MINUTES OF THE 1,683rd MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTHLAKE HELD ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 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 JOHNSON** **ALDERMAN GROCHOWSKI** **ALDERMAN PATTI**
PRESENT VIA CONFERENCE BRIDGE:	**ALDERMAN URBINA**
ABSENT:	**ALDERMAN CONTRERAS** **ALDERMAN SOSA**
OTHERS PRESENT:	**MARK STERK, CITY ATTORNEY** **KEN BERES, CHIEF OF POLICE** **ISMAEL JIMENEZ, FINANCE DIRECTOR** **TONY FACIANO, PUBLIC WORKS SUPERINTENDENT**

Alderman Patti made a motion to approve participation by aldermen via conference bridge; seconded by Alderman Feldmann. Mayor Sherwin called for a voice vote. All were in favor. The motion carried.

Mayor Sherwin presented the minutes of the city council meeting held on October 19, 2026. Alderman Patti made a motion to accept the minutes of the city council meeting held on October 19, 2026; seconded by Alderman Johnson. 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 OCTOBER 19, 2026 CARRIED

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

ROLL CALL:	**ALDERMEN STRAUBE, FELDMANN, JOHNSON, URBINA, GROCHOWSKI AND PATTI**
ABSENT:	**ALDERMAN CONTRERAS** **ALDERMAN SOSA**
NAYS:	**NONE**

MOTION TO ACCEPT THE WARRANTS AND VOUCHERS CARRIED

Mayor Sherwin reminded everyone that tomorrow November 3 is Election Day; and that the budget meeting has been set for Monday, November 9 at 6:00pm.

Alderman Straube made a motion to approve the purchase of a 2026 Ford E-350 Service Utility Van for Public Works; seconded by Alderman Patti. Mayor Sherwin called for the roll.

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

ABSENT: **ALDERMAN CONTRERAS**
ALDERMAN SOSA

NAYS: **NONE**

MOTION TO APPROVE THE PURCHASE OF A 2026 FORD E-350 SERVICE UTILITY VAN FOR PUBLIC WORKS CARRIED

Alderman Grochowski made a motion to approve Ordinance O-15-2026; An Ordinance Amending Section 7-10-10B of the Northlake City Code Regarding Security Requirements for Work in the Public Right-Of-Way; seconded by Alderman Patti. This would eliminate the surety bond requirement currently in place. Mayor Sherwin called for the roll.

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

ABSENT: **ALDERMAN CONTRERAS**
ALDERMAN SOSA

NAYS: **NONE**

MOTION TO APPROVE ORDINANCE O-15-2026; AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 7-10-10B OF THE NORTHLAKE CITY CODE REGARDING SECURITY REQUIREMENTS FOR WORK IN THE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY 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 7:03 P.M.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

NANCY PAULETTO, CITY CLERK