REGULAR BOARD MEETING
NOVEMBER 17, 2025

Mayor Fretwell called the Public Hearing to order at 6:02 pm. Attending the meeting was Fretwell, Aldermen: McDermott, Martin, Janney, and Phillips. Crenshaw and McKenzie were absent. Also, in attendance; City Attorney Smith, PW Director Kell, Chief Blakely, City Clerk Seangmany, Michael Logston, Caroyln Schaller, Jeff Arp, Kirby Clark, Daniel Dover, Mary Fretwell, Morgan McIntosh, Kyle Pociask and Grant Kennedy.

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion was made by Phillips and seconded by Martin to approve the items on the Consent Agenda: Approval of minutes from October 20, 2025 Regular Board Meeting. Motion also included approval of minutes of Committee Meetings, October Collector's and Treasurer's report and appropriations. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION - 2026 ELECTION

Phillips motioned and McDermott seconded the approval of the Resolution calling for the 2026 Municipal Election. The positions up for election are: First Ward Alderman McKenzie, Second Ward Alderman Crenshaw and Third Ward Alderman Janney. Motion carried.

MIRMA GRANT PRESENTATION (JEFF ARP)

Jeff Arp of MIRMA presented a plaque to the City of Canton for participation in the association's Risk Management Awards Program. The city was awarded a grant of $1,000 for the purchase of outdoor propane storage.

CAROLYN SCHALLER FROM UNITED STATE BANK TO DISCUSS CD'S

Carolyn Schaller explained to the board what services the city is currently utilizing. Carolyn also explained some new pledged securities by Reich and Tang they offer.

BARLETT AND WEST PFAS UPDATE

Update was included in the Regular Board Pack.

BUILDING PERMIT REVISIT

This will be brought to December's regular board meeting as more information is needed at this time as well as a full board to vote.

DOG AND CAT REGISTRAION ORDINANCE

Motion was made by Phillips to remove ordinance Number 491-C. Janney seconded, motion carried.

CHRISTMAS PARADE ROUTE

Motion was made by Martin to approve the Christmas Parade Route for Friday December 5, 2025. McDermott seconded, motion carried.

ZONING CHANGE REQUEST FOR B&M PROPERTIES

Motion was made by Martin to approve the Zoning change for 5th and Jamison Street to be changed from R-1 Single Family to R-3B Multiple Family District. McDermott seconded, motion carried. Phillips abstained.

Motion was made by Phillips to authorize Attorney Smith to amend Ordinance No. 532-C (R3B) decreasing from forty (40) feet front yard to twenty- five (25) feet front yard. McDermott seconded motion carried.

Motion was made by Martin to authorize Attorney Smith to amend Ordinance Number 488-C to include all building permits must receive a land survey by a registered land surveyor before building permit is approved. Janney seconded, motion carried.

ACADEMY SELECTION INTERVIEW PROCESS

Motion was made by Martin that first employee interview is to be done by the Department Head, Mayor and City Clerk. The 2nd interview is to be done by the committee of which is hiring. Janney seconded, motion carried.

CLOSED SESSION

Janney motioned to go into closed session pursuant to RSMo 610.021(3) "hiring, firing, disciplining or promoting of particular employees by a public governmental body" and Martin seconded. Vote to close by roll call vote:

Phillips	aye	McKenzie	absent
Crenshaw	absent	McDermott	aye
Janney	aye	Martin	aye

Motion carried at 6:52 p.m.

No vote was taken

Phillips motioned to return to open session and Martin seconded the motion.
Roll call vote:

Phillips	aye	McKenzie	absent
Crenshaw	absent	McDermott	aye
Janney	aye	Martin	aye

Motion carried at 7:32 p.m.

OTHER BUSINESS

Motion was made by Martin to authorize Tourism to pay $500 to Canton Main Street Association to fund commercials to advertise the Canton Christmas Events. Janney seconded, motion carried.

Motion was made by Phillips to authorize Mayor Fretwell to execute legal documents from Napolis Shkolnik PLLC regarding PFAS settlements after legal council has approved. McDermott seconded, motion carried.

Clark County Water District updated the board on the progress they have made against PFAS, they will offer more information regarding cost at a later time.

Motion was made by Phillips to authorize Public Works Director to bid up to $25,000 for a 2015 Ford F450 Super Duty Bucket Truck on Purplewave Auction Site. The funds will be used from Streets Passbook. Janney seconded, motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

FINANCE COMMITTEE

No Meeting

POLICE COMMITTEE

No Meeting

PUBLIC WORKS

No Meeting

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There were no announcements.

ADJOURNMENT

Janney motioned to adjourn and McDermott seconded. The meeting adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Christina Seangmany, City Clerk

Terry Fretwell, Mayor