

City of Cuba- City Council Emergency Minutes

City Hall/ 403 E Jefferson St, Cuba IL

August 17th 2026

10:00 AM

Call to Order

Mayor Cozart called Emergency Council Meeting to order at 10 AM

Pledge of Allegiance

Recited

Roll Call		Aye's	Nay's	Absent
Alderman Falk		X		
Alderman Burgett		X		
Alderman Yocum		X		
Alderman Scharping				X
Alderwoman Clark		X		
Mayor Cozart		X		
Alderman Lynch				X

A Special Meeting of the City Council was held to consider emergency actions related to recent flooding within the community.

Council reviewed flood impacts affecting residents, public infrastructure, and municipal operations.

Discussion included recurring flooding events experienced in recent years, the need to document damages and response activities, and the importance of establishing eligibility for potential future recovery and mitigation programs.

Following discussion, Motion and second to approve declaring a Local Disaster due to flooding conditions within the City and authorized city officials to take actions necessary to support emergency response, recovery activities, and coordination with county and state agencies. Alderwoman Clark/ Alderman Burgett, All Aye's, Motion passed.

Council discussed ongoing flood response efforts and the distribution of cleaning and recovery supplies to affected residents. To improve accessibility, council members supported consolidating available supplies at City Hall for public distribution.

Staff reported that records are being maintained regarding:

- Resident flood damage reports
- Distribution of cleanup supplies
- Photographs of flood impacts
- Municipal response activities
- Flood-related expenses

Council emphasized the importance of documenting all eligible costs associated with flood response and recovery efforts.

Council discussed maintaining detailed records of labor, equipment, disposal costs, materials, and repairs associated with the flooding event. This information will be used to support future disaster recovery, mitigation, and reimbursement efforts should funding opportunities become available.

Motion and second to adjourn Emergency Council meeting at 10:53 AM, All Aye's, Motion passed