

Minutes from the Buffalo City Council on February 25, the FY27 Budget Workshop was called to order by Mayor Rodriguez at 6:00 p.m.

Council and Staff Present

Council Members Rachel Teel-Vanderpool, Jesse Leonard, Sean Roman, Trent Adams, and Mary Moore were present. Also attending were Public Works Director Josh Ferkel, Fire Chief Doug Anderson, Administrative Captain Adam Sowell, Police Chief T.J. Behning, and City Clerk Tanna Leonard.

FY27 Budget Overview

The Clerk provided an updated expense report for the general fund and provided several options for plans.

Council Direction

Motion by Roman, seconded by Adams to recommend the clerk prepare the max levy with option one rate the highest rate increase as we have in the past. Motion carried unanimously. and that department heads provide details on the capital reserves and the clerk provide the cost of the 4th officer. Motion carried unanimously.

Department heads would provide details on their capital reserve plans

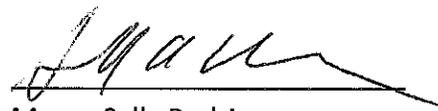
Clerk would gather the costs of a fourth officer

This would allow council members to have better information on how to allocate funding for the FY27 budget.

Motion by Adams and seconded by Leonard to set the public hearing for Max Levy on March 19, 2026. Motion carried unanimously.

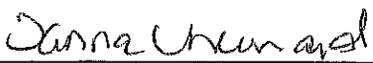
Council would meet again on March 10, 2026 @ 5:00 for further budget discussions.

Motion by Moore and seconded by Adams to adjourn the meeting at 7:46 pm. Motion carried unanimously.



Mayor Sally Rodriguez

Attest:



City Clerk Tanna Leonard