

EUCLID CITY COUNCIL MEETING
SUMMARY FROM DECEMBER 15, 2025

This regular Council Meeting was held on Monday, December 15, 2025
at 7:00pm in the Euclid Municipal Center Council Chambers.
Council President Kristian Jarosz, presided.

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FIRST GAVEL

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS

Present: Jarosz, Tanner, Tolton, Cosgriff,
Hannum, Wojtila, Dybiec, Steele
Excused: Gresham

COMMUNICATIONS

- People Enterprises, LLC – 22740 Shore Center Dr., Euclid, 44123 – Ward 5
Motion by Council President Jarosz to request a hearing, second by Councilman Tolton. Vote was unanimous to request a hearing with the State Liquor Board.

COUNCIL MINUTES

- December 1, 2025
Councilman Wojtila made a motion to accept the minutes, Councilwoman Hannum seconded. Vote was unanimous to approve minutes.

ADMINISTRATION REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Presentation of Resolution of respect, gratitude and commendation to Councilwoman Angela K. Steele.

- Thank you to everyone that participated in the holiday lighting.
- Thank you to Indian Hills Apartments for donating the tree.
- Please stop by Triangle Park to see the beautiful Christmas Cards lining the walkway. Thank you to the community partners that painted those.
- Our Finance Director James Smith has left us. We're happy to welcome our new Finance Director Katie Iconis. She is from University Heights.
- We will be administering the Oath of Office to our Ward 2,6 & 8 Councilpersons and Council President on Saturday, December 27th. Ward 4 will be administered at a different time.
- City Hall will be closed on December 24th, 25th and January 1st.
- We wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and enjoy a safe and healthy holiday season.

Recreation Director Stephens announcements:

- No announcements

Law Director Cooney announcements:

- No announcements

Planning and Development Director Grogan-Myers announcements:

- No announcements.

Police Chief Meyer announcements:

- No announcements.

Fire Chief Womack announcements:

- No announcements

Service Director Knecht announcements:

- No announcements

Assistant to the Mayor, Grida announcements:

- No announcements

COMMITTEE DOCUMENTATION

- Board of Control Minutes – November 24, 2025 & December 1, 2025

Councilman Wojtila made a motion to approve the summaries and Councilwoman Steele seconded. Summary and Minutes were unanimously approved.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

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LEGISLATION

Item 1. Resolution 119-25. A resolution approving the Fiscal Year 2026 Entitlement Year Proposed Budget, to be incorporated into the Annual Action Plan under the Community Development Block Grant Program of the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development as recommended by the Citizens' Advisory Committee of the City of Euclid and authorizing the Mayor to submit said Annual Action Plan to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development. (Sponsored by Mayor Holzheimer Gail and Councilperson Tolton.)

Discussion by Councilman Wojtila.

Motion to close debate by Councilwoman Steele, second by Councilman Cosgriff.

Resolution passed with a unanimous vote.

Permanent number 120-2025

Item 2. Emergency Ordinance 120-25. An emergency ordinance extending the contract with Euclid Development Corporation (EDCOR) pertaining to the Cuyahoga Housing Consortium HOME Program Commitment Plan to December 31, 2026 as permitted by the Cuyahoga Housing Consortium. (Sponsored by Mayor Holzheimer Gail.)

No Discussion.

Motion to close debate by Councilwoman Steele, second by Councilwoman Dybiec.

Motion to forego the second and third reading by Councilman Tolton, second by Councilwoman Hannum.

Emergency Ordinance passed with a unanimous vote.

Permanent number 121-2025

Item 3. Emergency Ordinance 121-25. An emergency ordinance authorizing the Mayor of the City of Euclid to enter into a LED Street Lighting Agreement with the Cleveland Illuminating Company ("First Energy") for replacement of street lighting fixtures in the City of Euclid in an amount not to exceed One Hundred

Eight Thousand Dollars (\$108,000.00). (Sponsored by Mayor Holzheimer Gail.)
No Discussion.

Motion to send to a third reading by Councilman Wojtila, second by Councilman Tanner.

Discussion by Councilman Tanner.

Motion to close debate by Councilwoman Steele, second by Councilwoman Hannum.

Motion to forego the second and third reading by Councilwoman Hannum, second by Councilwoman Dybiec.

Emergency Ordinance passed with a unanimous vote.

Permanent number 122-2025

Item 4. Ordinance 123-25. An ordinance amending Section 1705.03 which is a portion of Chapter 1705 Registration of Contractors of Part Seventeen Building and Housing Code of the Codified Ordinances for the City of Euclid. (Sponsored by Mayor Holzheimer Gail.)

Discussion by Councilpersons Tolton, Cosgriff, Steele & Council President Jarosz.

Motion to close debate by Councilwoman Hannum, second by Councilman Tolton.

Motion to forego the second and third reading by Councilwoman Hannum, second by Councilman Wojtila.

Ordinance passed with a unanimous vote.

Permanent number 123-2025

Item 5. Emergency Ordinance 124-25. An emergency ordinance authorizing the Mayor of the City of Euclid to enter into a two (2) month agreement with Cuyahoga County for the care and housing of the City of Euclid's charged prisoners from January 1, 2026 through February 28, 2026. (Sponsored by Mayor Holzheimer Gail.)

No Discussion.

Motion to close debate by Councilman Wojtila, second by Councilman Tolton.

Motion to forego the second and third reading by Councilwoman Dybiec, second by Councilwoman Hannum.

Emergency Ordinance passed with a unanimous vote.

Permanent number 124-2025

Item 6. Emergency Ordinance 125-25. An emergency ordinance authorizing the Mayor of the City of Euclid to renew the contract with 3S Towing and Recovery, 1090 East 305 St, Wickliffe, OH 44092, for the towing of junk, abandoned and impounded vehicles or vehicles that must otherwise be removed at the direction of the Euclid Police Department for the period from January 1, 2026 through December 31, 2026. (Sponsored by Mayor Holzheimer Gail.)

No Discussion.

Motion to close debate by Councilwoman Hannum, second by Councilman Cosgriff.

Motion to forego the second and third reading by Councilman Tanner, second by Councilman Tolton.

Emergency Ordinance with a unanimous vote.

Permanent number 125-2025

Item 7. Resolution 122-25. A resolution of respect, gratitude and commendation to **Angela K. Steele** for her service to the residents of Ward 8 and the City of Euclid as Councilperson. (Sponsored by Mayor Holzheimer Gail and All Members of Council)

No Discussion.

Motion to close debate by Councilwoman Hannum, second by Councilman Cosgriff.
Resolution passed with a unanimous vote.


Permanent number 119-2025

COUNCILPERSONS COMMENTS

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Motion to adjourn was made by Councilman Wojtila and seconded by Councilwoman Steele. Meeting was adjourned.

ADJOURNMENT



Clerk of Council Cheryl Laboda



Council President Kristian Jarosz

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