

Resolution

City of Ballwin, Missouri

INTRODUCED BY

ALDERMEN UTT, FINLEY, GRAY, HAUG, FLEMING, WEAVER, LEHMKUHL, SIEGEL

A RESOLUTION OF THE BALLWIN BOARD OF ALDERMEN AFFIRMING ITS COMMITMENT TO PUBLIC SAFETY AND THE WELL-BEING OF ALL RESIDENTS

WHEREAS, the City of Ballwin is committed to ensuring the safety, health, and well-being of all residents, visitors, and businesses within our community; and

WHEREAS, public safety is a fundamental responsibility of local government and includes emergency response, crime prevention, community engagement, and disaster preparedness; and

WHEREAS, our community relies on the collaboration and dedication of law enforcement, fire and rescue services, emergency medical personnel, public health officials, and other essential first responders; and

WHEREAS, the Board recognizes that a safe community requires not only strong emergency services but also proactive investments in mental health services, youth programs, neighborhood initiatives, and public infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, the Board is committed to promoting transparency, accountability, and trust between public safety agencies and the community they serve; and

WHEREAS, the Board values community input and recognizes that effective public safety strategies are built through inclusive dialogue and shared responsibility;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Ballwin Board of Aldermen, that:

- The Board reaffirms its unwavering commitment to public safety and to the protection of all who live, work, and visit our community.
- The Board will continue to support and invest in public safety personnel, equipment, training, and programs that strengthen the capacity to prevent and respond to emergencies.
- The Board will pursue policies and initiatives that address root causes of crime and violence, including education, economic opportunity, and mental and behavioral health support.
- The Board encourages continued community engagement and collaboration to ensure all voices are heard in shaping public safety priorities.
- The Board calls upon all residents to work together with local government and public safety agencies to promote a safe, inclusive, and resilient community.

PASSED this ____ day of _____, 2025.

MARK STALLMANN, MAYOR

ATTEST: _____
CITY CLERK

