



City of Hartford * County of Van Buren * State of Michigan

TO: Mayor Danger and the Hartford City Commission

FROM: Nicol Pulluam, City Manager 

DATE: June 22, 2026

RE: APPROVAL OF CHRISTMAS DECORATION @ CITY HALL

ITEM BEFORE THE COMMISSION:

The item before the Commission is to authorize Christmas Décor by Naylor Landscape Management to decorate City Hall for the Christmas and New Year's holiday season.

DISCUSSION:

Christmas Décor by Naylor Landscape Management has submitted proposals for decorating City Hall. The company has provided decorations for both City Hall and Ely Park for several consecutive years.

The proposals include decorating the two willow trees around the windows, as well as the small bushes on the side of City Hall and the front and back entrances. If the commission approves the resolution, we will aim to schedule the installation with Naylor before the Red Arrow Convoy lighted truck parade and Christmas in Hartford, a sponsored event by the Hartford Public Library. The city will receive a 15% discount if the deposit is made by June 30, 2026. It's in the DDA budget to sponsor the Christmas decoration in ELY Park.

Naylor submitted a quote of what the city usually decorates; therefore, the city manager will negotiate the price down to the approved budgeted amount.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Hartford City Commission approves the \$3,500 for Christmas decoration from Christmas Décor by Naylor Landscape Management to decorate City Hall, which is within the approved budget.