

REGULAR MEETING  
May 27, 2025

A regular meeting of the Sherrill City Commission was held at 7:00 p.m. on May 27, 2025. Present were Mayor W. Vineall, Commissioners B. Piccola, K. Sayles, J. Shay and City Clerk M. Holmes.

MINUTES

Motion was made by J. Shay and seconded by B. Piccola that the minutes of the previous meeting be approved as written.

AYES: Piccola, Sayles, Shay, Vineall

BILLS

Motion was made by B. Piccola and seconded by J. Shay that the following bills be approved for payment and W. Vineall be authorized to sign the warrant.

<b>Fund</b>	<b>Warrant No.</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Dollars</b>
City Claims on	10	5/27/2025	\$ 35,847.97
Sewer Claims on	10	5/27/2025	\$ 9,663.29
P&L Claims on	10	5/27/2025	\$ 178,676.76
Trust & Agency Claims on	10	5/27/2025	\$ 1,250.00

AYES: Piccola, Sayles, Shay, Vineall

PLANNING BOARD

The current City Planning Board consists of seven members, there are currently 2 vacancies and have been since late 2024. There have been some discussions on reducing the board to five members as state law allows for five or seven-person planning boards. Holmes said the city charter is silent to the planning board make-up. He reviewed the old minutes as far back as 1916 (not in totality) and the planning board has four (initially) and five and seven members on it. The chairman of the board (Mayor) appointed the initial board and then there was a time where the members were appointed by the commission as a whole and then it went back to a mayoral appointment. The commission thought that a five-member board was fine and that this was an ideal time to drop from seven to five since there are two vacancies. The commission wanted to go on record as to the number of members and appointed authority to be followed moving forward. A motion was made by B. Piccola and seconded by K. Sayles that the planning board be reduced to five members and that the commission as a whole would be the appointing authority moving forward. Members would have a five-year term moving forward so that the terms could be staggered.

Additionally, Jeremy Roden whose term expires on 12/31/25, would be reappointed (or a replacement would be) and that term would be six years so that it would expire on 12/31/31 and that all the board terms expiring after 12/31/31 would be five-year terms.

AYES: Piccola, Sayles, Shay, Vineall

Motion was made by J. Shay and seconded by K. Sayles to adjourn.

AYES: Piccola, Sayles, Shay, Vineall

Michael Holmes  
City Clerk