

COMMON COUNCIL

Special Meeting
November 5, 2025

Mayor Brian Doliver presided at a special meeting of the Common Council held at 6:00 PM on November 5, 2025, in the Common Council Chambers at One Court Plaza.

Present:

Mayor Brian Doliver
Ald. Eric Warren
Ald. Nancy Allaire
Ald. William Loomis
Ald. David Zieno
Ald. Matthew Caezza

Supervisor Robert M. Jeffrey

Also:

Director of Finance/City Clerk Dee DuFour
Director of Human Resources Lynn Murray
DPW Superintendent Tim Miller
Youth Bureau Director Anthony Testani
Fire Chief Jan Papelino
Asst. Police Chief Matthew Roberts
Community Development Director Erik Scrivener
Deputy City Clerk Agnes Eaton

Absent

Supervisor James McNeil
Ald. Fred Gee

Call to Order

The meeting of the Common Council was called to order at 7:46 p.m.

Resolutions

RESOLUTION #107 - 2025 AUTHORIZING AGREEMENT FOR FIRE PROTECTION AND EMS SERVICES WITH THE TOWN OF NORWICH

Ald. Zieno introduced the following and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, the most recent contract with the Norwich Rural Fire Protection District for fire protection services expires on December 31, 2025; and

WHEREAS, said contract provides that the City of Norwich furnish fire protection services to the duly established fire protection district known as the Norwich Rural Fire Protection District, said district embracing territory within the Town of Norwich; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Norwich would like to include EMS services into the contract; and

WHEREAS, a proposed three-year contract for the Town of Norwich commencing January 1, 2026 and expires on December 31, 2028 has been drafted with respective increases of 2% , 2 ½% and 3% over the three years;

WHEREAS, the Joint Committees have made certain recommendations; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Mayor be and hereby is authorized, under the direction of the City Attorney, to sign a new Fire Protection and EMS Services Agreement for 2026, 2027 and 2028 with the Town of Norwich.

Seconded by Ald. Warren and duly adopted ayes all, 5 - 0, on a roll call vote.

Executive Session

Ald. Loomis **moved** to enter executive session to discuss the employment history of a particular individual at 7:47 p.m.
Seconded by Ald. Allaire, approved ayes all.

Ald. Caezza **moved** to exit executive session at 8:10 p.m. Seconded by Ald. Warren, approved ayes all.

Adjournment

Ald. Loomis **moved** to adjourn at 8:10 p.m. Seconded by Ald. Warren, approved ayes all.