

Tuesday, February 18, 2025  
5:30 p.m.

Special Meeting  
Lake View Council Chambers

The Lake View City Council met in special session on Monday, February 18, 2025 at the Lake View Municipal Building. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Pro Tem Steinkamp at 5:34 p.m. Roll call was taken: Present: Councilors Dave Woltman, Mike Frank, Jim Jensen, and Dale Boeckman (arrived at 5:45)

Also present: Jim Garrels, Tami Auen, Bill Leners, Kevin Litterer, John Meredith and Joe Jacobsen

Fire Department finances

Fire Chief Garrels presented information to the Council on the number of fire calls for 2024, along with the response time. He also informed the Council on grants the department has applied for and received to help cover the cost of bunker gear and new pagers and radios. Chief Garrels discussed the need to replace the pumper truck in a few years as it is 25 years old and is on a 30-year rotation.

FY 2025-26 budget request

The City Administrator spoke on the proposed budget for FY 2026, explaining the current township budget amounts for fire protection are based on the 2025 valuations, giving them the most updated information. She also discussed the current debt service and future equipment needs.

Motion by Boeckman, second by Woltman, to adjourn. Ayes: All ayes Motion carried.  
Meeting adjourned at 6:16 p.m.

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John Westergaard, Mayor

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Kay Cates, City Clerk