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# City of Fraser Centennial Community

**Fraser City Council Minutes**  
**City Council Chambers**  
**33000 Garfield, Fraser, MI 48026**  
**Tuesday, February 24, 2026 - 6:30 PM**  
**Draft**

**Mayor**  
Michael Lesich  
**Mayor Pro-Tem**  
Patrick O'Dell  
**Council**  
Amy Baranski  
Crystal Fletcher  
George-Michael Higgins  
Kenny Perry Jr.  
Patrice Schornak

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A special meeting of the Fraser City Council was held on Tuesday, February 24, 2026 at 6:30 PM in City Council Chambers, 33000 Garfield, Graser, MI 48026.

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 3. Roll Call of Council Members**

The following members were present:

Present: Michael Lesich, Patrick O'Dell, Kenny Perry, Patrice Schornak, George-Michael Higgins

Absent: Amy Baranski, Crystal Fletcher

**Motion by Michael Lesich, supported by Patrice Schornak** to Motion to excuse Councilmember Fletcher.

Ayes: Michael Lesich, Patrick O'Dell, Kenny Perry, Patrice Schornak, George-Michael Higgins

Nays: None

Absent: Amy Baranski, Crystal Fletcher

**Motion Passed**

- 4. Approval of Agenda**

**Motion by Michael Lesich, supported by George-Michael Higgins** to Approve the agenda as presented.

Ayes: Michael Lesich, Patrick O'Dell, Kenny Perry, Patrice Schornak, George-Michael Higgins

Nays: None

Absent: Amy Baranski, Crystal Fletcher

**Motion**

**5. Citizen Participation on Agenda Items**

None

**6. Closed Session**

a. Strategy discussion with legal counsel regarding negotiations related to a collective Bargaining Agreement – Captains

**Motion by Michael Lesich, supported by Patrick O'Dell** to Motion to enter into closed session for the purpose of a strategy discussion with legal counsel regarding negotiations with a collective bargaining unit - Captains.

Ayes: Michael Lesich, Patrick O'Dell, Kenny Perry, Patrice Schornak, George-Michael Higgins

Nays: None

Absent: Amy Baranski, Crystal Fletcher

**Motion Passed**

Council Entered Closed Session at 6:33pm and closed the door at **6:37 when Councilmember Baranski arrived.**

Council exited closed session at 8:39pm, at which time Mayor Lesich called the meeting back to order.

**7. Citizen Participation**

None

**8. Adjournment**

**Motion by Patrice Schornak, supported by Amy Baranski** to Adjourn the meeting at 8:40pm.

Ayes: Michael Lesich, Amy Baranski, Patrick O'Dell, Kenny Perry, Patrice Schornak, George-Michael Higgins

Nays: None

Absent:

**Motion Passed**

Meeting was adjourned with no actions taken

Respectfully Submitted:

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Michael T. Lesich, Mayor  
City of Fraser

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August R. Gitschlag, City Clerk  
City of Fraser