



CITY OF ONEIDA
MEETING OF THE COMMON COUNCIL
109 N. MAIN ST., ONEIDA, NY 13421

AGENDA

Date:	October 6, 2026	Presiding:	Rick Rossi, Mayor
Time:	6:30 p.m.	Clerk:	Sandy LaPera, City Clerk
Location:	Common Council Chambers	Meeting Type:	Regular ☒ Special ☐

Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance/Roll Call

PUBLIC COMMENT: Limited to 3 minutes

OLD BUSINESS: Councilor Jones

- Status of Ethics Investigation of 2025 incident
 - Update on the resulting Resolution 25-178, passed on 10/7/25, establishing an annual training requirement on confidentiality and ethical governance
- Status of grant funding/bond for demolition of 136 Madison Street, 138 Madison Street, and 210 Sconondoa Street
- Update on public communication/PSA on the \$3M Referendum for the maximum estimated \$3M cost and issuance of Serial Bonds for the partial reconstruction of the sewer collection system

MAYOR'S REMARKS:

CITY MANAGER'S REMARKS:

Approval of the Minutes: September 15, 2026

Approval of Warrant: 19

Item	Title	Facilitator
1.	RESCHEDULE COUNCIL MEETING: approve to reschedule the regular Common Council meeting scheduled for Tuesday, November 3, 2026, to Wednesday, November 4, 2026, due to Election Day.	MAYOR
2.	BOARD REAPPOINTMENTS: approve the Mayor's appointment of Sarah Marshall, Wendy Matters and Brahim Zogby to the Ethics Board for a 4-year term	MAYOR

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3.	BUDGET TRANSFERS/AMENDMENTS: approve the budget transfers and amendments as outlined by the Comptroller or a third party duly retained by the City of Oneida to perform such services	WELLS
4.	AGREEMENT: approve payment in the amount of \$500.00 to Stephanie Gwilt of the band Funky Butter for their performance at the City of Oneida Fall Festival on October 3, 2026.	GRIFF
5.	MASTER FEE SCHEDULE: approve and adopt the Master Fee Schedule effective January 1, 2027	CITY MANAGER
6.	TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE GRANTS: Authorize the City Manager to execute NYS Governor's Traffic Safety Committee Grant Agreements for Safe Driving Education (\$63,000) and Police Traffic Services (\$19,580) for the period of October 1, 2026 through September 30, 2027	LOWELL
7.	INTRODUCE LOCAL LAW: introduce a Local Law imposing a six-month moratorium on Commercial Free-Standing Solar Photovoltaic (PV) Systems and Battery Energy Storage Systems within the City of Oneida and schedule a Public Hearing for Tuesday, October 20, 2026, at 6:30pm, Common Council Chambers, 109 N. Main St.	CITY MANAGER
8.	LEASE AGREEMENT: authorize the City Manager to sign a Lease Agreement with Enterprise Fleet Management for a 2027 Ford F-250 for the Police Department	LOWELL

NEW BUSINESS: