

Elmira City Council

Meeting Minutes

RE: AGENDA, ELMIRA CITY
COUNCIL MEETING

Monday, March 23, 2026 – 5:30 PM

2026-68
Nan Moss

Act on resolution dispensing with the minutes of the regular Meeting held on Monday, March 9, 2026.

MOTION: Approve SPONSORED BY: Nannette M Moss VOTE: 7- 0
AYES: Daniel Mandell, Corey Cooke, Nick Grasso, Joseph H Duffy, Nannette M Moss, Gary Brinn, Jackie Wilson TOTAL: 7
NAYS: TOTAL: 0
ABSTAIN: TOTAL: 0
ABSENT: TOTAL: 0

Public Hearing for the Purpose of Receiving Written and Oral Comments for the Public Regarding the City of Elmira's 2026 Annual Action Plan for the Community Development Block Grant and HOME programs.

2026-69
Jackie Wilson

Act on Resolution Reporting The Results Of The Elmira Housing Authority Election Of A Tenant Representative To The Elmira Housing Authority, Held On March 3, 2026, Declaring Doreen Farr Elected With A Term To Expire March 22, 2028.

MOTION: Approve SPONSORED BY: Jackie Wilson VOTE: 7- 0
AYES: Daniel Mandell, Corey Cooke, Nick Grasso, Joseph H Duffy, Nannette M Moss, Gary Brinn, Jackie Wilson TOTAL: 7
NAYS: TOTAL: 0
ABSTAIN: TOTAL: 0
ABSENT: TOTAL: 0

2026-70
Gary Brinn

A resolution urging Governor Kathy Hochul and other elected officials to declare a state of emergency over rising electric grid charges under Iberdrola, Avangrid, and their regional subsidiaries New York State Electric and Gas and Rochester Gas and Electric, and to pursue legislative and regulatory action to return the electrical grid to public, not-for-profit, or public benefit ownership.

MOTION: Approve SPONSORED BY: Gary Brinn VOTE: 7- 0
AYES: Daniel Mandell, Corey Cooke, Nick Grasso, Joseph H Duffy,

Nannette M Moss, Gary Brinn, Jackie Wilson TOTAL: 7
NAYS: TOTAL: 0
ABSTAIN: TOTAL: 0
ABSENT: TOTAL: 0

2026-71
Mayor Mandell

Receive communication from the City Manager and act on resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute an agreement between the City and Kennedy Valve, Co. regarding the installation of two semi actuated traffic signals on Judson Street; said agreement subject to Corporation Counsel approval.

MOTION: Approve SPONSORED BY: Daniel Mandell VOTE: 7- 0
AYES: Daniel Mandell, Corey Cooke, Nick Grasso, Joseph H Duffy, Nannette M Moss, Gary Brinn, Jackie Wilson TOTAL: 7
NAYS: TOTAL: 0
ABSTAIN: TOTAL: 0
ABSENT: TOTAL: 0

2026-72
Gary Brinn

Act on Lead Hazard Reduction Grant Program Audit.

MOTION: Approve SPONSORED BY: Gary Brinn VOTE: 7- 0
AYES: Daniel Mandell, Corey Cooke, Nick Grasso, Joseph H Duffy, Nannette M Moss, Gary Brinn, Jackie Wilson TOTAL: 7
NAYS: TOTAL: 0
ABSTAIN: TOTAL: 0
ABSENT: TOTAL: 0

2026-73
Nan Moss

Act on Community Development Block Grant Program Audit.

MOTION: Approve SPONSORED BY: Nannette M Moss VOTE: 7- 0
AYES: Daniel Mandell, Corey Cooke, Nick Grasso, Joseph H Duffy, Nannette M Moss, Gary Brinn, Jackie Wilson TOTAL: 7
NAYS: TOTAL: 0
ABSTAIN: TOTAL: 0
ABSENT: TOTAL: 0

2026-74
Joseph Duffy

Act on Audit.

MOTION: Approve SPONSORED BY: Joseph H Duffy VOTE: 7- 0
AYES: Daniel Mandell, Corey Cooke, Nick Grasso, Joseph H Duffy, Nannette M Moss, Gary Brinn, Jackie Wilson TOTAL: 7
NAYS: TOTAL: 0
ABSTAIN: TOTAL: 0
ABSENT: TOTAL: 0

2026-75

Jackie Wilson

Act on resolution to adjourn.

MOTION: Approve SPONSORED BY: Jackie Wilson VOTE: 7- 0
AYES: Daniel Mandell, Corey Cooke, Nick Grasso, Joseph H Duffy,
Nannette M Moss, Gary Brinn, Jackie Wilson TOTAL: 7
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