

**CITY OF BUCHANAN  
COUNTY OF BERRIEN, STATE OF MICHIGAN  
RESOLUTION 2026.05/09**

**A RESOLUTION FOR THE CITY OF BUCHANAN, COUNTY OF BERRIEN, MICHIGAN TO ADOPT A BUDGET FOR  
THE CITY OF BUCHANAN FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2026-2027**

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Chapter 9 of the City Charter of the City of Buchanan governing budget procedure and general finance, and in compliance with the requirements of the Michigan Uniform Accounting and Budgeting Act, a balanced budget has been set up for the City of Buchanan for the fiscal year of July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2027; and

**WHEREAS**, a public hearing was held on May 26<sup>th</sup> , 2026, for public comments and opinions;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Commission of the City of Buchanan that the following sums are adopted for the 2026-2027 fiscal year for the purposes set forth below:

<b>General Government</b> \$748,9630	City Commission City Manager Elections Assessor City Clerk Treasurer	46,535 193,460 94,645 38,500 156,315 219,505
<b>Public Safety</b> \$1,808,435	Police Department/Code Enforcement Crossing Guards Fire Department Ambulance Building Inspector	1,401,465 27,775 283,880 27,500 67,815
<b>DPW &amp; Cemetery</b> \$995,730	DPW/Streets Cemetery	710,915 284,815
<b>Parks &amp; Recreation/Other</b> \$2,129,133	Parks & Recreation Buildings & Grounds Building Authority Community Planning & Economic Development Tree Friends City Center Library Programs Spring Cleanup Capital Project debt	832,780 256,613 150,000 687,990 10,100 26,200 1,650 8,800 155,000
<b>Total General Fund</b> \$5,682,258	Major Streets Local Streets	1,002,590 368,764
<b>Total Other Funds</b> \$4,628,699	Water & Sewer Enterprise	3,257,345
	<b><u>Total Budget Including General Fund</u></b>	<b><u>\$10,310,957</u></b>

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the City Commission of the City of Buchanan authorizes a levy of 16.2839 mills on real and personal property within the City of Buchanan for municipal operating purposes.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the City Commission of the City of Buchanan hereby authorizes the levy of .9589 mills on real and personal property within the City of Buchanan for Dial-a-Ride.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the City Commission of the City of Buchanan authorizes the levy of one-half of the above-stated millage rates on real and personal property on the separate tax rolls under Act 198, Industrial Facilities Tax Districts.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the City Commission authorizes the water and sewer rates, effective July 1, 2026, as follows:

	Water	Sewer	Ready to Serve (RTS)	Twp Flat Rate
City	\$8.33/1000 gal.	\$14.95/1000 gal.	\$ 53.48 monthly	
Township	\$9.79/1000 gal.	\$17.52/1000 gal.	\$ 67.21 monthly	\$6.47 monthly

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the total budget for the City of Buchanan for the fiscal year 2026-2027 in the amount of \$10,310,957.00 as presented by the City Manager, is hereby approved and adopted by the City Commission of the City of Buchanan.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the City Manager is hereby authorized to make budgetary transfers within departments in accordance with the departmental totals established through this budget, and that all transfers between departments or funds may be made only by further action of the City Commission, pursuant to the provisions of the Michigan Uniform Accounting and Budgeting Act.

At a Regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Buchanan, County of Berrien, Michigan (the "City"), held in said City on Monday, May 26th, 2026. The resolution was offered by Commissioner and supported by Commissioner.

ADOPTED .

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

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Mark Weedon, Mayor

Kalla Langston-Weiss, City Clerk

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the City Commission of the City of Buchanan, County of Berrien, State of Michigan, at a meeting held on May 26th, 2026, the original of which is on file in my office and available to the public. Public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in compliance with the Open Meetings Act, Act No. 267 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1976, including in the case of a special or rescheduled meeting, notice by posting at least eighteen (18) hours prior to the time set for said meeting.

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Kalla Langston-Weiss, City Clerk