

JANUARY 2, 2026, CITY OF AVON, OHIO, ELECTED OFFICIALS OATH OF OFFICE 12:00 P.M.

MAYOR-ELECT WILL TAKE OATH OF OFFICE FOR A FOUR-YEAR TERM TO EXPIRE 12/31/2029

BRYAN K. JENSEN – MAYOR

COUNCIL MEMBERS-ELECT WILL TAKE THE OATH OF OFFICE FOR A FOUR-YEAR TERM TO EXPIRE 12/31/2029

JENNIFER L. DEMALINE – COUNCIL MEMBER WARD 1

ANNE MARIE ETIENNE – COUNCIL MEMBER WARD 2

ANTHONY F. MOORE – COUNCIL MEMBER WARD 3

SCOTT C. RADCLIFFE – COUNCIL MEMBER WARD 4

THE OATHS OF OFFICE WILL BE ADMINISTERED BY THE HONORABLE JUDGE JAMES T. WALTHER

AGENDA

AVON CITY COUNCIL

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

MONDAY, JANUARY 2, 2026

THE MEETING WILL CONVENE IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE OATHS OF OFFICE

1. CALL TO ORDER

Brian Fischer, President of Council, will call the meeting to order and will lead in the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. ROLL CALL

Mary Berges, At Large

Jennifer Demaline, Ward 1

Anne Marie Etienne, Ward 2

Anthony Moore, Ward 3

Michelle Patton, At Large

Scott Radcliffe, Ward 4

Brian Fischer, At Large, Council President

Bryan Jensen, Mayor

Ryan Cummins, City Engineer

Pam Fechter, Planning & Economic Development Coord.

John Gasior, Law Director

Steve Presley, Finance Director

Duane Streater, Safety Director

Barbara Brooks, Clerk of Council

3. ELECTION OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEM

Per Codified Ordinance Section 220.04 Council shall elect (at Council's Organizational Meeting as prescribed by the City Charter) among its members, by a majority vote, a Chairperson Pro Tem, who shall act as the temporary Chairperson of City Council in the absence of the President of Council

Nomination 1, Council Member _____ nominates Council Member _____

Nomination 2, Council Member _____ nominates Council Member _____

Motion to elect the nominated Council Member _____ as Council President Pro Tem
for a term to expire at the next Organizational Meeting of Council. 1. 2.

4. MAYORAL REAPPOINTMENT OF THE DIRECTOR OF LAW

Mayor Jensen announces his reappointment of John A. Gasior as Law Director from January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2029.

Per Charter Article V, Section 2, this four-year reappointment requires the concurrence of the majority of the membership of the legislative authority.

Motion to concur with the reappointment of John A. Gasior as Law Director from January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2029. 1. 2.

5. MAYORAL REAPPOINTMENT OF THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

Mayor Jensen announces his reappointment of Steven J. Presley as Finance Director from January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2029.

Per Charter Article V, Section 3, this four-year reappointment requires the concurrence of the majority of the membership of the legislative authority.

Motion to concur with the reappointment of Steven J. Presley as Finance Director from January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2029. 1. 2.

6. MAYORAL REAPPOINTMENT OF THE SAFETY AND PUBLIC SERVICE DIRECTOR

Mayor Jensen announces his reappointment of Duane P. Streater as Director of Safety and Public Service from January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2029.

Per Charter Article V, Sections 4 and 5, this four-year reappointment requires the concurrence of the majority of the membership of the legislative authority.

Motion to concur with the reappointment of Duane P. Streater as Director of Safety and Public Service from January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2029. 1. 2.

7. MAYORAL APPOINTMENT OF MICHAEL BEATTY TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION

Mayor Jensen announces his appointment of Michael Beatty to the Planning Commission for a six-year term from January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2031.

Per Charter Article VII, Section 2(a), this six-year appointment requires the concurrence of two-thirds (5 of 7) of the membership of the legislative authority.

Motion to concur with the Mayor's appointment of Michael Beatty to the Planning Commission for a six-year term from January 1, 2026, to December 31, 2031. 1. 2.

8. MAYORAL REAPPOINTMENT OF MARK LADEGAARD TO THE BOARD OF ZONING AND BUILDING APPEALS

Mayor Jensen announces his reappointment of Mark Ladegaard to the Board of Zoning and Building Appeals for a five-year term from January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2030.

Per Charter Article VII, Section 1(a), this five-year reappointment requires the concurrence of two-thirds (5 of 7) of the membership of the legislative authority.

Motion to concur with the Mayor's reappointment of Mark Ladegaard to the Board of Zoning and Building Appeals for a five-year term from January 1, 2026, to December 31, 2030. 1. 2.

9. MAYORAL REAPPOINTMENT OF WILLIAM GREANEY TO THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

Mayor Jensen announces his reappointment of William Greaney to the Civil Service Commission for a 6-year term, from January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2031.

Per Charter Article VI, Section 1, this reappointment does not require the concurrence of the legislative authority.

10. MAYORAL REAPPOINTMENT OF DAVID MORAHAN TO THE LANDMARKS PRESERVATION COMMISSION

Mayor Jensen announces his reappointment of David Morahan to the Landmarks Preservation Commission for a four-year term from January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2029.

Per Charter Article XIV, Section 1(a), this four-year reappointment requires the concurrence of a majority of the membership of the legislative authority.

Motion to concur with the Mayor's reappointment of David Morahan to the Landmarks Preservation Commission for a four-year term from January 1, 2026, to December 31, 2029. 1. 2.

11. MAYORAL REAPPOINTMENT OF MARY JOHNSON TO THE AVON TREE COMMISSION

Mayor Jensen announces his reappointment of Mary Johnson to the Avon Tree Commission per Section 2 of Ordinance No. 70-21 for a 5-year term from January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2030.

This reappointment does not require the concurrence of the legislative authority.

12. THE MAYOR REAFFIRMS HIS APPOINTMENT OF RICHARD VARGA TO THE AVON TREE COMMISSION AS CERTIFIED ARBORIST

Mayor Jensen announces that he reaffirms his appointment of Richard Varga as Certified Arborist to the Avon Tree Commission per Section 2 of Ordinance No. 70-21 and per the Mayoral appointment of the Certified Arborist made at the Regular Meeting of Council held on Tuesday, October 12, 2021. This appointment shall have no specific expiration date.

This reappointment does not require the concurrence of the legislative authority.

13. THE MAYOR REAFFIRMS HIS APPOINTMENT OF MATTHEW SMITH TO THE AVON TREE COMMISSION AS THE MAYOR'S DESIGNEE

Mayor Jensen announces that he reaffirms his appointment of Matthew Smith as the Mayor's Designee to the Avon Tree Commission per Section 2 of Ordinance No. 70-21 and per the Mayoral appointment of the Mayor's Designee made at the Regular Meeting of Council held Tuesday, October 12, 2021. This appointment shall have no specific expiration date.

This reappointment does not require the concurrence of the legislative authority.

14. COMMITTEES OF COUNCIL

The President of Council selects Committee Chairs and members for a two-year term, from January 1, 2026, to December 31, 2027.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	FINANCE – AUDIT	LEGAL
<i>Chair</i>	<i>Chair</i>	<i>Chair</i>
PARKS AND RECREATION	SAFETY	SERVICE
<i>Chair</i>	<i>Chair</i>	<i>Chair</i>

15. COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

The President of Council selects representatives for various boards and commissions for two-year terms, from January 1, 2026, to December 31, 2027.

1. ADA Review Board –
2. French Creek Development Association –
3. Lorain County Community Alliance –
4. Lorain County Office on Aging –
5. Senior Citizens' Advisory Commission – REPEALED by Ord. No. 108-15
6. Planning Commission –
7. Tree Commission –

16. ADJOURN

Motion to adjourn the Organizational Meeting of Council

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