

**MINUTES OF THE 1,680<sup>th</sup> MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE  
CITY OF NORTHLAKE HELD ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2026**

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

Mayor Sherwin called for the roll.

**ROLL CALL:**

**PRESENT:**                    **ALDERMAN STRAUBE  
ALDERMAN FELDMANN  
ALDERMAN CONTRERAS  
ALDERMAN SOSA  
ALDERMAN JOHNSON  
ALDERMAN GROCHOWSKI  
ALDERMAN PATTI**

**ABSENT:**                    **ALDERMAN URBINA**

**OTHERS PRESENT:**       **MARK STERK, CITY ATTORNEY  
KEN BERES, CHIEF OF POLICE  
TONY FACIANO, PUBLIC WORKS SUPERINTENDENT**

Mayor Sherwin presented the minutes of the city council meeting held on August 17, 2026. Alderman Patti made a motion to accept the minutes of the city council meeting held on August 17, 2026; seconded by Alderman Grochowski. Mayor Sherwin asked if there were any additions or corrections. Mayor Sherwin called for a voice vote. All were in favor.

**MOTION TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
MEETING HELD ON AUGUST 17, 2026 CARRIED**

Alderman Patti made a motion to accept the Warrants and Vouchers; seconded by Alderman Straube. Mayor Sherwin called for the roll.

**ROLL CALL:**                    **ALDERMEN STRAUBE, FELDMANN, CONTRERAS, SOSA,  
JOHNSON, GROCHOWSKI AND PATTI**

**ABSENT:**                    **ALDERMAN URBINA**

**NAYS:**                    **NONE**

**MOTION TO ACCEPT THE WARRANTS AND VOUCHERS CARRIED**

Mayor Sherwin noted ABC Plumbing is being sued for fraud by the Illinois Attorney General, and that he would comment in the next newsletter about it as it may relate to residents. The BooFest date has been changed to Friday October 30 at 6:00. Trick or Treating will remain

on October 31 from 2:00-7:00. Alderman Patti thanked Public Works for installing the new roof on the gazebo at Ful-Roy Park. Mayor Sherwin reminded everyone that excess thrift store shirts are available for \$1 in city hall and the money received will go towards the city's water department round-up fund. Alderman Straube expressed his frustration with future Social Security benefits being at risk unless federal government changes are made.

Alderman Patti made a motion to approve Resolution R-13-2026; A Resolution Approving an Intergovernmental Agreement By and Between the City of Northlake and the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago for the Design, Construction, Operation and Maintenance of the Green Infrastructure Water Management Project in the City of Northlake, Illinois; seconded by Alderman Feldmann. Mayor Sherwin called for the roll.

**ROLL CALL: ALDERMEN STRAUBE, FELDMANN, CONTRERAS, SOSA, JOHNSON, GROCHOWSKI AND PATTI**

**ABSENT: ALDERMAN URBINA**

**NAYS: NONE**

**MOTION TO APPROVE RESOLUTION R-13-2026; A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORTHLAKE AND THE METROPOLITAN WATER RECLAMATION DISTRICT OF GREATER CHICAGO FOR THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE WATER MANAGEMENT PROJECT IN THE CITY OF NORTHLAKE, ILLINOIS CARRIED**

There being no further business, Alderman Straube made a motion to adjourn; seconded by Alderman Patti. Mayor Sherwin called for a voice vote. All were in favor.

**MOTION TO ADJOURN CARRIED**

**MEETING ADJOURNED 7:21 P.M.**

**RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,**

**NANCY PAULETTO, CITY CLERK**