

November 6, 2025

Work Session Notes

8:00 a.m.

*This is an open forum. Council and Staff may speak openly.
No business will be discussed other than on agenda.*

Council Present: Mayor Ron Grobeck, Mike Windey, and Jerry Martin

Staff Present: Clerk-Treasurer Amanda Thorson; Deputy Clerk, Patty Hensel; City Engineer Bob Schlieman; Apex Engineering.

Absent: Council Member Jill Carlson and Elizabeth Augustus

Work Session Agenda (no discussion was held between council members)

8:00-8:30 **Arrival & Registration**

8:30-8:40 **Pledge of Allegiance & Welcome**

8:40-9:20 **Strategic Planning for Community Development** Maddie Clavin, *CEDA* & Jonathan Pauna, *Moore Engineering*

9:20-10:20 **Public Facilities & Community Development Funding** Steve Walter, *MN Public Facilities Authority*; Angela Bokovoy, *USDA Rural Development* & David Heyer, *DEED*

10:30-11:00 **Support Local Housing** Amy Baldwin, *Otter Tail County* & Val Martin, *City of Battle Lake*

11:00-11:30 **Funding Local Transportation** Shiloh Wahl, *MNDOT*; Nathan Gannon, *MNDOT* & Jodi Teich, *Otter Tail County Engineer*

11:30-11:55 Ian Carlstrom, *West Central SBDC* & Greg Wagner, *WCIF*

11:55-12:00 **Closing Senator Jordan Rasmusson**

Work session adjourned at 12:00 p.m.

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Amanda Thorson

Clerk-Treasurer