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Michael Dundon, City Council President

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BOARD OF ESTIMATE & APPORTIONMENT MINUTES

City Council Chambers – Binghamton City Hall
Wednesday, January 14, 2026

I. CALL TO ORDER

At 11:15AM by Mayor Kraham

II. ROLL CALL

Present: Jared Kraham, Mayor; Robert Heary, Acting Corporation Counsel; Ron Lake, City Engineer; Charles Robinson, Comptroller; Joshua Paludi, Acting DPW Commissioner

Also Present: Sarah Dinhofer, City Clerk

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Request to approve the minutes from 01/07/2026

- a. Motion: Lake
- b. Second: Paludi
- c. Vote: 5-0-0-0

IV. NEW BUSINESS

Introductory Ordinance O26-01. An Ordinance to amend the 2025 Fire budget for over-budget line items

- a. Motion: Lake
- b. Second: Paludi
- c. Vote: 5-0-0-0

Introductory Ordinance O26-02. An Ordinance to amend the 2025 Police budget for over-budget line items

- a. Motion: Lake
- b. Second: Paludi
- c. Vote: 5-0-0-0

Introductory Ordinance O26-03. An Ordinance to amend the 2025 DPW budget for over-budget line items

- a. Motion: Lake
- b. Second: Paludi
- c. Vote: 5-0-0-0

Introductory Ordinance O26-04. An Ordinance to amend the 2025 General Fund budget for over-budget line items

- a. Motion: Lake
- b. Second: Paludi
- c. Vote: 5-0-0-0



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Introductory Ordinance O26-05. An Ordinance to amend the 2025 Sewer Fund budget for payment of additional debt service on 2016B settlement

- a. Motion: Lake
- b. Second: Paludi
- c. Vote: 5-0-0-0

Introductory Ordinance O26-06. An Ordinance to amend the 2025 Personnel budget for over-budget line items

- a. Motion: Lake
- b. Second: Paludi
- c. Vote: 5-0-0-0

Introductory Ordinance O26-07. An Ordinance to amend the 2026 Contingency Fund budget for purchase of medcars for City of Binghamton Fire Department

- a. Motion to hold over: Lake
- b. Second: Paludi
- c. Discussion: Mayor Kraham notes relevance to Finance Committee scheduled for tomorrow
- d. Vote: 5-0-0-0

Introductory Ordinance O26-09. An Ordinance to amend the 2025 General Fund budget for Binghamton Plaza Escrow.

- a. Motion: Lake
- b. Second: Paludi
- c. Vote: 5-0-0-0

Settlement Discussion 1

- a. Motion to enter executive session: Lake
- b. Second: Paludi
- c. Vote: 5-0-0-0

Mayor Kraham exits meeting.

- d. Motion to exit executive session: Lake
- e. Second: Paludi
- f. Vote: 4-0-0-1
- g. Absent: Kraham

- h. Motion to approve settlement: Lake
- i. Second: Paludi
- j. Vote: 4-0-0-1
- k. Absent: Kraham



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Mayor Kraham re-enters meeting.

V. MOTION TO ADJOURN

- a. Motioned at 11:24AM: Lake
- b. Second: Paludi
- c. Vote: 5-0-0-0