

CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

April 21, 2026

The regular monthly City Council meeting was called to order by Mayor Deborah Pinkerton after she declared that a quorum was present. A moment of silence was followed by the pledge of allegiance. Council members present were Alderman Neal, Alderman Burris, and Alderman Johnson

A motion to approve the March regular monthly council meeting minutes was made by Alderman Neal and seconded by Alderman Burris. 3-0

The financial report was presented by Treasurer Sandy Cook. March end of month balances for each account were read and the April financial report was reviewed. A motion to approve the April financial report was made by Alderman Johnson and seconded by Alderman Neal. Passed 3-0

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Grounds Supervisor Kenny Brenton reported that the department had been cleaning out culverts and ditches, repairing potholes and performing storm cleanup. He also assisted the Fire Department with the brush truck repairs and maintenance.

Officer Leonard reported 43 calls for services, 3 assists, 13 incident/offense reports, 4 misdemeanor arrests, 7 citations, 32 warnings, 3 motorist assists, and 2 accidents.

Fire Chief Cody Cooper reported 2 structure fires, 2 medical calls, 1 roadway obstruction, 1 grass/brush fire, 1 carbon monoxide call, and 1 vehicle fire.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Highway 59 yard sale was cancelled and will be rescheduled for the fall.

Spring clean-up is scheduled for Saturday, April 25th from 7 a.m. to 12 noon. There will be 2 dumpsters and accepted items are posted on Facebook.

A community wide yard sale is scheduled for May 2nd. It may also include food vendors and craft vendors.

CITIZEN COMMENTS - None

UNFINISHED

Mayor Pinkerton reintroduced Resolution # 2026-02-17-01, police policy handbook. Officer Leonard reported that all corrections had been made since the earlier introduction.

A motion to approve Resolution # 2026-02-17-01 was made by Alderman Neal and seconded by Alderman Burris. Passed 3-0

Mayor Pinkerton reintroduced Ordinance # 2025-12-16-01, legalizing the use of UTVs on city streets. After a brief discussion, a motion to proceed with the 2nd reading of the ordinance was made by Alderman Johnson and seconded by Alderman Burris. Passed 3-0

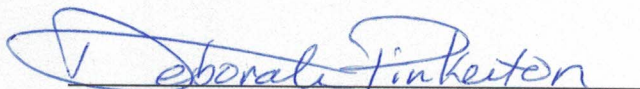
Ordinance # 2025-12-16-01 was read for the 2nd time by Recorder/Treasurer Cook.

NEW BUSINESS


The last of the park equipment for the toddler area and improvements have been ordered.

Mayor Pinkerton read the resignation letter of Alderman Anthony Cook. A motion to accept the resignation and declare the position of Ward1 Position 1 as open was made by Alderman Johnson and seconded by Alderman Burris. Passed 3-0

With no further business to discuss, a motion to adjourn was made by Alderman Neal and seconded by Alderman Burris. Passed 3-0



Mayor



Recorder/Treasurer