

**CITY OF RIVER ROUGE, MICHIGAN
IN PERSON MEETING THE CITY COUNCIL
March 3, 2026**

Mayor Campbell in the Chair Meeting called to order at 7:31 P.M.
Present: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau
Excuse: Ward
Absent: None

Also Present: Patricia H. Johnson City Clerk, Elizabeth Cacevic Attorney, Michael Bowdler Jr. Dept. of Public Works Assistant Director, Carl Johnson Finance Director, Sotirios Arapakis Director of Public Safety, Melissa Collins Water Dept.

26-147

Moved by Commissioner Campbell, supported by Commissioner Folks,
CARRIED to approve the February 17, 2026 regular meeting minutes.
Yeas: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau, Mayor Campbell
Nays: None
Abstain: None

26-148

Moved by Commissioner Campbell, supported by Commissioner Green,
CARRIED to approve the opening of Belanger Park effective April 1, 2026.
Admission fees will remain the same from 2025.
Yeas: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau, Mayor Campbell
Nays: None
Abstain : None

26-149

Moved by Commissioner Campbell, supported by Commissioner Pruneau,
CARRIED to approve the rehire of the Belanger Park guards effective April 1,
2026, at the same rate of pay as 2025.
Yeas: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau, Mayor Campbell
Nays: None
Abstain: None

26-150

Moved by Commissioner Pruneau, supported by Commissioner Campbell, CARRIED to extend the effective period of the Contract for Signing Bonus for Lateral Officers and Repayment Agreement for 6 months from today. This shall amend resolution 25-048.

Yeas: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau, Mayor Campbell

Nays: None

Abstain: None

26-151

Moved by Commissioner Pruneau, supported by Commissioner Campbell, CARRIED to approve and accept the additional funds from the Spark Grant in the amount of \$82,600 for Memorial Park Playground Equipment.

Yeas: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau, Mayor Campbell

Nays: None

Abstain: None

26-152

Moved by Commissioner Green, supported by Commissioner Campbell, CARRIED to approve the General Fund checks #83407 thru 83482 in the amount of \$773,055.06 and overtime figures from pay period 2/8/2026 thru 2/21/2026 in the amount of \$18,126.24.

Yeas: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau, Mayor Campbell

Nays: None

Abstain: None

26-153

Moved by Commissioner Folks, supported by Commissioner Campbell, CARRIED to approve 16 Building Permits.

Yeas: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau, Mayor Campbell

Nays: None

Abstain: None

26-154

Moved by Commissioner Campbell, supported by Commissioner Pruneau, CARRIED to approve 17 Business License renewals Andrew Funeral Home 282 Visger Rd., Armani Auto Sales 10885 W. Jefferson Ave., B & S Enterprise, Inc. 276 Visger Rd., Buds Barber Shop Inc. 454 Polk, Chemtrade Solutions LLC 800 Marion Ave., Clora Funeral Home 1789 Coolidge Hwy., Divined Company 69 Walnut, Elevate Auto Group LLC 11118 W. Jefferson Ave., Motor City Materials 126 W. Pleasant, F & M Cosmos 10700 W. Jefferson Ave., Fuller Sounds 10356 W. Jefferson Ave., H & R Block 10549 W. Jefferson Ave., Phat Headz Hair Salon 10621 W. Jefferson Ave., R & A Rental Hall 10249 W. Jefferson Ave., River Rouge Auto LLC. 1865 Coolidge Hwy., River Rouge Pharmacy 10550 W. Jefferson Ave., S & S Transmission 10193 W. Jefferson Ave.,
Yeas: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau, Mayor Campbell
Nays: None
Abstain: None

26-155

Moved by Commissioner Pruneau, supported by Commissioner Campbell & Commissioner Folks, CARRIED to approve the 2026 RENEWAL of 1 Recreational Grower Marijuana Business License to R-PTN Haltiner LLC located at 55 Haltiner. This entity is not renewing its Medical Grower License. The approval is conditioned upon the applicant complying with all applicable ordinances, statutes, rules, and regulations.
Yeas: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau, Mayor Campbell
Nays: None
Abstain: None

26-156

Moved by Commissioner Folks, supported by Commissioner Campbell, CARRIED to approve the 2026 RENEWAL of 1 medical processor license and 1 recreational processor license to RR Process LLC who is located at 75 E. Anchor. The approval is conditioned upon the applicant complying with all applicable ordinances, statutes, rules, and regulations.
Yeas: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau, Mayor Campbell
Nays: None
Abstain: None

26-157

Moved by Commissioner Campbell, supported by Commissioner Folks, CARRIED to approve 2026 City Clerks Institute Program from March 15, 2026 thru March 20, 2026.

Yeas: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau, Mayor Campbell

Nays: None

Abstain: None

26-158

Moved by Commissioner Pruneau, supported by Commissioner Green, CARRIED to approve Election training for City Clerk's office on Monday, March 23, 2026.

Yeas: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau, Mayor Campbell

Nays: None

Abstain: None

26-159

Moved by Mayor Campbell, supported by all Commissioners to adjourn the meeting at 8:10pm.

Yeas: Campbell, Folks, Green, Holly, Pruneau, Mayor Campbell

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Patricia Hudson-Johnson – City Clerk