

City of Joliet

150 West Jefferson Street
Joliet, IL 60432



Meeting Minutes - Pending Approval

Tuesday, February 3, 2026

5:30 PM

City Hall, Council Chambers

Public Safety Committee

Committee Members

Councilman Joseph Clement, Chairperson

Councilwoman Suzanna Ibarra

Councilwoman Jan Hallums Quillman

ROLL CALL

Present Councilwoman Suzanna Ibarra, Councilwoman Jan Hallums Quillman and Councilman Joe Clement

ALSO PRESENT: Chief of Police William Evans, Chief of Fire Jeff Carey, Deputy Chief of Fire Matt Baxter

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

[TMP-9433](#)

Attachments: [Minutes 1-6-2026.pdf](#)

A motion was made by Councilwoman Suzanna Ibarra, seconded by Councilwoman Jan Hallums Quillman, to approve COUNCIL MEMO #TMP-9433: Minutes 1/6/2026.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Councilman Clement, Councilwoman Hallums Quillman and Councilwoman Ibarra

CITIZENS TO BE HEARD ON AGENDA ITEMS

None

AGENDA ITEMS

Award of Professional Services Agreement for Ambulance Billing Services for the City of Joliet Fire Department 2026-2028 to EMS Management & Consultants (EMSMC) not to exceed \$1,000,000.00 for years 2026-2028

[TMP-9484](#)

Chief Carey briefly explains.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Jan Hallums Quillman, seconded by Councilwoman Suzanna Ibarra, to recommend for approval COUNCIL MEMO #TMP-9484: Award of Professional Services Agreement for Ambulance Billing Services for the City of Joliet Fire Department 2026-2028 to EMS Management & Consultants (EMSMC) not to exceed \$1,000,000.00 for years 2026-2028.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Councilman Clement, Councilwoman Hallums Quillman and Councilwoman Ibarra

Purchase of Four (4) Complete Horton Ambulances from Foster Coach in the amount of \$1,571,356.00 for Budget Years 2027 - 2028

[TMP-9472](#)

Attachments: [Joliet Quote 4 units 1-22-26.pdf](#)

Chief Carey briefly explains.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Suzanna Ibarra, seconded by Councilwoman Jan Hallums Quillman, to recommend for approval COUNCIL MEMO #TMP-9472: Purchase of Four (4) Complete Horton Ambulances from Foster Coach in the amount of \$1,571,356.00 for Budget Years 2027 - 2028.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Councilman Clement, Councilwoman Hallums Quillman and Councilwoman Ibarra

Purchase of Twelve (12) Bullard QXT Pro Thermal Imagers and Twelve (12) Basic Feature Packs for the Joliet Fire Department from Dinges Fire Company in the Amount of \$91,140.00

[TMP-9462](#)

Attachments: [Joliet - Bullard QXT Pro SPQ.pdf](#)
[Bullard Sole Source Letter.pdf](#)

Chief Carey briefly explains.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Suzanna Ibarra, seconded by Councilwoman Jan Hallums Quillman, to recommend for approval COUNCIL MEMO #TMP-9462: Purchase of Twelve (12) Bullard QXT Pro Thermal Imagers and Twelve (12) Basic Feature Packs for the Joliet Fire Department from Dinges Fire Company in the Amount of \$91,140.00.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Councilman Clement, Councilwoman Hallums Quillman and Councilwoman Ibarra

Approval of Purchase and Upfit of One New Vehicle for the Investigations Division Asset Forfeiture Detective not to exceed \$65,000

[TMP-9453](#)

Chief Evans briefly explains.

A motion was made by Councilman Joe Clement, seconded by Councilwoman Suzanna Ibarra, to recommend for approval COUNCIL MEMO #TMP-9453: Approval of Purchase and Upfit of One New Vehicle for the Investigations Division Asset Forfeiture Detective not to exceed \$65,000.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Councilman Clement, Councilwoman Hallums Quillman and Councilwoman Ibarra

Award of Contract for Peregrine Technologies

[TMP-9485](#)

Attachments: [Peregrine Contract 2026 Council.pdf](#)

Will go the CTIS tomorrow to present demo and hold off till February 17 for Council to show a demo.

Chief Evans briefly explains an overview of what happened last night at pre

council.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Jan Hallums Quillman, seconded by Councilwoman Suzanna Ibarra, to forward without recommendation until they see demo on February 17, 2026 COUNCIL MEMO #TMP-9485: Award of Contract for Peregrine Technologies.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Councilwoman Ibarra, Councilwoman Hallums Quillman and Councilman Clement

ORDINANCES

Ordinance Amending Chapter 12, Section 13(g) to Impose Lift Assist Fees in Accordance with House Bill 2336

[TMP-9483](#)

Attachments: [JFD Lift Assist Fees Ordinance 2026.docx](#)

Chief Carey briefly explains.

Councilwoman Quillman and Ibarra ask questions.

Chief Carey answers.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Jan Hallums Quillman, seconded by Councilwoman Suzanna Ibarra, to recommend for approval COUNCIL MEMO #TMP-9483: Ordinance Amending Chapter 12, Section 13(g) to Impose Lift Assist Fees in Accordance with House Bill 2336.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Councilman Clement, Councilwoman Hallums Quillman and Councilwoman Ibarra

RESOLUTIONS

Resolution Authorizing the Execution of a Memorandum of Understanding Between the City of Joliet and the Will County Sheriff's Office (WSCO)

[TMP-9437](#)

Attachments: [Resolution](#)
[MOU Incinerator.docx](#)

Chief Evans briefly explains.

Councilman Clement asks questions.

Chief Evans answers.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Suzanna Ibarra, seconded by Councilwoman Jan Hallums Quillman, to recommend for approval COUNCIL MEMO #TMP-9437: Resolution Authorizing the Execution of a Memorandum of Understanding Between the City of Joliet and the Will County Sheriff's Office

(WSCO).

The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Councilman Clement, Councilwoman Hallums Quillman and Councilwoman Ibarra

Resolution to Accept and Implement a Grant from the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity under Public Act 103-0006

[TMP-9447](#)

Attachments: [Resolution](#)
 [Drone Grant.pdf](#)
 [Grant Drone Budget.xlsx](#)
 [Drone Conflict of Interest Disclosure.pdf](#)

Chief Evans briefly explains.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Suzanna Ibarra, seconded by Councilwoman Jan Hallums Quillman, to recommend for approval COUNCIL MEMO #TMP-9447: Resolution to Accept and Implement a Grant from the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity under Public Act 103-0006.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Councilman Clement, Councilwoman Hallums Quillman and Councilwoman Ibarra

NEW OR OLD BUSINESS, NOT FOR FINAL ACTION OR RECOMMENDATION

None

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Councilwoman Ibarra, seconded by Councilwoman Hallums Quillman, that this was adjourn.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Councilwoman Ibarra, Councilwoman Hallums Quillman and Councilman Clement

This meeting will be held in an accessible location. If you need a reasonable accommodation, please contact The City Clerk Office, 150 West Jefferson Street, Joliet, Illinois 60432 at (815) 724-3780.