

**MINUTES OF THE FINANCE & RULES COMMITTEE OF THE  
WHOLE MEETING HELD ON MONDAY SEPTEMBER 14, 2026**

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:**        **KEN BERES, CHIEF OF POLICE**  
                                 **TONY FACIANO, PUBLIC WORKS SUPERINTENDENT**

The committee reviewed the minutes of the August 17, 2026 meeting. Alderman Patti made a motion to approve the minutes of the August 17, 2026 meeting; seconded by Alderman Grochowski. Mayor Sherwin called for a voice vote. All were in favor. The minutes were approved.

Mayor Sherwin presented the Warrants and Vouchers. Alderman Patti made a motion to pay the Warrants and Vouchers; seconded by Alderman Straube. Mayor Sherwin called for the roll. All were in favor. The motion carried.

Mayor Sherwin opened a discussion 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. Alderman Patti made a motion to approve; seconded by Alderman Contreras. Mayor Sherwin called for the roll. All were in favor. The motion carried.

A resident came forward to complain in general about family expenses, the economy, prices at the stores, no available jobs, no good benefits. Mayor Sherwin suggested she come to the October 6, 2026 Townhall Meeting taking place at city hall. It will be attended by both Senator Don Harmon and State Representative Norma Hernandez. He also suggested she stop in to discuss her concerns with State Representative Chuy Garcia.

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. The motion carried.

**MEETING ADJOURNED 6:42 P.M.**

**RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,**

**NANCY PAULETTO, CITY CLERK**