

To be approved at the next Barre City Council Meeting

**Special Meeting of the Barre City Council -Draft
Held September 9, 2026, at 6pm
Council Chambers-Barre City Hall**

The warned Special Meeting of the Barre City Council was called to order in person and via video platform by Mayor Thomas Lauzon at 6:00 PM in the Council Chambers at City Hall, Barre, Vermont. In attendance were: From Ward I, Councilors Sonya Spaulding and Beth Hilgartner; from Ward II, Councilor Jeff Bergeron and Councilor Amanda Gustin; and from Ward III, Councilor Michael Deering and Don Routhier also joining Dominic Cloud (Saint Albans Manager), Acting Manager Brad Vail.

Adjustments to the Agenda –

Strike from the agenda- Up Coming
Round Table
2nd Executive Session

Motion to approve of the agenda dated 9/9/2026 moved by Councilor Bergeron, Seconded by Councilor Spaulding, approved.

.Executive Session – City Manager Search

Motion for finding for executive session moved by Councilor Hilgartner, Seconded by Councilor Spaulding, approved

Motion to enter executive session moved by Councilor Hilgartner, Seconded by Councilor Spaulding, approved

6:02pm video paused
8:28 video resumes

Motion to exit executive session moved by Councilor Hilgartner, Seconded by Councilor Bergeron, approved

Councilor Gustin (Manager Search Committee Chair) Announced the (3) candidates handed to Council last week have all withdrawn their applications. The Council has interviewed a separate candidate to serve as an interim manager and will probably schedule another Special Council meeting next week.

On the prompting of Mayor Lauzon, Councilor Routhier motioned to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Councilor Bergeron, approved.

Meeting adjourned at 8:35 pm

Next regular meeting is scheduled for September 22nd, 2026, at 6pm.

The open portions of the meeting were recorded on the video platform.

Respectfully submitted,

Cheryl Metivier, City Clerk