



# City of Manitowoc

900 Quay Street  
Manitowoc, WI 54220  
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## Meeting Minutes

### Common Council

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Tuesday, April 19, 2022

5:00 PM

Council Chambers

Note: Meeting will also be held via remote conferencing software (Zoom)

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#### Organizational Session

#### A. CALL TO ORDER

#### B. ROLL CALL

**Alderspersons Present:** 9 - Jim Brey, Eric Sitkiewitz, Steven Czekala, Bill Schlei, Brett Vanderkin, Chad Beeman, Tim Boldt, Todd Reckelberg and Darian Kaderabek

**Alderspersons Absent:** 1 - Michael Cummings

#### C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE & INVOCATION

#### D. NEWLY ELECTED COUNCIL MEMBERS TAKE OATH OF OFFICE

**District 4: Jim Brey**

**District 5: Darian Kaderabek**

**District 6: Eric J. Sitkiewitz**

**District 8: Bill Schlei**

**District 9: Steven Czekala**

#### ROLL CALL

**Alderspersons Present:** 10 - Jim Brey, Eric Sitkiewitz, Steven Czekala, Bill Schlei, Brett Vanderkin, Chad Beeman, Michael Cummings, Tim Boldt, Todd Reckelberg and Darian Kaderabek

#### E. NOMINATIONS FOR PRESIDENT OF COMMON COUNCIL

Mayor Nickels announced that nominations were in order for the election of President of the Common Council, who also acts as the Chaplain.

Aldersperson Sitkiewitz nominated Aldersperson Steve Czekala as President of the Common Council. There being no other nominations, nominations were closed.

#### F. ELECTION OF PRESIDENT OF COMMON COUNCIL

Moved by Brey, second by Reckelberg, and unanimously carried to elect Aldersperson Steve Czekala as President of the Common Council

## G. ALDERPERSON IS DECLARED ELECTED AS PRESIDENT (TAKES OATH)

Mayor declared Alderperson Czekala elected as President of the Common Council and the City Clerk then administered the oath of office.

## H. DRAWING FOR SEATS

Members proceeded to draw for seats with the results being as follows:  
Seat/Name - (1) Boldt, (2) Vanderkin, (3) Kaderabek, (4) Brey, (5) Reckelberg, (6) Sitkiewitz, (7) Beeman, (8) Schlei, (9) Cummings, (10) Czekala

## I. SHORT RECESS TO TAKE NEW SEATS

## J. ADOPTION OF COUNCIL CODE OF CONDUCT & COUNCIL RULES

[22-0333](#) Common Council Rules 2022-2023

**Moved by Czekala, seconded by Brey, that the Common Council Rules be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 10 - Brey, Sitkiewitz, Czekala, Schlei, Vanderkin, Beeman, Cummings, Boldt, Reckelberg and Kaderabek

[22-0334](#) Code of Conduct April 2022

**Moved by Czekala, seconded by Sitkiewitz, that the Code of Conduct be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 10 - Brey, Sitkiewitz, Czekala, Schlei, Vanderkin, Beeman, Cummings, Boldt, Reckelberg and Kaderabek

## K. APPOINTMENTS AND BUSINESS PRESENTED BY THE MAYOR

[22-0335](#) Appointments by Mayor to various Committees, Boards, and Commissions

**Moved by Czekala, seconded by Sitkiewitz, that these Appointments be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 9 - Brey, Sitkiewitz, Czekala, Schlei, Beeman, Cummings, Boldt, Reckelberg and Kaderabek

**Nay:** 1 - Vanderkin

[22-0336](#) Council election of Council member to serve on Plan Commission for ensuing one year term ending 4/17/2023

**Mayor Nickels announced that nominations were in order for the election of a Council member to serve on Plan Commission.**

**Alder Czekala nominated Alder Brey.**

**Moved by Czekala, seconded by Sitkiewitz, that this Appointment be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 10 - Brey, Sitkiewitz, Czekala, Schlei, Vanderkin, Beeman, Cummings, Boldt, Reckelberg and Kaderabek

**L. ADJOURN**

**Moved by Czekala, seconded by Sitkiewitz, that this meeting be adjourned 5:18 p.m. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 10 - Brey, Sitkiewitz, Czekala, Schlei, Vanderkin, Beeman, Cummings, Boldt, Reckelberg and Kaderabek

**Mackenzie Reed-Kadow  
City Clerk**