirsch, Renner (5) Nays: None (0)

RESOLUTION 26-10

A Resolution Authorizing the City Manager to Execute the Purchase and Installation of a Shelter/Restroom Facility for the Water Works Park Expansion Project.

Councilman Moore moved for the adoption of Resolution 26-10. Councilman Ball seconded the motion which passed as follows:

Ayes: Matlock, Moore, Kirsch (3) Nays: Ball, Renner (2)

RESOLUTION 26-11

A Resolution Accepting the 2025 Community Reinvestment Area Annual Report.

Councilman Matlock moved for the adoption of Resolution 26-11. Councilman Moore seconded the motion which passed as follows:

Ayes: Ball, Matlock, Moore, Kirsch, Renner (5) Nays: None (0)

CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

1. Staff attended the Ribbon Cutting for Dunkin on 2/26. Dunkin awarded \$1000.00 to Eaton Community Schools as a charitable partner.
2. The Wastewater Treatment Plant Filter Replacement Project is on schedule and on budget at this time. Completion is set for May 2026.
3. Eaton Fire/EMS has received a \$10,500.00 Grant from the State Fire Marshall. This will go towards new hoses and nozzles.
4. Phase II of the North Maple Street Project started on 3/16 with an estimated completion date of November 2026.
5. The next scheduled Council meeting is Monday, April 20, 2026.

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

None

CITIZEN COMMENTS

John Ott of 1001 Park Ave asked staff and Council questions regarding the Water Works Park Expansion Project. He inquired about the cost, placement of the Playground and the Shelter/Restroom and the lighting of the Parking Lot. City Manager Brad Collins advised the Playground will be approximately \$400,000.00 and the Shelter/Restroom will be approximately \$340,000.00. He also advised that the locations of each and that there is not a lighting plan for the parking lot as the park will close at dark. The only lighting will be on the Shelter/Restroom above the doors.

Doug Mowen of 717 East High Street also addressed Council regarding the Policy and Procedures of the Eaton Emergency Squad. He explained that his mother had just been released from Reid Hospital and within days of coming home, she was having low oxygen and shortness of breath. Mr. Mowen was going to take her to Reid, however, her condition didn't feel stable enough for him to transport her himself. He then called the Eaton Emergency Squad who then advised on arrival that per their Policy and Procedures, they would have to take her to the closest and most appropriate facility. Mr. Mowen's concern is that his mother had just been released from Reid Hospital and her care team is located at Reid and not at the closest facility. He felt that she would be better cared for by her own Doctors and needed to be transported to Reid.

Before she was transported by the Eaton Emergency Squad, Mr. Mowen decided to transport his mother to Reid on his own. He believes the Policy and Procedures of the Eaton Emergency Squad need to be evaluated and reconsidered to accommodate the requests of each patient individually.

Council and Staff discussed the concerns and will continue to work together to review standards and policy.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

None

ADJOURN

Councilman Moore moved to adjourn. Councilman Ball seconded the motion which passed as follows:

Ayes: Ball, Matlock, Moore, Kirsch, Renner (5)

Nays: None (0)

SS Deputy Clerk of Council

SS Mayor