

MINUTES OF THE WORK SESSION  
CITY COUNCIL OF CREST HILL  
WILL COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
November 4, 2025

The November 4, 2025, City Council work session was called to order by Mayor Raymond R. Soliman at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 20600 City Center Blvd. Crest Hill, Will County, Illinois.

The following Council members were present: Mayor Raymond Soliman, City Clerk Christine Vershay-Hall, City Treasurer Jamie Malloy, Alderman Scott Dyke, Alderman Angelo Deserio, Alderman Darrell Jefferson, Alderwoman Claudia Gazal, Alderperson Tina Oberlin, Alderman Mark Cipiti, Alderman Nate Albert, Alderman Joe Kubal.

Also Present were: Administrator Blaine Wing.

Absent were: City Engineer Ron Wiedeman, Finance Director Glenn Gehrke, Interim Employee Relations Dave Strahl, Interim Public Works Director Julius Hanesen, Police Chief Ed Clark, Building Commissioner Don Seeman, Community & Economic Developer Dan Ritter, City Attorney Mike Stiff.

**TOPIC: EXECUTIVE SESSION 5 ILCS 120/2 (c)(1)**

The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the public body or legal counsel for the public body, including hearing testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee of the public body or against legal counsel for the public body to determine its validity.

(#1) Motion by Alderwoman Gazal seconded by Alderman Deserio, to go into an executive session on Personnel 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(1).

On roll call, the vote was:

AYES: Ald. Oberlin, Cipiti, Albert, Kubal, Dyke, Deserio, Jefferson, Gazal.

NAYES: None.

ABSENT: None.

There being eight (8) affirmative votes, the MOTION CARRIED.

Executive Session 7:04 p.m.

(#2) Motion by Alderperson Oberlin seconded by Alderman Cipiti to reconvene from the executive session on Personnel 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(1).

On roll call, the vote was:

AYES: Ald. Albert, Kubal, Dyke, Deserio, Jefferson, Gazal, Oberlin, Cipiti.

NAYES: None.

ABSENT: None.

There being eight (8) affirmative votes, the MOTION CARRIED.

Reconvene 8:56 p.m.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

There were no public comments.

**MAYOR'S UPDATES:**

No Mayor updates.

**COMMITTEE/LIAISON UPDATES:**

No Committee/Liaison updates.

**CITY ADMINISTRATOR UPDATES:**

No City Administrator updates.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:57 p.m.

Approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025

As presented \_\_\_\_\_

As amended \_\_\_\_\_

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CHRISTINE VERSHAY-HALL, CITY CLERK

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RAYMOND R. SOLIMAN, MAYOR