



CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

1. Call to Order.

The regular meeting of the St. Maries City Council was called to order by Mayor Tom Carver at 5:30 p.m. on Monday, November 24, 2025, in Council Chambers at City Hall, 602 College Avenue, St. Maries, Idaho.

2. Roll Call.

PRESENT

Mayor, Tom Carver

Councilors, Steve Dorendorf, Sabrina Powell, Charles Winter, Doug Ryan, Ed Spooner, Tina Thomson

3. Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Carver led all present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

4. Consent Calendar. – action item

Mayor Carver noted for the record the amount of expenses presented for payment approval, as shown below.

a. Approve Amended Minutes from October 27, 2025. - action item

Motion to approve the consent calendar as presented.

Result: Passed

Moved By: Dorendorf

Seconded by: Ryan

Voted Yes: Dorendorf, Powell, Winter, Ryan, Spooner, Thomson

5. Old Business. – none.

6. New Business.

a. St. Maries Riverfront RV Resort:

Seasonal Utility Billing. – action item

Derick Driggs, with the St. Maries Riverfront RV Resort, is requesting a lower rate for water services as the RV Resort can only operate from May to November. Terrun Zolman, City Attorney, stated that if a new fee is made, it will need to be uniformed for everyone.

Motion to schedule a future workshop to discuss these water and sewer rates.

Result: Passed

Moved By: Ryan

Seconded by: Spooner

Voted Yes: Dorendorf, Powell, Winter, Ryan, Spooner, Thomson

Sewer Rates. – action item

Motion to schedule a future workshop to discuss these water and sewer rates.

Result: Passed

Moved By: Ryan

Seconded by: Spooner

Voted Yes: Dorendorf, Powell, Winter, Ryan, Spooner, Thomson

b. FY2025-2026 Agreement to Provide Dispatch Services. – action item

Motion to approve the FY 2025-2026 Agreement to Provide Dispatch Services.

Result: Passed

Moved By: Spooner

Seconded by: Dorendorf

Voted Yes: Dorendorf, Powell, Winter, Ryan, Spooner, Thomson

c. Approve 2026 Beer, Wine, and Liquor Licenses. – action item

Motion to approve the 2026 Beer, Wine and Liquor Licenses.

Result: Passed

Moved By: Dorendorf

Seconded by: Ryan

Voted Yes: Dorendorf, Powell, Winter, Ryan, Spooner, Thomson

7. Reports and Communications.

a. Mayor's Update.

No updates.

b. City Council Comments.

No Comments.

c. Public Works Director's Update.

Shiloh Pfeiffer, Public Works Director, stated that most of the crew is new and we have about three people who will need to get their CDL license. Pfeiffer also stated that the sander is prepared for upcoming weather conditions. Pfeiffer mentioned that we need to advertise for a pool manager position that will begin this spring, as they are required to take the certification course.

d. Police Update.

Scott Castles, Police Chief, stated that they will have a booth at Christmas in St. Maries on December 6th.

e. Building Official Update.

No updates.

8. Public Comments.

Mayor Carver recited the rules and procedures for public comment, followed by an opportunity for comments from the public regarding items included on the agenda and other topics relevant to the business of the City of St. Maries. Information only; no Council action.

Yvette Benham Johnson stated that the City is charging too much for liquor licenses.

9. Adjourn.

With no further business on the agenda, the meeting was reconvened and adjourned at 6:06 PM.

I presided over this meeting and can confirm that the foregoing minutes, prepared by the City Clerk, were approved by City Council during their regular meeting held on December 8, 2025.

Tom Carver

Tom Carver, Mayor

Celia Sibert

Attest: Celia Sibert, Acting City Clerk