

**COMMON COUNCIL
REGULAR SESSION
June 1, 2026
7:00 P.M.**

The Common Council of the City of Warsaw met in a Regular Session on Monday, June 1, 2026 at 7:00 p.m. in the temporary Council Chambers at the Police Department. Mayor Jeff R. Grose presided and the following people were noted as present or absent:

PRESENT: Council members Cindy Dobbins, Jack Wilhite, Juergen Voss, Josh Finch, Mike Klondaris, Jerry Frush, and Diane Quance. Also present were Mayor Jeff R. Grose, Clerk-Treasurer Lynne Christiansen, City Planner Justin Taylor, Lucas Fonseca from Language Matters, local citizens Mike Loher and Fred Helfrich and reporter David Slone from the Times-Union. The meeting was also presented live over the City's website at <https://www.warsaw.in.gov>.

ABSENT: City Attorney Scott Reust.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Grose followed by the Invocation and the Pledge of Allegiance.

MINUTES-

The minutes from the May 18, 2026 meeting were presented for approval. Motion made by Councilor Dobbins to approve the minutes as presented, seconded by Councilor Frush, carried by unanimous vote.

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS-

-Mike Loher passed out information on Kosciusko County Freedom Fest scheduled for June 5-7, 2026.

REPORTS/ORAL & WRITTEN COMMUNICATION-

-Language Matters update from Lucas Fonseca

UNFINISHED BUSINESS-

ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 74 OF THE CITY CODE-

Ordinance #2026-06-01 was presented for its second reading. City Planner Justin Taylor reviewed the Ordinance and its purpose, which amends Chapter 74 Article VII of the City Code adding electric bicycles, and micromobility devices and addressing definitions, general operating regulations, speed regulations, device-specific regulations, safety regulations, enforcement and penalties, and state law compliance. The Traffic Commission has recommended the Ordinance and Mr. Taylor is asking the Council for approval. This is the advertised public hearing, and Mayor Grose opened the meeting for public comment. Fred Helfrich spoke in favor of the Ordinance, and with no comments being made against the Ordinance, Mayor Grose closed the meeting to public comment. After discussion, Councilor Wilhite made a motion to approve the Ordinance on second and final reading, seconded by Councilor Dobbins, carried by unanimous vote.

NEW BUSINESS-

None noted.

ADJOURNED-

There being no further business to come before the Council by a motion duly made and seconded, the meeting was adjourned at 7:57 p.m.

ATTEST:

Lynne Christiansen, Clerk Treasurer