

Record of Council Work Session Minutes City of Margaret

Date: Monday, January 5, 2026
Time: 6:00 PM
Place: Margaret City Hall
Council Work Session

The City Council for the City of Margaret met on Monday, January 5, 2026, for a work session prior to the regularly scheduled Council Meeting.

The work session roll call is as follows:

Councilperson James Chapman – Absent
Councilperson Martrece Bell – Present
Councilperson Kerry McIntyre – Present
Councilperson Samantha Davis – Present
Mayor Pro-Tem Jonathon Ray – Present
Mayor Matthew Tortorice – Present

The work session opened with an employee hearing, re: Troynell Nieves. The City Attorney and Mr. Nieves' attorney made opening statements, presented their sides, questioned witnesses and gave closing statements. The council vote will take place during the regularly scheduled meeting.

Following the employee hearing, the council discussed the regular council meeting agenda items as published. The Backpack Buddies program support will be tabled until a future meeting. The remainder of the consent agenda items will be approved in the regularly scheduled meeting.

The work session also included the first presentation of several new city ordinances. These proposed ordinances are posted on the city website and there will be a public hearing at the next council meeting on these ordinances. The proposed ordinances are:

- Parking Ordinance
- Nuisance Ordinance
- Animal Control Ordinance
- Ordinance Repealing Appointment Authority Restrictions
- Firearm Discharge within the City Limits Ordinance
- Bank Account Consolidation Ordinance

- General Ledger (GL) Account Restructuring Resolution
- Annual Budget Ordinance
- Residential Rental Registration & Inspection Ordinance and Related Code Updates

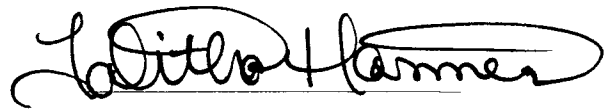
The work session adjourned and a five-minute recess was allowed before the start of the regular council meeting.

APPROVED:



Mayor Matthew Tortorice

ATTEST:



Tabitha Hanner, City Clerk