

**City of Stevens Point
Re-Organization of the Common Council Minutes**

April 21, 2026 - 5:01 PM

Zoom Teleconferencing

Agenda

1. Roll Call.

Present:

Ald. Christianson, Guthrie, Keymer, Olson, Birr, Donahue, Kneebone, Shuda, Lang, Moldenhauer.

Ald. Morrow arrival at 5:10 p.m.

Consideration and Possible Action on the Following:

2. Mayoral appointments to various Boards and Commissions.

Mayor Wiza passed out an updated document to correct dates of appointment as well as remove Ald. Christianson from appointment to Redevelopment Authority due to no vacancies, document attached to the minutes.

Committee/Commission/Board	Appointee	Term	Expires
Administrative Appeals Board	Ald. Sam Lang	Aldermanic Term	04/21/2027
Administrative Appeals Board	Ald. Mary Kneebone	Aldermanic Term	04/21/2027
Administrative Appeals Board	Ald. Allison Birr	Aldermanic Term	04/21/2027
Age Friendly Community Board	Ald. Andrea Olson	Aldermanic Term	04/21/2028
Airport Commission	Ray Schmidt	5 years	04/30/2031
Bicycle-Pedestrian Street Safety Committee	Ald. Jacqui Guthrie	Aldermanic Term	04/21/2028

Bicycle-Pedestrian Street Safety Committee	Ald. Matt Moldenhauer	3 years	04/30/2029
Business Improvement District Board	Tim Schertz	3 years	12/31/2028
Business Park Business Improvement District Board	Ald. Joe Donahue	Aldermanic Term	04/20/2028
Board of Park Commissioners	Carie Winn	3 years	04/30/2029
Board of Park Commissioners	John Okonek	3 years	04/30/2029
Board of Park Commissioners	Michael Glodosky	3 years	04/30/2029
Board of Park Commissioners	Robert Freckmann	3 years	04/30/2029
Board of Park Commissioners	Matt Disher	3 years	04/30/2029
Board of Park Commissioners	Ald. Andrea Olson	3 years	04/30/2029
Board of Park Commissioners	Ald. Jacqui Guthrie	3 years	04/30/2029
Board of Review	Ryan Kernosky (alternate)	5 years	04/30/2031
Deer Management Committee	Ken Wanta	1 year	04/30/2027
Deer Management Committee	John Okonek	1 year	04/30/2027
Deer Management Committee	Mike Bialas	1 year	04/30/2027
Deer Management Committee	Jen Smith	1 year	04/30/2027
Library Board Liason	Ald. Ginger Keymer	1 year	04/30/2027
Local Emergency Planning Committee	Justin Malin	1 year	04/30/2027
Municipal Court Oversight Committee	Mayor Wiza	2 years	04/30/2028
Municipal Court Oversight Committee	Ald. Shaun Morrow	2 years	04/30/2028
Municipal Court Oversight	Ald. Andrea	2 years	04/30/2028

Committee	Olson		
Tourism Commission	Tom Schrader	1 year	04/30/2027
Tourism Commission	Mike Disher	1 year	04/30/2027
Tourism Commission	Michelle Sedlak	1 year	04/30/2027
Tourism Commission	John Okonek	1 year	04/30/2027
Tourism Commission	Carie Winn	1 year	04/30/2027
Transportation Commission	Ald. Jacqui Guthrie	1 year	04/30/2027
Transportation Commission	Ald. Allison Birr	1 year	04/30/2027
Transportation Commission	Thomas Bertram	3 years	04/30/2029
Transportation Commission	Karalyn Peterson	3 years	04/30/2029
Transportation Commission	Heidi Oberstadt	3 years	04/30/2029
Weed Commissioner	Mark Kordus	1 year	04/30/2027
Zoning Board of Appeals	Ismaila Odogba	3 years	04/30/2029
Zoning Board of Appeals	Ald. Jacqui Guthrie (alternate)	3 years	04/30/2029

Ald. Kneebone moved, Ald. Guthrie seconded, to divide the question and pull out Police and Fire Commission appointments to vote on separately.

Call for the vote: ayes, all; nays, none; motion carried.

Ald. Shuda moved, Ald. Lang seconded, to approve the list of appointments.

Call for the vote: Ayes: Morrow, Moldenhauer, Lang, Shuda, Kneebone, Donahue, Birr, Olson, Keymer, Guthrie, Christianson.

Nays: None. Motion carried.

Committee/Commission/Board	Appointee	Term	Expires
Police and Fire Commission	Ald. Kneebone	(Ald. Liason - 1	04/30/2027

		year)	
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Ald. Christianson moved, Ald. Morrow seconded, to approve the nominations of the Police and Fire Commission.

Ald. Christianson moved, Ald. Morrow seconded, to divide the question and vote on each Police and Fire Commission appointee separately.

Ald. Keymer moved, Ald. Morrow seconded, to appoint Ald. Kneebone to the Police and Fire Commission.

Ald. Kneebone abstained.

Call for the vote: ayes, all; nays, none; motion carried.

Attorney Beveridge spoke about updates to the Police and Fire Commission Applications to include party membership as well as reconsideration of a vote.

Ald. Lang moved, Ald. Morrow seconded, to approve the appointment Ronald Springer to the Police and Fire Commission.

Call for the vote: Ayes: Christianson, Birr, Shuda, Lang, Morrow

Nays: Guthrie, Keymer, Olson, Donahue, Kneebone, Moldenhauer.

Motion failed.

3. Mayoral appointments of Council members to Standing Committees.

Board Of Public Works	
Mayor Mike Wiza - Recommended Chair	
Shaun Morrow	Ginger Keymer
Chris Tiffany	Dean Shuda
Mary Kneebone	Marc Christianson
Finance Committee	
Marc Christianson - Recommended Chair	
Jacqui Guthrie	Ginger Keymer
Dean Shuda	Shaun Morrow
Personnel Committee	
Mary Kneebone - Recommended Chair	
Sam Lang	Allison Birr
Andrea Olson	Joe Donahue
Public Policy and General Government	

Ginger Keymer - Recommended Chair	
Jacqui Guthrie	Matt Moldenhauer
Joe Donahue	

Ald. Morrow moved, Ald. Shuda seconded, to approve Standing Committee appointments.

Call for the vote: Ayes: Morrow, Moldenhauer Lang, Shuda, Kneebone, Donahue, Birr, Olson, Keymer, Guthrie, Christianson.
Nays: None. Motion Carried.

4. Nominations and election of Council President.

Ald. Morrow nominated Mark Christianson for Council President.

As there were no further nominations, Mayor Wiza declared he would accept a motion to close nominations and cast a unanimous ballot for Ald. Christianson.

Ald. Morrow moved, Ald. Lang seconded, to cast by unanimous ballot to elect Ald. Christianson for Council President.

Calls for the vote: Ayes: Ald. Christianson, Guthrie Keymer, Olson, Birr, Donahue, Kneebone, Shuda, Lang, Moldenhauer, Morrow.
Nays: None. Motion carried.

Ald. Christianson was elected as Council President.

5. Recess until after the Public Protection Committee, Personnel Committee and Finance Committee Meetings.

Mayor Wiza declared council in recess at 6:03 pm until Special Public Policy and General Government, Special Personnel, and Special Finance Committees have selected their Chairs and Vice-Chairs.

6. Reconvene to consider the actions of the Committees listed above.

The Council reconvened at 6:15 p.m. to consider the actions of the committees.

Public Policy and General Government:

Chair: Ald. Keymer

Vice-Chair: Ald. Guthrie

Personnel:

Chair: Ald. Kneebone

Vice-Chair: Ald. Lang

Finance:

Chair: Ald. Christianson

Vice-Chair: Ald. Guthrie

Ald. Christianson moved, Ald. Lang seconded, to approve the minutes and actions of the committees listed above.

Call for the vote: Ayes: Morrow, Moldenhauer, Lang, Shuda, Kneebone, Donahue, Birr
Olson, Keymer, Guthrie, Christianson.

Nays: None. Motion carried.

7. Adjournment.

Meeting adjourned at 6:16 p.m.