

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING
Monday June 01, 2026, at 6pm
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST LIVERPOOL, OHIO
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL

CALL TO ORDER:

Council President John Torma **called to order** this Regular Meeting of East Liverpool City Council at 6:00PM.

ROLL CALL:

The Clerk read aloud the **call of the roll** and was recorded as follows:

First Ward Council member Tom Beagle:	present
Second Ward Council member Deb Danver:	present
Third Ward Council member Jeffrey Kreefer:	present
Fourth Ward Council member Andrew Arcuragi:	present
Council member At-Large Brian Kerr:	present
Council Member At-Large John Mercer:	present
Council member At-Large Thomas Clark:	present

PRAYER AND PLEDGE:

Council member Kreefer led the **Prayer and Pledge**.

MINUTES-CORRECT:

Council President Torma entertained a **motion** to accept the minutes from the regular meeting of April 06, the Special meeting of April 20, the regular minutes from May 04 and the special minutes from April 18, 2026 as there were no additions or correction.

Moved by Council member kreefer and **seconded** by council member Mercer, the call was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	Yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE:

Council President John Torma **entertained a motion that Personal Privilege be granted.**

Moved by Council member Kerr and **Seconded** by Council member Beagle, the call was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes

Ms. Danver: yes

Motion carried 7-0.

John Reed, 1036 Saint Clair Avenue discussed purchasing parcels of property adjacent to his property on St. Clair Avenue. Mr. Reed was directed back to the CIC, who owns the parcels.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

There was no Unfinished Business.

COMMUNICATIONS OR PETITIONS:

There were no Communications or petitions.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Finance and Labor Committee: Brian Kerr, Chair of the Finance and Labor Committee reported the committee met at 8:53am Tuesday may 26, 2026 in chambers with all committee members present as well as several office holders and city officials. Please see attached.

Mr. Kerr reported the committee agreed to pass on to the full council the following:

1. An ordinance to pay vendors.
2. An ordinance to pay vendors.
3. An ordinance to pay vendors.

Mr. Kerr reported that the committee met in special session just prior to this regular meeting of council with all members present and agreed to pass on to the full council the following for it's consideration:

1. An ordinance to amend the budget ordinance.
2. An ordinance authorizing the board of control to purchase body cameras.
3. An ordinance to accept a body cam grant.
4. An ordinance authorizing the utilities director to to enter into a work order 26-02 with Strand Inc.
5. An ordinance authorizing the utilities director to to enter into a work order 26-03 with Strand Inc.
6. An ordinance authorizing the utilities director to to enter into a work order 26-04 with Strand Inc.

Mr. Kerr, in the form of a **motion** requested a seven-day waiver for the last six proposals and was **seconded** by Mr. Kreefer. The call was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	Yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

Mr. Kerr called the next meeting of the committee for 8:30 Tuesday June 30, 2026, in chambers.

License and Economic Development Committee: John Mercer, Chair of the License and Economic Development Committee reported the committee met at 6pm Wednesday May 20, 2026, in chambers with all members present. Please see attached.

Mr. Mercer reported that the committee took up topics such as food truck, Air B&B's and billboard legislation, as well as fire inspections, to which the fire chief explained the inspection process and fees.

Mr. Mercer called the next meeting for 6pm Wednesday June 17, 2026 in chambers.

Streets / Lands & Buildings: Thomas Clark, Chair of the Streets and Lands and Buildings Committee made no report due to lack of quorum.

Mr. Clark called the next meeting of the committee for 6pm Wednesday June 17, 2026, in chambers.

Recreation and Ordinance: Andrew Arcuragi, Chair of the Recreation and Ordinance Committee made no report.

Refuse and Recycling / Public Utilities: Jeffrey Kreefer, Chair of the Refuse and Recycling / Public Utilities / Franchise Committee reported the committee met in special session at 5:30pm just prior to this regular meeting of city council with all members present.

Mr. Kreefer reported the committee agreed to pass on to the full council the following two proposals:

1. An ordinance to repeal ordinance number 38, 2023 as codified in chapter 149 of the city's codified ordinances.
2. An ordinance to dissolve the Board of Public Utilities.

Mr. Kreefer, in the form of a **motion** requested a seven-day waiver for both proposals and was **seconded** by Mr. Beagle. The call was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	Yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

Rules Committee: Deb Danver, Chair of the Safety and Rules Committee made no report, but did call the next meeting of the committee for 6:30pm Monday June 15, 2026 in chambers.

Planning and Expansion Committee: Tom Beagle, Chair of the Planning and Expansion Committee made no report.

OFFICER REPORTS:

CHIEF OF POLICE: Police Chief John Lane made no report.

FIRE CHIEF: Fire Chief Antony Cumo made no report.

UTILITIES DIRECTOR: Utilities Director Tim Clark made no report.

STREET SUPERINTENDENT: Street Superintendent Dan Galeoti was not present.

HOUSING INSPECTOR: Housing Inspector was not present.

PLANNING DEPARTMENT: City Planning Director was not present.

OFFICE OF THE LAW DIRECTOR: Law Director Charles Payne made no report.

OFFICE OF CITY AUDITOR: City Auditor Marilyn Bosco made no report.

OFFICE OF INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT: Tax Commissioner Sharon Williams was not present.

OFFICE OF CITY TREASURER: City Treasurer Deborah Fickes was not present.

OFFICE OF SERVICE / SAFETY: Service / Safety Director William Jones, discussed the paving around town, announced a grant for a brine machine for winter road treatment.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR: Mayor Robert Smith reported a meeting with ODOT regarding the new trail and spoke about some new business' coming to town, landscaping improvements and other events and projects in town.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF CASH POSITION REPORT: LEGISLATION:

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE AUDITOR TO PAY CERTAIN VENDORS WHO SUPPLIED GOODS OR SERVICES TO THE CITY WITHOUT THE ISSUANCE OR AUTHORIZATION OF A PURCHASE ORDER.

CONSIDERATION:

Moved by Council member Kerr, and **Seconded** by Council member Mercer, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	Yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

FIRST READING:

Moved by Council member Kreefer, and **Seconded** by Council member Clark, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

SUSPEND THE RULES:

Moved by Council member Arcuragi, and **Seconded** by Council member Beagle, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

PASSAGE:

Moved by Council member Beagle, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

Council President Torma **declared** Number 21, 2026, duly passed as read.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE AUDITOR TO PAY CERTAIN VENDORS WHO SUPPLIED GOODS OR SERVICES TO THE CITY WITHOUT THE ISSUANCE OR AUTHORIZATION OF A PURCHASE ORDER.

CONSIDERATION:

Moved by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Clark, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

FIRST READING:

Moved by Council member Beagle, and **Seconded** by Council member Arcuragi, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

SUSPEND THE RULES:

Moved by Council member Kreefer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

PASSAGE:

Moved by Council member Kerr, and **Seconded** by Council member Beagle, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 6-0.

Council President Torma **declared** Ordinance Number 22, 2026, duly passed as read.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE AUDITOR TO PAY CERTAIN VENDORS WHO SUPPLIED GOODS OR SERVICES TO THE CITY WITHOUT THE ISSUANCE OR AUTHORIZATION OF A PURCHASE ORDER.

CONSIDERATION:

Moved by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

FIRST READING:

Moved by Council member Clark, and **Seconded** by Council member Beagle, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes

Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

SUSPEND THE RULES:

Moved by Council member Arcuragi, and **Seconded** by Council member Kreefer, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

PASSAGE:

Moved by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0

Council President Torma **declared** Ordinance Number 23, 2026, duly passed as read.

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND BUDGET ORDINANCE NUMBER 08, 2026 BY
ADJUSTING APPROPRIATIONS.**

CONSIDERATION:

Moved by Council member Kerr, and **Seconded** by Council member Beagle, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

FIRST READING:

Moved by Council member Kreefer, and **Seconded** by Council member Clark, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

SUSPEND THE RULES:

Moved by Council member Arcuragi, and **Seconded** by Council member Mercer, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:			

Motion carried 7-0.

PASSAGE:

Moved by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

Council President Torma **declared** Ordinance Number 24, 2026, duly passed as read.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE BOARD OF CONTROL ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF EAST LIVERPOOL TO PURCHASE NEW POLICE BODY CAMERAS AND ACCESSORIES FROM BRIGHT THROUGH IN THE PRINCIPLE AMOUNT OF UP TO SIXTY THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY DOLLARS AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

CONSIDERATION:

Moved by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Clark, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

FIRST READING:

Moved by Council member Beagle, and **Seconded** by Council member Arcuragi, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

SUSPEND THE RULES:

Moved by Council member Kreefer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

PASSAGE:

Moved by Council member Kerr, and **Seconded** by Council member Beagle, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

Council President Torma **declared** Ordinance Number 25, 2026, duly passed as read.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND POLICE CHIEF OF THE CITY OF EAST LIVERPOOL TO ACCEPT A 2026 BODY CAM GRANT FROM THE STATE OF OHIO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$21, 034.000 AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

CONSIDERATION:

Moved by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Clark, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

FIRST READING:

Moved by Council member Beagle, and **Seconded** by Council member Arcuragi, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

SUSPEND THE RULES:

Moved by Council member Kreefer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

PASSAGE:

Moved by Council member Kerr, and **Seconded** by Council member Beagle, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

Council President Torma **declared** Ordinance Number 26, 2026, duly passed as read.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES DIRECTOR TO ENTER INTO TASK ORDER NO. 26-02 PURSUANT TO THE AGREEMENT FOR THE TECHNICAL SERVICES DATED APRIL 17, 2025 WITH STRAND ASS., INC AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

CONSIDERATION:

Moved by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Clark, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

FIRST READING:

Moved by Council member Beagle, and **Seconded** by Council member Arcuragi, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

SUSPEND THE RULES:

Moved by Council member Kreefer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

PASSAGE:

Moved by Council member Kerr, and **Seconded** by Council member Beagle, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

Council President Torma **declared** Ordinance Number 27, 2026, duly passed as read.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES DIRECTOR TO ENTER INTO TASK ORDER NO. 26-03 PURSUANT TO THE AGREEMENT FOR THE TECHNICAL SERVICES DATED APRIL 17, 2025 WITH STRAND ASS., INC AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

CONSIDERATION:

Moved by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Clark, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

FIRST READING:

Moved by Council member Beagle, and **Seconded** by Council member Arcuragi, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

SUSPEND THE RULES:

Moved by Council member Kreefer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

PASSAGE:

Moved by Council member Kerr, and **Seconded** by Council member Beagle, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

Council President Torma **declared** Ordinance Number 28, 2026, duly passed as read.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES DIRECTOR TO ENTER INTO TASK ORDER NO. 26-04 PURSUANT TO THE AGREEMENT FOR THE TECHNICAL SERVICES DATED APRIL 17, 2025 WITH STRAND ASS., INC AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

CONSIDERATION:

Moved by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Clark, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

FIRST READING:

Moved by Council member Beagle, and **Seconded** by Council member Arcuragi, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

SUSPEND THE RULES:

Moved by Council member Kreefer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

PASSAGE:

Moved by Council member Kerr, and **Seconded** by Council member Beagle, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

Council President Torma **declared** Ordinance Number 29, 2026, duly passed as read.

AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL ORDINANCE NUMBER 38, 2023 AS CODIFIED IN CHAPTER 149 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF EAST LIVERPOOL.

CONSIDERATION:

Moved by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Clark, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

FIRST READING:

Moved by Council member Beagle, and **Seconded** by Council member Arcuragi, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

SUSPEND THE RULES:

Moved by Council member Kreefer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
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Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

PASSAGE:

Moved by Council member Kerr, and **Seconded** by Council member Beagle, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

Council President Torma **declared** Ordinance Number 30, 2026, duly passed as read.

AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL SECTION 149.01 AND SECTION 149.02 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF EAST LIVERPOOL THEREBY DISSOLVING THE BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES AND RETURNING THE DUTIES RELATING TO THE MANAGEMENT AND OPERATION OF THE WATERWORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL PLANT SYSTEM TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE/SAFETY.

CONSIDERATION:

Moved by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Clark, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

FIRST READING:

Moved by Council member Beagle, and **Seconded** by Council member Arcuragi, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

SUSPEND THE RULES:

Moved by Council member Kreefer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
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Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

PASSAGE:

Moved by Council member Kerr, and **Seconded** by Council member Beagle, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Arcuragi:	yes	Mr. Kerr:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes	Mr. Kreefer:	yes
Mr. Clark:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Ms. Danver:	yes		

Motion carried 7-0.

Council President Torma **declared** Ordinance Number 31, 2026, duly passed as read.

MISCELLANEOUS:

At-Large Council member Brian Kerr thanked all department heads and all employees for all their help.

At-Large Council member John Mercer thanked everyone for coming.

At-Large Council member Thomas Clark thanked those who came out.

Fourth Ward Council member Andrew Arcuragi thanked those who came out.

Third Ward Council member Jeffrey Kreefer thanked everyone for the positive things happening around the city.

Second Ward Council member Deb Danver thanked all those who pitch in around the city.

First Ward Council member Thomas Beagle made no comment.

Council President John Torma thanked all those who came out and hoped Mr. Jones will do a good job running the BPU.

ADJOURNMENT:

Council President Torma **entertained a motion to Adjourn.** **Motion** was made by Council member Clark.

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK S. SCAFIDE, COUNCIL CLERK

JOHN TORMA, COUNCIL PRESIDENT