

**Jeannette City Council  
Reorganization Meeting  
Agenda Meeting  
Minutes**



**Thursday  
MONDAY, JANUARY 5, 2026  
8:00pm**

Joseph DeMarchis swearing in Michelle Langdon, Mayor; Denise Ward, Councilwoman. Tina Collier, Treasurer. Nancy Peters, City Controller

Mayor called the meeting to order at: 8:05 PM

<b>ROLL CALL:</b>	<b>ALSO, PRESENT:</b>	<b>ABSENT WITH CAUSE</b>
<i>James Miller Chad Krawtz Denise Ward Michelle Langdon</i>	<i>City Manager: Ethan Keedy City Solicitor: Timothy Witt Chief of Police: Derek Manley. Fire Chief: William Frye Controller: Nancy Peters</i>	<i>City Treasurer: City Foreman: John Carl City Engineer: Edward Antonacci Code Enforcement: Bill Whetzel</i>

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE AMERICAN FLAG**

Please remain standing for a moment of reflection for the men and women in the armed services.

**INVOCATION:**

Pastor Ross from Heritage Baptist Church

**EXCEPTIONS TO OPEN MEETINGS (65 Pa.C.S.A. § 707):**

**AGENDA:**

A motion was made by Krawtz and 2nd Miller to approve the Agenda.

Roll Call Vote:

Yea (4): Krawtz, Miller, Ward, Langdon

Nay (0):

Motion Passed

**MINUTES:**

**CITIZENS:**

**COMMUNICATIONS:**

**OFFICERS REPORTS:**

**BILLS:**

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**DEPARTMENT REPORTS:**

- Mr. Miller - Street Department Report.
- Mr. Krawtz - Sanitation, EMS, and Fire Department Report.
- Ms. Ward - Was sworn in
- Ms. Langdon - Welcome Speech, Congrats, Page Transition, Council Seat Vacancy.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

**NEW BUSINESS:**

1. A motion was made by Krawtz and 2nd Miller to appoint \_\_\_Denise Ward\_\_\_ as Director of Accounts and Finance for the year 2026  
Roll Call Vote:  
Yea (4): Krawtz, Miller, Ward, Langdon  
Nay (0):  
Motion Passed
2. A motion was made by Langdon and 2nd Krawtz to appoint \_\_\_James Miller\_\_\_ as Director of Streets and Improvements for the year 2026  
Roll Call Vote:  
Yea (4): Krawtz, Miller, Ward, Langdon  
Nay (0):  
Motion Passed
3. A motion was made by Langdon and 2nd Miller to appoint \_\_\_Chad Krawtz\_\_\_ as Director of Public Safety for the year 2026  
Roll Call Vote:  
Yea (4): Krawtz, Miller, Ward, Langdon  
Nay (0):  
Motion Passed

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4. A motion to appoint \_\_\_\_\_ as Director of Public Building for the year 2026

Roll Call Vote:

**TABLED**

5. A motion was made by Krawtz and 2nd Langdon to appoint \_\_Michelle Langdon\_\_ as Library Liaison for the year 2026

Roll Call Vote:

Yea (4): Krawtz, Miller, Ward, Langdon

Nay (0):

Motion Passed

6. A motion to appoint \_\_\_\_\_ as the Liaison for the Recreation Board for 2026

Roll Call Vote:

**TABLED**

7. A motion was made by Langdon and 2nd Krawtz to appoint \_\_Denise Ward\_\_ as the representative to Berkheimer Tax Administration for the year 2026

Roll Call Vote:

Yea (4): Krawtz, Miller, Ward, Langdon

Nay (0):

Motion Passed

8. A motion was made by Langdon and 2nd Krawtz to appoint \_\_Ethan Keedy\_\_ as the Alternate Representative to Berkheimer Tax Administration for the year 2026.

Roll Call Vote:

Yea (4): Krawtz, Miller, Ward, Langdon

Nay (0):

Motion Passed

9. A motion was made by Krawtz and 2nd Langdon to appoint William Frye as the Fire Marshall for the City of Jeannette.

Roll Call Vote:

Yea (4): Krawtz, Miller, Ward, Langdon

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Nay (0):

Motion Passed

10. A motion was made by Krawtz and 2nd Langdon to change the signatories on all City of Jeannette bank accounts to the following individuals: Ethan Keedy City Manager, \_\_\_Nancy Peters\_\_\_ City Controller, \_ Paula Ritzan\_ Deputy City Treasurer.

Roll Call Vote:

Yea (4): Krawtz, Miller, Ward, Langdon

Nay (0):

Motion Passed

11. A motion was made by Langdon and 2nd Miller to accept Letters of interest and resumes for the Vacant Councilmember Seat, letters are required to be submitted no later than 4pm on Friday January 23rd 2026.

Roll Call Vote:

Yea (4): Krawtz, Miller, Ward, Langdon

Nay (0):

Motion Passed

**ADJOURNMENT:**

A motion was made by Krawtz and 2nd Miller to Adjourn the meeting

Roll Call Vote:

Yea (4): Krawtz, Miller, Ward, Langdon

Nay (0):

Motion Passed

**Ethan Keedy**  
*CITY MANAGER*