

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a closed work session of the City Council of Appleton was held on Wednesday June 18, 2025 in the Council Chambers at the Appleton Civic Center to discuss union negotiations.

Council Members Present in Chambers: Justin Koepp, Al Oyen, Vanessa Lhotka-Meyer & Jim Masee.

Council Members Absent: Stacey Raddatz,

City Staff Present in Chambers: John Olinger – City Administrator

After closing the session, Mayor Koepp called the meeting to order.

Olinger introduced the International Union of Operating Engineers Local 70 proposal, and the preliminary agreement reached. Olinger informed the council the union represents; the Accounting Officer, Office Assistant, Public Works Laborers, Public Works Foreman, Liquor Store Manager who are in the union and the Water and Wastewater Foreman who is not in the union. The council discussed the preliminary agreement and proposed a counteroffer. Olinger will draft the counteroffer and wait for the union vote the following week.

Olinger introduced the offer from AFSCME Council 65 representing Officer Cody Thomson. The council prepared a counter proposal for the July 2 union/city negotiations. Olinger will draft the offer and represent the council at the meeting.

Adjournment: Koepp reopened the meeting. A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by councilmember Masee and seconded by councilmember Oyen. Meeting was adjourned at 9:30 pm.