



**CITY OF JOHN DAY**  
**URBAN RENEWAL MEETING MINUTES June 24, 2025**

**COUCILORS PRESENT:**

Sherrie Rininger, Mayor  
Chris Labhart, Councilor  
Bradley Hale, Councilor  
Eric Bush, Council President  
Ron Phillips, Councilor  
Vern Pifer, Councilor  
Heather Swank, Councilor

**COUNCILORS ABSENT**

**STAFF PRESENT:**

Melissa Bethel, City Manager  
Rob Gaslin, Contract Finance

**Agenda Item No. 1—Call Meeting to Order**

The Urban Renewal meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm.

**Agenda Item No. 2—Pledge of Allegiance**

The City Council stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Agenda Item No. 3—Roll Call and Attendance**

All councilors were present.

**Agenda Item No. 4—Amend or Accept Regular Agenda**

***Councilor Swank made a motion to accept the regular agenda as presented. The motion was seconded by Councilor Pifer and passed unanimously.***

**Agenda Item No. 5—Public Comments**

No public comments were made.

**Public Hearing:**

Mayor Rininger opened the public hearing.  
No public comments were made.  
Mayor Rininger closed the public hearing.

**Agenda Item No. 6—URA FY 25-26 Budget Adoption**

**a. Resolution URA25-01**

***Councilor Swank made a motion to approve Resolution No. URA25-01 as amended. The motion was seconded by Councilor Bush and passed unanimously.***

**Adjourn:**

There being no further business before council the meeting was adjourned.

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Melissa Bethel, CM