

**LAPEER CITY COMMISSION
MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING
JULY 14, 2025**

A special meeting of the Lapeer City Commission was held July 14, 2025, at the Lapeer City Hall, 576 Liberty Park, Lapeer, Michigan. The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present: Mayor Marquardt.

Commissioners: Atwood, Brady, Glisman, Petrie, Swindell.

Absent: None.

City Manager: Mike Womack, present.

Mayor Marquardt led the Pledge of Allegiance.

UPDATING THE 2021-2026 GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

City Manager Womack explained that this is an ongoing process, which he does not expect to complete tonight. However, he acknowledged that it is a high priority for the Commission. A community-wide survey has been distributed to residents, and the City is awaiting the results to better understand public interests and priorities. The primary goal is to build upon the existing list of initiatives, rather than remove items from it, with the hope of identifying the highest priority items by the end of the meeting.

The City Commission conducted a comprehensive review of its strategic priorities, addressing each of the nine established goals, which included: Ensure Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness, Promote Sustainable Infrastructure and Asset Management, Enhanced Housing and Property Development, Foster Financial Sustainability and Economic Development, Improve Transportation and Pedestrian Accessibility, Advance Community Recreation and Natural Resource Stewardship, Promote Civic Engagement, Inclusion and Community Building, Improve City Governance and Operational Efficiency, Enhance Communication, Marketing, and City Branding.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None.

ADJOURNMENT

Having no further business, Mayor Marquardt adjourned the meeting at 7:45 p.m.

Debbie Marquardt, Mayor

Romona Sanchez, City Clerk