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NEWS FROM THE CITY OF ST. CHARLES

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Jessica Bridges Sworn in as City Clerk

ST. CHARLES, III. (July 8, 2025) – Jessica Bridges was sworn in as City Clerk at the July 7, 2025, City Council Meeting. Bridges will serve a two-year term, with the position up for election in 2027. Bridges was appointed by Mayor Clint Hull with the advice and consent of the City Council.

The Clerk seat was vacated after Susan Hanson, who had won in the April 1, 2025, election, declined to take office after relocating outside of St. Charles. Hanson ran unopposed as former City Clerk Nancy Garrison chose not to seek another term. Garrison was temporarily reinstated as Interim Clerk until a permanent appointment was made.

Bridges is a Field Service Engineer for Agilent Technologies, and earned her Bachelor of Science in Meteorology at the Florida Institute of Technology in Melbourne, Fla. She also had previously run for Ward 1 Alderperson in 2023.

"On behalf of the entire St. Charles City Council, I extend a warm welcome to Jessica and look forward to working with her," said Mayor Clint Hull.

The City received 12 applications for the Clerk position and candidates were interviewed by Mayor Hull and City Council members. The City Clerk is responsible for attending all City Council meetings, taking meeting minutes, and signing official documents.



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About the City of St. Charles

The City of St. Charles, Illinois, is guided by the three driving principles in its Mission: *Service. Tradition. Community.* Together, these principles create a thriving environment for people who live or visit here, and for businesses to prosper. Our City has gained national recognition as a family-friendly town and wide acclaim for its architecture, living up to its nickname *Pride of the Fox.* Conveniently located 35 miles west of Chicago, in Kane and northwestern DuPage counties, St. Charles is home to 33,000 residents and a balanced mix of more than 2,000 businesses that employ approximately 28,700 people. More at stcharlesil.gov, and follow us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, YouTube and LinkedIn.

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