

City Of Grand Mound
Minutes from Council Meeting
December 8th 2025
615 Sunnyside St. Grand Mound IA, 52751

Mayor Crosthwaite called the regular council meeting to order at 6:00 pm. Council Members present include; Beitelspacher, Banowetz by phone, Green, and Beuthein. Schanze was absent. The City Clerk and Public works supervisor was also present.

The consent agenda included the minutes of the November City council meeting along with the clerks financial report, claims report and sheriffs report.

A motion to approve the consent agenda was made by Bietelspacher with a second by Beuthein. All Ayes Public Forum;

Craig Kohl asked if the updated ordinance was uploaded as he was not able to find it. City Clerk informed Craig that she was not aware of the ordinance not being updated, and will look into that, also that the website was currently having issues of not uploading, Clerk is working on getting this resolved and will work on updating ordinance.

A Motion to approve year end bonuses for full time and part time employees was made by Beuthein with a second by Green. Banowetz was opposed.

A motion to approve George Walker & Craig Kohl to attend Municipal Leadership Academy was made by Bietelspacher with a second by Beuthein. All Ayes

A discussion was had with Kent Brix regarding quotes and Losap.

A motion to allow the City Clerk to use Platforms / letter head for quotes for the Fire Department was made by Bietelspacher with a second by Green. All Ayes

A motion to allow the City Clerk to manage Losap for the Fire Department was made by Bietelspacher with a second by Green. All Ayes

A discussion on returning two of the Solar Beacons was tabled until January. City Clerk to get more info on if and how much the restocking fee will be.

Mayor Crosthwait appointed Beuthein and Green as the employee review committee. Reviews to be completed Thursday December 11th 2026 at 6:00 pm.

A conversation was had on implementing a snow removal policy.

A Motion was made to work on ordinance by Banowts with a second by Bietelspacher.

The budget workshop date was set to January 7th 2026, at 6:00 pm.

Mayor Crosthwait had George Walker, Joseph Bietelspacher, Craig Kohl, and Anothy Green read their Oaths of Office.

A motion to adjourn was made by Bietelspacher with a second by Beuthein. All Ayes
Mayor Crosthwait adjourned the City Council meeting at 6:50 pm.

Brooke Evans- City Clerk

Kurt Crosthwaite- Mayor