

**CITY OF CHARLOTTE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS**  
**111 E. Lawrence Ave., Charlotte, MI 48813 (517) 543-2750**  
**Workshop Meeting**  
**April 24, 2025 11:00 a.m.**

**CALL TO ORDER:**

By Mayor Lewis on Thursday April 24, 2025 11:00 a.m.

**ROLL CALL:**

Council members in attendance; Mayor Lewis, Mayor Pro-Tem Duweck, Council members, Chin, Christensen, and Fullerton. A quorum was met. (Scott arrived at 1:13 p.m.)

City staff in attendance; City Clerk LaRocque and City Manager Hillard, Finance Director/Treasurer Horton

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

Led by Mayor Lewis

**ABSENCE OF COUNCIL MEMBERS:**

**Motion** by Christensen supported by Duweck to excuse council members Rodriguez and Scott. Carried; Yea 5; Nay 0; Absent 2

**PUBLIC COMMENT:**

No comments

**APPROVE AGENDA:**

**Motion** by Christensen supported by Fullerton to approve the agenda. Carried; yea 5; Nay 0; Absent 2

**DISCUSSION ITEMS:**

a. FY 25/26 Budget

City Manager Hillard presented the proposed 2025/2026 city budget. Proposed revenues for the General (101) fund total \$6,984,922, with proposed expenditures set at \$6,882,861. This puts the projected fund balance at \$3,400,349. It should be noted that this figure is subject to change, pending the completion of spending for the current fiscal year and the decision of the manager and council to fund additional budget items that are not currently included in the budget figures.

The Council will receive a proposed manager's budget at the meeting on May 12, with the request to schedule a public hearing and action to accept on Tuesday May 27\* (City offices will be closed Monday May 26 for Memorial Day).

**PUBLIC COMMENT:**

No Comments

**MAYOR AND COUNCIL COMMENTS:**

No comments were made by council members, except that Lewis and Duweck both thanked Hillard, Horton and staff for all their hard work and efforts to bring forth this year's budget.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

**Motion** by Christensen supported by Fullerton to adjourn at 1:38 p.m. Carried; Yea 6; Nay 0; Absent 1 (Rodriguez)

Respectfully submitted by  
Mary LaRocque, City Clerk