

CITY OF MAROA

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CITY COUNCIL OPEN SESSION MINUTES TUESDAY, MAY 12TH, 2026

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT 6:32 p.m.

- **ROLL CALL:**

Alderman Monty Greutman	Present
Alderman Jeremiah Grider	Present
Alderman Mark Hunter	Not Present
Alderman Blake West	Present
Alderman Matt Riley	Present
Alderman Angela Bogle	Present
Mayor Ryan Wilkey	Present
City Clerk Crystal Parrott	Present
City Administrator Ted Agee	Present
City Treasurer Randi Amettis	Present
Attorney Jordon Parker	Present
Chief of Police	Not Present
Superintendent of Public Works Mike Hoffman	Present

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

- Led by Mayor Wilkey.

OPENING:

- Announcement of the Resignation of Chief of Police Fitzgerald.
- Officer Johnson provided a brief update on police readiness, emphasizing the department's ability to serve the community despite transitional challenges.

CITIZEN'S COMMENTS:

- Resident Concern: Rick Barnes reported property damage from falling tree limbs (shingles, gutters, power lines) during recent storms. Follow-up directed with Public Works.
- Trash Ordinance: Clarification was requested by Toni Stoutenborough on trash can replacement rules. Council agreed to republish guidelines in the city newsletter.

APRIL 6, 2026, OPEN MEETING MINUTES:

- Motion by Alderperson Bogle to approve the April 6, 2026, Open Meeting Minutes.
- Second by Alderperson West.
- **MOTION TO APPROVE THE APRIL 6, 2026, OPEN MEETING MINUTES.**

- **ROLL CALL:**

Alderperson Blake West	Aye
Alderperson Angela Bogle	Aye
Alderperson Jeremiah Grider	Aye
Alderperson Matt Riley	Aye
Alderperson Mark Hunter	Not Present
Alderperson Monty Greutman	Aye

- **MOTION CARRIED.**

APRIL 6, 2026, CLOSED MEETING MINUTES:

- Motion by Alderperson Bogle to approve the April 6, 2026, Closed Meeting Minutes.
- Second by Alderperson Greutman.
- **MOTION TO APPROVE THE APRIL 6, 2026, CLOSED MEETING MINUTES.**

- **ROLL CALL:**

Alderperson Blake West	Aye
Alderperson Angela Bogle	Aye
Alderperson Jeremiah Grider	Aye
Alderperson Matt Riley	Aye
Alderperson Mark Hunter	Not Present
Alderperson Monty Greutman	Aye

- **MOTION CARRIED.**

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POLICE REPORT:

- No formal report due to vacancy in the Chief position.
- Interview process underway; The goal is to fill the position within a month.

ATTORNEY REPORT:

- No updates; substitute attorney Jordan Parker present.

ENGINEER REPORT:

- Wood Street Project:
 - Pedestrian/bicycle improvements planned from Route 51 bypass to Monroe.
 - \$275K grant secured for Phase 1 engineering.
 - ITEP grant sought for construction.
- Options Discussed:
 - 1. Combine Wood Street and Main Street into one project (higher risk due to Federal funding rules).
 - 2. Proceed with Wood Street separately; pursue Safe Routes grant for Main Street in 2027.
- Council requested a follow-up discussion within a week to decide.

ADMINISTRATOR/ZONING REPORT:

- Preliminary budget posted for public review (30-day window).

PUBLIC WORKS REPORT:

- EPA updates pending for pond project.

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OLD BUSINESS:

METRO COMMUNICATIONS FIBER OPTIC INSTALL FOR PROJECT-VZ MARGEN MCR:

- Project approved pending written agreement to address post construction cleanup (grass/concrete repair).

APPOINTMENTS FOR ZONING BOARD:

- Tabled to next month's agenda.

NEW BUSINESS:

ORDINANCE 2026/05/12-1: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING ALOAN WITH SCOTT STATE BANK TO PURCHASE WATER DEPARTMENT EQUIPMENT:

- Motion by Alderperson Grider to approve Ordinance 2026/05/12-1: An Ordinance Authorizing Aloan with Scott State Bank to Purchase Water Department Equipment.
- Second by Alderperson Bogle.
- **MOTION TO APPROVE ORDINANCE 2026/05/12-1: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING ALOAN WITH SCOTT STATE BANK TO PURCHASE WATER DEPARTMENT EQUIPMENT.**
- **ROLL CALL:**

Alderperson Blake West	Aye
Alderperson Angela Bogle	Aye
Alderperson Jeremiah Grider	Aye
Alderperson Matt Riley	Aye
Alderperson Mark Hunter	Not Present
Alderperson Monty Greutman	Aye

- **MOTION CARRIED.**

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ORDINANCE 2026/05/12-2: AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING DEPARTMENT AUTHORIZATION FOR CREDIT CARDS:

- Motion by Alderperson Bogle to approve Ordinance 2026/05/12-2: An Ordinance Establishing Department Authorization for Credit Cards.
- Second by Alderperson Grider.
- **MOTION TO APPROVE ORDINANCE 2026/05/12-2: AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING DEPARTMENT AUTHORIZATION FOR CREDIT CARDS.**
- **ROLL CALL:**

Alderperson Blake West	Aye
Alderperson Angela Bogle	Aye
Alderperson Jeremiah Grider	Aye
Alderperson Matt Riley	Aye
Alderperson Mark Hunter	Not Present
Alderperson Monty Greutman	Aye

- **MOTION CARRIED.**

MARK HUNTER ENTERED THE MEETING AT 7:00 P.M.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

AMERICA 250th / FREEDOM FESTIVAL:

- **Planning (Crystal and Randi):** Seeking sponsors and volunteers for upcoming events.
- **Logistics:** Parade and car show logistics in progress.

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BILLS:

MARCH/APRIL 2026 BILLS:

- Motion by Alderperson Grider to approve paying the March/April 2026 bills
- Second by Alderperson Riley.
- **MOTION TO APPROVE PAYING THE MARCH/APRIL 2026.**
- **ROLL CALL:**

Alderperson Blake West	Aye
Alderperson Angela Bogle	Aye
Alderperson Jeremiah Grider	Aye
Alderperson Matt Riley	Aye
Alderperson Mark Hunter	Aye
Alderperson Monty Greutman	Aye

- **MOTION CARRIED.**

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CLOSED SESSION AS ALLOWED UNDER 5 ILCS 120/2 C (1-40):

The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees, volunteers or legal counsel for the public body; The hearing of testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee; Deliberations concerning salary schedules for one or more classes of employees; The selection of a person to fill a public office, or the discipline, performance or removal of the occupant of a public office; The discussion of pricing for sale, purchase or lease of real estate; The sale or purchase of securities, investments, or investment contracts; Discussion of current, pending or potential litigation; Discussion and semi-annual review of closed session minutes; The establishment of reserves or settlement of claims; Self-evaluation, practices and procedures or professional ethics; Audit related meetings involving internal control weaknesses, identification of potential fraud risk areas, known or suspected frauds, and fraud interviews; Informant sources, the hiring or assignment of undercover personnel or equipment, or ongoing, prior or future criminal investigations.

- Motion by Alderperson Grider to enter closed session under 5 ILCS 120/2 C (1-40).
- Second by Alderperson Riley.

- **MOTION TO ENTER CLOSED SESSION UNDER 5 ILCS 120/2 C (1-40).**

- **ROLL CALL:**

Alderperson Blake West	Aye
Alderperson Angela Bogle	Aye
Alderperson Jeremiah Grider	Aye
Alderperson Matt Riley	Aye
Alderperson Mark Hunter	Aye
Alderperson Monty Greutman	Aye

- **MOTION CARRIED.**
- **CLOSED SESSION CALLED TO ORDER AT 7:21 p.m.**

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• **OPEN SESSION RESUMES AT 7:34 p.m.**

ROLL CALL:

Aldersperson Monty Greutman	Present
Aldersperson Mark Hunter	Present
Aldersperson Jeremiah Grider	Present
Aldersperson Blake West	Present
Aldersperson Matt Riley	Present
Aldersperson Angela Bogle	Present
Mayor Ryan Wilkey	Present
City Clerk Crystal Parrott	Present
City Administrator Ted Agee	Present
City Treasurer Randi Amettis	Not Present
Attorney Lindsey Wise	Present
Chief of Police Robert Fitzgerald	Not Present
Superintendent of Public Works Mike Hoffman	Present

ADJOURN:

- Motion by Aldersperson Bogle to adjourn the meeting.
- Second by Aldersperson Hunter
- **MOTION TO ADJOURN THE MEETING.**

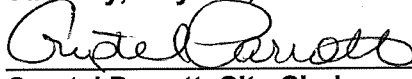
- **ROLL CALL:**

Aldersperson Blake West	Aye
Aldersperson Angela Bogle	Aye
Aldersperson Jeremiah Grider	Aye
Aldersperson Matt Riley	Aye
Aldersperson Mark Hunter	Aye
Aldersperson Monty Greutman	Aye

- **MOTION CARRIED.**
- **MEETING ADJOURNED AT 7:34 p.m.**

APPROVAL RECORD:

City of Maroa, Illinois
Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, May 12th, 2026



Crystal Parrott, City Clerk



Date Approved

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