



**MINUTES
OXFORD CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION
COURTHOUSE
TUESDAY, AUGUST 5, 2025 AT 7:00 PM**

1. Roll Call.

Motion – To Enter Executive Session at 6:45 p.m. O.R.C. Section 121.22 (G)(3) To Consider Pending And Threatened Litigation

(Roll Call Vote) 1st Ms. Raghu 2nd Ms. Franklin

AYE # 6

Ms. Franklin, Ms. French, Mr. Bracken, Ms. Raghu, Mr. Smith, and Mayor Snavelly

NAY # 0

ABS # 0

Motion – To Return from Executive Session at 7:05 p.m. O.R.C. Section 121.22 (G)(3) To Consider Pending And Threatened Litigation

(Voice Vote) 1st Ms. Raghu 2nd Mr. Prytherch

AYE # 7

NAY # 0

ABS # 0

A work session meeting of the Oxford City Council was called to order by Mayor Snavelly on Tuesday, August 5, 2025, at 7:05 p.m. Members in attendance were Amber Franklin, Michael Smith, Alex French, Jason Bracken, Chantel Raghu, and David Prytherch.

Staff Members in Attendance

Mr. Douglas R. Elliott, Jr., City Manager; Ms. Jessica Greene, Assistant City Manager; Mr. Michael Dreisbach, Service Director; Mr. John Detherage, Fire Chief; Mr. John Jones, Police Chief; Mr. Zachary Moore, City Planner/ GIS Coordinator; Mr. Chad Smith, Parks and Recreation Director; Mr. Chris Conard, Law Director, and Ms. Heather Barbour, Clerk of Council.

2. Topic

A. Deer Management Discussion

Ms. Greene began the discussion by sharing the research and findings of the deer management program. Ms. Greene mentioned that a Miami University Senior Capstone class, Green Umbrella Fellows, along with city staff, worked to research different topics of the deer management program. Ms. Greene shared possible approaches and improvements to the City's deer management program. Ms. Greene addressed questions and comments from the Council. (slides included in minutes)

3. Adjourn.

Motion – To Adjourn at 7:28 p.m.
(Voice Vote) 1st Ms. Raghu 2nd Ms. Franklin
AYE # 7
NAY # 0
ABS # 0