

Minutes

The City Council of Raymond, Iowa met in regular session on Monday, June 1, 2026 at 6:00 p.m.
Mayor Vick presiding, Council Members: Sorensen, Thies, Cronbaugh, Wellman, & Pint.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Mayor Vick

Motion to Approve Agenda: Thies/Sorensen, Ayes-5, Motion Carried

Motion to Approve Consent Agenda: 5/18/26 Reg Minutes, Resolution 2026-1679 Payment of Bills/Transfers, Cronbaugh/Pint, Ayes-5, Motion Carried

Bills for June 1, 2026

D&D Tire Inc.	\$20.00	Rally Appraisal	\$400.00
Mary Kay Kane (Reimbursement)	\$37.44	City of Elk Run	\$10,701.91
Iowa One Call	\$35.80	Petty Cash	\$20.00
T Mobile	\$35.32	New Star	\$301.26
MacQueen	\$585.00	ASPRO	\$12,090.88
Payroll	\$2,020.90	IRS	\$505.00

Public Comments: There were questions concerning the citizen input during the City Council meeting. The City Attorney clarified that the appropriate time for citizens to ask questions or provide comments is during the Public Comments portion of the City Council meeting only. By law, the Mayor and City Council cannot respond to or discuss these comments during the same meeting if the topics were not included on the posted agenda. This ensures that all citizens have equal access to information and are not disadvantaged by the introduction of new subjects without prior public notice. It is encouraged for any citizen to discuss in person, email, or call City Hall, Mayor and Council

Engineering Report: Lafayette Rd Project is not finished. The silt fences were removed, the contractor will come out to evaluate, regrade and seed in the near future. If any citizen is unhappy with their Lafayette Rd ditch please contact City Hall

Fire Department Report: 13 calls in May

Beautification Committee Report: Working on getting a new flag pole at H.E. Pint Park. Planted hostas along a tree at the walking path, grass and weeds are starting to grow more the fence, asking Public Works to help clean that out

Motion to approve moving forward: Junior Firefighters Program and Junior EMT Program, Pint/Cronbaugh, Ayes-5, Motion Carried

Motion to approve: Junior Seasonal Workers to help Public Works, \$14.00 per hour, Wellman/Sorensen, Ayes-5, Motion Carried

Motion to approve: Resolution 2026-1678 - Amend Fiscal Year 2026 City of Raymond Budget, Pint/Thies, Ayes-5, Motion Carried

Motion to table: Enforcing "No Parking" on Rosebud St., 7th St., 8th St., due to numerous vehicles parked during ball games at H.E. Pint Park, Pint/Sorensen, Ayes-5, Motion Carried

Motion to table: TextMyGov, Communication Platform Cronbaugh/Pint, Ayes-5, Motion Carried

Motion to approve: Resolution 2026-1681 Wapsie Pines Contract for Maple Trees at Thome Park, \$979.98, Cronbaugh/Sorensen, Ayes-5, Motion Carried

Motion to approve: Road Projects with Chip Seal & Potholes for Washington St. with Prairie Road Builders, Cronbaugh/Wellman, Ayes-5, Motion Carried

Item died for lack of a motion: Road Projects with Chip Seal & Potholes for Washington St. with Rock Hard Paving

Discuss/Action: Road Projects with Crack Seal for Walking Trail, Greenbush Dr, Hillcrest St, Prairie St, Pamela St, N 4th St with Gee Asphalt Systems, Pint/Cronbaugh, Ayes-5, Motion Carried

Communication: Update for the possible sale of city property just west of 155 Winsor Ridge Dr., an appraiser was hired by the city to give us an evaluation in the next few weeks. The City of Raymond was awarded the MidAmerican Grant “Trees Please”. Wapsie Pines is scheduled to plant 12 maple trees at H.E. Pint park on Tuesday, June 2nd. If any City Council Member is interested in attending League of Cities Sept 23-25 in Bettendorf please let Teri know. Road construction will start this week on Raymond Road from Dubuque Rd to hwy 20.

Adjournment: 7:20 p.m.

Previous Bills for May 18, 2026

Waterloo Water Works	\$1,411.60	INRCOG	\$25.91
Roberts, Stevens, Prendergast	\$350.00	Richardson Motors	\$56.42
MSA (Lafayette Rd Project)	\$24,769.65	MSA (Annual Report)	\$403.00
Credit Services City Hall	\$1,253.97	Electric Pump	\$1,345.50
Oelwein Publishing	\$415.42	RC Systems Radio Comm.	\$490.29
Bergen Plumbing	\$632.99	Payroll	\$1,832.01
IRS	\$455.49	IPERS	\$802.86