

PINCONNING CITY COUNCIL

REGULAR MEETING

SEPTEMBER 15, 2025

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER:

Mayor Boettcher called the regular meeting of the Pinconning City Council to order at 5:30 pm.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Boettcher.

3. ROLL CALL:

A motion was made by Lesniak, seconded by Wiess to excuse the absences of Council Member Johnson due to work obligations. All yeas, motion carried.

Present: Bleshenski, Wiess, Boetefuer, Lesniak, Chant, Mayor Boettcher

Also present:

Rebecca Lakin, City Manager

Amy Bromberg, City Treasurer

Jessica View, City Clerk

Craig Barnt, Editor of Pinconning Journal

4. MAYOR'S COMMENT:

The mayor recognized the hard work of the DPW staff regarding the extensive dig on second street last week. She also mentioned the wonderful event city members attended at the "Farm to Table" sponsored by Mr. Chip's. She lastly mentioned the city's Trunk or Treat event and Haunted Mansion on October 11 from 12-3.

5. APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

A motion was made by Chant, seconded by Boetefuer to approve the agenda. All yeas, motion carried.

6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

*A motion was made by Chant, seconded by Bleshenski to approve the Regular City Council Meeting on August 18, 2025, and the Special City Council Meeting August 25, 2025, as presented. Roll call taken: Boetefuer **abstain**, Wiess, Lesniak, Chant, Bleshenski, Mayor Boettcher **yeas**. Motion carried.*

7. APPROVAL OF BILLS:

A motion was made by Chant, seconded by Wiess to approve the bills for September in the amount of \$122,361.15. Roll call taken: All yeas, motion carried.

8. TREASURER'S REPORT/COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Treasurer Bromberg informed the council of the reducing of Revenue Sharing by about 3%. She gave them a generalized report of DDA figures and quarterly budget adjustments. She recommended a Finance Committee be initiated and Boetefuer and Chant both volunteered and were appointed by Mayor Boettcher. A motion was made by Boetefuer, seconded by Chant to approve the budget adjustments as presented. Roll call taken: All yeas, motion carried.

There was nothing to report on the DDA monthly meeting, due to lack of a quorum.

The Fireboard Meeting was September 11, and no business was conducted due to a lack of a quorum. They did, however, on behalf of the city, ask for the Fire Department to join the city's Trunk or Treat event on October 11 from 12-2 pm.

The next Planning Commission Board meeting will be on Wednesday, September 24 at 5:30pm.

PRESENTATION:

Jim Reaume, CEO of Bay Future, spoke to the City Council regarding their company visions and how they can help with economic growth in the surrounding areas in Bay County. He mentioned the study that has been conducted for the M-13 corridor regarding empty business buildings.

Chief Terry Spencr, Pinconning Police Department, spoke to the council regarding the progress the police department since it became viable again in 2021. He explained the costs associated with the disbandment and the good news of how grants have made it possible to get new equipment and needed supplies. He announced he will be leaving his position as the chief in the coming months.

10. PUBLIC COMMENT:

Chris Kuehne, Gloria Purtell, Frank Madecki, Machel Faith, Dennis Whitney, Brian Saha and Terry Spencer spoke in Public Comment.

11. OLD BUSINESS:

A. Approval of newly revised Salaried Staff Personnel Policy

Last month this item was tabled for additional time to review. The original contract had not been updated in over 20 plus years. Additional items were amended and a few new changes introduced. A brief discussion was held and a motion by Chant, seconded by Boetefuer, was made to approve the newly revised Salaried Staff Personnel Policy as presented. Roll call taken: Boetefuer, Chant, Bleshenski, Mayor Boettcher **YEAS** Lesniak, Wiess **No. Motion carried**

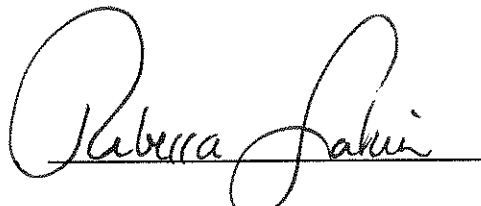
12. NEW BUSINESS:

A. Approval of Ordinance #414- Camper Ordinance

This agenda item has been on Old Business for 3 months, following Robert's Rules of Order, it was placed back as New Business. After comments and suggestions from the council last month, additional items were added. Discussion was held and a motion was made by Boetefuer, seconded by Bleshenski to approve Ordinance #414-Camper Ordinance as presented. Roll call taken: Boetefuer, Wiess, Chant, Bleshenski, Mayor Boettcher **YEAS** Lesniak **NO. Motion carried.**

13. ADJOURNMENT:

With nothing further to address, a motion was made by Boetefuer, seconded by Bleshenski to adjourn the Regular City Council Meeting at 6:53 pm. All yeas, motion carried.



Rebecca Lakin, City Manager