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MARENGO CITY COUNCIL
Executive Session Minutes
City Council Chambers
132 E. Prairie Street
Marengo, IL 60152
September 8, 2025

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Michael Proffitt called the Executive Session meeting to order at 7:15PM.

ROLL CALL

Present this evening are Mayor Michael Proffitt; Aldermen Rudsinski, Keenum, Mortensen, DeSerto, Damisch, Weiss and Miller. Alderman Mobley was absent. Also present was City Attorney David McArdle, Director of HR/Finance Megan Lopez, Director of Public Works [REDACTED] and Chief of Police Nathan Hayes.

ITEMS UNDER DISCUSSION

City Administrator Derik Morefield reported that he, Mayor Proffitt, and Megan Lopez were made aware of a video recorded at a resident's home in June of the previous year. The video contains audio in which Code Enforcement Officer [REDACTED] can be heard making disparaging remarks about the resident.

In response, the city took a proactive approach by meeting with Ms. [REDACTED] to address the matter. During this discussion, she was given the option to voluntarily resign from her position or face termination

MOTION TO RETURN TO OPEN SESSION

Alderman Keenum made a motion at 7:28PM, seconded by Alderman DeSerto, to adjourn the Executive Session.

The aldermen voted as follows:

Aye: DeSerto, Rudsinski, Miller, Damish, Weiss Mortensen and Keenum

Nay: 0

Absent: Mobley

The motion passed.



Stephanie Matysiewski