

Special Meeting

July 30th 2025

Subjects: 2026 budget, personnel policy handbook, city ordinances

Mayor Pat Walden called the meeting to order

Pledge

Roll Call, TJ Duncan, Ken Collins, Lindy Rhodes were present. Debra Rice was absent.

Accountant Liz Hart presented the preliminary budget proposal to the council and explained each funds numbers.

They will need to get new water meters and she has budgeted some for that, but they may want to look into a low interest loan in order to be able to get them all at once.

At the August meeting they will need to approve the budget and publish the notice so that they can hold the hearing at the September meeting.

City Clerk Amy Tucker reviewed the changes that the council had already requested be made to the Personnel Policy Handbook at the previous meetings. After some discussion, the council decided that instead of making the personal days off 4, they would make it 5. Lindy made a motion to change the

personal days from 4 to 5 and keep the minimum that can be used 4 hours, TJ 2nd, motion carried.

Amy presented Ordinance 2025-03, and amendment to 797 regulating grass, obnoxious vegetation, rubbish, and trash. Ken motioned to adopt Ordinance 2025-03, Lindy 2nd, motion carried.

Ordinance 2025-04 regulating dogs and other animals was presented next. It will combine several old Ordinances into one, making it easier. Ken motioned to adopt Ordinance 2025-04, TJ 2nd, motion carried.

Lindy motioned to adjourn, Ken 2nd, motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:51PM