

**Council Proceeding's
Regular Meeting
July 1, 2026**

The regular meeting for the City of Rockwood was called to order by Mayor Troy A. Cox in the Council Chamber located at 32409 Fort Rd., at 7:00 p.m.

1.) ROLL CALL

Present: Mayor Cox, Council Members Crampton, Grzywacz, Johnson, Mercure, Robertson, and Slavin.

City Officials

Present: Police Chief Hill, Fire Chief Mercure, Attorney Pelland, City Administrator Trush, Deputy Clerk Burger, and Treasurer Barb McCoy

PLEDGE OF ALLIGANCE

2.) APPROVAL OF AGENDA

M-140-26 Motion made by Mercure/Robertson to approve Agenda.

Ayes were unanimous
Motion Carried

3.) PUBLIC DISCUSSION (ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA)

- Bradford Ceiko – Presented proposal to apply for grant funding for a 9-hole disc golf course at Mercure Park.
 - Disc Golf is becoming very popular. Currently there are no spots in the area of Rockwood with a Disc Golf Course.
 - Mercure Park would be a premier location for a disc golf course.
 - Mr. Ciecko from Wyandotte would like to submit a video to enter a contest for a free 9-hole disc golf course.
 - The course would be for all ages, the idea is to get people out, have fun and exercise.
 - Seitz Middle School currently has a disc golf course where leagues play on.
 - The disc golf course, if won would have 9 holes, they would provide 9 baskets and signs.

- The city would be responsible for the posts for the signs and installations of the baskets.
- They can be vandalized, but they are not easily. The baskets are made from thicker steel/chains and are very heavy.
- There is an option to have cement pads put in, these cement pads make throwing easier, but this is not something that is required.
- The baskets currently run \$900-\$1,000 apiece. If we win the contest, this would be covered.
- There is an app called Udisc- this allows people to see different disc golf courses around our area. If we did get the 9-hole course at Mercure Park, the course would also go on the app.
- On this app you can review photos, courses, course conditions, etc.
- It would not cost the city much. A few bags of concrete.
- If the video wins, Mr. Ciecko will go with the city and create a 9-hole course, which will be brought to City Council for approval.
- Administrator Trush spoke with our insurance carrier about this, and our insurance carrier said nothing would change and it falls under current policy.
- We would not get results for who won the contest until August.
- Disc Golf-course and competition video

M-141-26 Motion approved by Robertson/Grzywacz to submit video for Disc Golf Course competition.

Ayes were unanimous
Motion Carried

4.) PUBLIC DISCUSSION (ITEMS ON THE AGENDA)

5.) ACTION AGENDA

M-142-26 Motion made by Mercure/Robertson to approve the Council Minutes – A. June 17, 2026, and B. Accounts Payable.

Ayes were unanimous
Motion Carried

6.) REPORTS OF THE CITY OFFICIALS/DEPARTMENTS

A. Police Department

1. Taylor Chevrolet Invoice- Tahoe repairs \$762.40

M-143-26 Motion made by Mercure/Robertson to approve Taylor Chevrolet Invoice- Tahoe repairs \$762.40

Ayes were unanimous
Motion Carried

- Council Member Robertson mentioned Michigan's Lemon law- wants to investigate it further as he believes we may have something there.
- Attorney Pelland will investigate this further and see what he can come up with.
- Chief Hill also mentioned the 4th of July and Fireworks. Reminding individuals that fireworks are allowed in Michigan from 11:00am- 11:45pm.
- Keep in mind that it has been dry and hot. If you are lighting fireworks, keep a hose by you, clean up after yourselves and be respectful of your neighbors.

B. Fire Department

1. Department Report- May

M-144-26 Motion made by Mercure/Grzywacz to receive and file the Fire Department Report for the month of May

Ayes were unanimous
Motion Carried

C. Fire Department

2. Approve Probationary Firefighters- Rebecca Jackson, Andrew Booth, and Mia Baumia.

M-145-26 Motion made by Mercure/Robertson to approve probationary firefighters, Rebecca Jackson, Andrew Booth, and Mia Baumia

Ayes were unanimous
Motion Carried

E. Department of Public Works

1. EJ Co- hydrant replacement Mercure Park- \$5,819.83

M-146-26 Motion made by Mercure/Robertson to approve EJ Co- hydrant replacement Mercure Park- \$5,819.83.

Ayes were unanimous
Motion Carried

E. Department of Public Works
2. Aqua-Line Leak Detection Services- \$3,415.00

M-147-26 Motion made by Mercure/Robertson to approve Aqua-Line Leak Detection Services- \$3,415.00

Ayes were unanimous
Motion Carried

7.) ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

A. FY27 SMART Contract

M-148-26 Motion made by Mercure/Robertson to approve the FY27 SMART Contract.

Ayes were unanimous
Motion Carried

D. FY27 Part- Time Pay Increases

M-149-26 Motion made by Mercure/Robertson to approve the FY27 Part-Time Pay Increases

Ayes were unanimous
Motion Carried

8.) CONSIDERATION ITEMS

9.) ATTORNEY'S REPORT - None

10.) MAYOR'S REPORT

A. Updates

- City Clerk Position- We will have a special meeting on July 15, 2026 at 6:00pm for council to meet with candidates.
- Pickleball courts are getting completed

- The outdoor lightening has been finished
- Woodburn is getting their 2nd coat
- The road project within the city is set to begin
- Meeting with the audit team has begun.
- We are waiting for a response from Mirah regarding music at the park.

11.) OLD BUSINESS

12.) NEW BUSINESS

13.) ADJOURNMENT

M-150-26 Motion to adjourn made by Mercure/Robertson. 8:10pm

Ayes were unanimous
Motion Carried

Deputy Clerk, Kaitlyn Burger

Mayor, Troy Cox