

City Council
Regular Meeting
September 4, 2025

Present: Mayor Aaron Witt, John Schmidt, Wesley Hofferber, James Farley, Molly Clement

Also Present: Sara Ogden, Anjanette Gibler, Carina Roybal, Misty Lynch, Scott Hedrick, Tara Adair, Guerrero Garcia, Robbie Wayman

A. Witt called the meeting to order. J. Schmidt made a motion to approve minutes with change from Brown to Martin from the regular meeting on August 7, 2025. W. Hofferber seconded the motion. All voted in favor with M. Clement abstaining. Motion carried.

J. Farley made a motion to approve purchase orders through consent agenda. J. Schmidt seconded the motion. All voted in favor. Motion carried. Treasurer's report and budget reports were reviewed.

During the Public Comment portion, Tara Adair told the Council about an accident that happened in the Baptist Church parking lot at Panhandle and Jefferson. Her daughter's Kia Optima got backed into by a Chevy Suburban after Wednesday night church. Tara said it was an unlicensed driver who hit her daughter, moved the car four (4) feet, and totaled the back end of her car. Tara took her daughter to the ER and she has whiplash. She would like something done about the unlicensed drivers. A. Witt thanked her for coming and told her it would be looked into.

S. Hedrick reported 25 citations for August. Two dogs were brought into the Animal Shelter and 1 dog was euthanized. G. Garcia reported 2 permits, 13 clean up letters, and visited with five residences and advised them of City Ordinance #2024-2 regarding parking in yards in a residential zone. For the K-9 report, G. Garcia reported 4 traffic stops with the dog ran 3 times, and 1 arrest.

W. Roybal reported 13,009,000 gallons well water pumped for August with 1,205 lbs of chlorine pumped and all water testing came back good. Five water meters aren't working, 2 water leaks were fixed, 2 water leaks need to be fixed, 8 incomplete gas leaks, 3,356,344 gallons of sewer pumped into lagoons, 9 incomplete sewer work orders, 3 street calls, and 1 call regarding the allies. Well 4 was reconnected with a smaller pump, it will be flushed and put back online after water testing. Well #6 was drilled and will pump 125 GPM, it's not connected to the distribution yet. Waiting on McMichael's Plumbing to move gas line behind Library so Austin Concrete can lay the concrete. Tom Arnold visited with W. Hofferber regarding the alley behind Texas & Missouri having bad ruts and would like it fixed and offered to do it himself. More material for the alley needs to be ordered and spread out through town. J. Farley commended Winter and crew for a great job on Main St and ditches on Panhandle.

R. Wayman told Council he's waiting for a date to get the inspection done on the new ambulance. The fire department received their grant for this year and there is more progress with the fire station addition.

There was no agenda items and no new business to discuss.

A. Witt wanted to give kudos to W. Roybal and reminded everyone of the car show on Saturday. Schmidt made a motion to adjourn the meeting. M. Clement seconded the motion. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

City Clerk

Mayor