

ORDINANCE NO. 1777

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 30, SECTION 21 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF FULTON CAPTIONED "LOCATION AND SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS"

WHEREAS, the City of Fulton, Illinois ("City") has Codified Ordinances of the City (the "Code"); and

WHEREAS, the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/3.1-40-25) grants the corporate authorities of a municipality the right to prescribe by ordinances the times, place and location of its meetings.

WHEREAS, the corporate authorities of the City deem it necessary to amend Chapter 30, Section 21, of the City Code to clarify procedures on the cancellation, rescheduling or postponement of its meetings.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FULTON, ILLINOIS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE. The above recitals are incorporated herein and made a part hereof.

SECTION TWO. That the Code is amended to add the following text to the end of §30.21 of the Code:

"Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Mayor, or the Mayor Pro Tem, may cancel or reschedule a meeting of the City Council when necessary due to a lack of a quorum, an emergency, lack of city business for the agenda, or unavailability of key city staff, provide that public notice is given in accordance with the Illinois Open Meetings Act."

SECTION THREE. This Ordinance shall be effective upon its passage by the City Council and its publication as provided by law.

SECTION FOUR. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are repealed insofar as they conflict.

SECTION FIVE. If any section, clause or provision of this Ordinance be declared by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid, and this City Council hereby expressly declares that it would have enacted this Ordinance even with the invalid portion deleted.

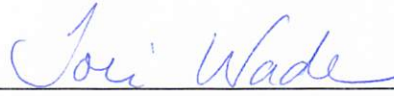
PASSED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Fulton, Whiteside County, Illinois, on the 9th day of March, 2026, and deposited and filed in the office of the City Clerk on that date, pursuant to roll call vote as follows:

Elected Alderman: 8

AYES: 6

NAYES: 0

ABSENT: 2



Clerk of the City of Fulton

Approved by the Mayor of the City of Fulton, Illinois, this 9th day of March, 2026.



Mayor of the City of Fulton

ATTEST:



Tori Wade, City Clerk

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