



City of Muscatine

MINUTES

Tuesday, January 13, 2026

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Bark called the City Council meeting for January 13, 2026, to order at 06:45 PM.

2. **ROLL CALL**

Councilmembers present: Lampe, Gordon, Jindrich, Conard, Lewis, Brockert, Osborne.

3. **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

A. Budget Meeting Schedule Discussion

City Administrator Matt Mardesen gave a presentation on budget preparation with examples from other cities within our comparables. Mr. Mardesen presented a revised budget schedule to City Council and asked for feedback. Councilmembers consented to move forward with the proposed schedule of meetings and timeline for the 2026-2027 budget preparation and adoption.

4. **ADJOURNMENT**

Councilmember Gordon moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:15 pm.