



**MINUTES
CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING
COUNCIL CHAMBERS
MAY 21, 2026
6:30 PM**

The Joshua City Council will hold a reception with light refreshments from 6:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

The Joshua City Council will hold a Work Session at 6:30 pm. A Regular Meeting will be held immediately following the Work Session in the Council Chambers at Joshua City Hall, located at 101 S. Main St., Joshua, Texas. This meeting is subject to the open meeting laws of the State of Texas.

A. CALL TO ORDER AND ANNOUNCE A QUORUM PRESENT

Mayor Kimble announced a quorum and called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm.

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

1. United States of America
2. Texas Flag

The City Council led the Pledge to Flags.

C. INVOCATION

Invocation led by Councilmember Dees.

D. WORK SESSION

1. Review and discuss questions related to the financial report for April 2026. (Staff Resource: M. Peacock)
2. Discussion regarding the Library Agreement between the City of Joshua and Joshua Independent School District (JISD). (Staff Resource: M. Peacock)

City Manager Peacock stated that the library agreement, executed in 1995, is a 50-year agreement and is currently in its 30th year. He reviewed several provisions of the agreement and noted that, due to the ongoing construction project, staff wanted to revisit the agreement to ensure compliance and identify any potential concerns. After review, no issues were identified.

E. UPDATES FROM MAYOR AND COUNCIL MEMBERS, UPDATES FROM CITY STAFF MEMBERS:

Pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 551.0415, the Mayor and Members of the City Council may report on the following items of community interest, including (1) expressions of thanks, congratulations, or condolences; (2) information about holiday schedules, (3) recognition of individuals; (4) reminders about upcoming City Council events; (5) information about community events; and (6) announcements involving any imminent threat to public health and safety. Staff Updates will address operational issues in various City departments. No deliberation is authorized under the Texas Open Meetings Act.

Updates were provided on the Joshua America's 250th Celebration, the upcoming ribbon-cutting event, Fire Department activities, and security enhancements at several City facilities.

F. PUBLIC FORUM, PRESENTATION, AND RECOGNITION:

The City Council invites citizens to speak on any topic. However, unless the item is specifically noted on this agenda, the City Council is required under the Texas Open Meetings Act to limit its response to responding with a statement of specific factual information, reciting the City's existing policy, or directing the person making the inquiry to visit with City Staff about the issue. Therefore, no Council deliberation is permitted. Each person will have 3 minutes to speak.

City Manager Peacock noted that this week is National Public Works Week. He also recognized National Police Week, which was observed the previous week, and Municipal Clerks Week.

Mr. Peacock further commented that improvements are being made to the building next door and stated that the property is looking very nice.

1. Proclamation recognizing the Citizens on Patrol Program for their dedicated service, commitment to public safety, and continued support of the community.

Mayor Kimble read a proclamation recognizing the Joshua Police Department Citizens on Patrol Program and its volunteers for their dedicated service to the community.

2. Recognizing outgoing Council Member Dakota Marshall for his dedicated service to the City of Joshua.

Mayor Kimble thanked Councilmember Marshall for his dedicated service to the City and recognized his active participation and thoughtful contributions during his time on the Council. Mayor Kimble then presented Councilmember Marshall with gifts in appreciation of his service.

3. Remarks from outgoing Council Member Dakota Marshall.

4. Presentation of the Certificate of Election, and administration of the Oath of Office by the City Secretary to the newly elected and re-elected officials. (Staff Resource: A. Holloway)

Mayor Kimble presented Certificates of Election to Councilmember Mike Kidd and newly elected Councilmember George Grall. City Secretary Holloway then administered the Oath of Office to Councilmember Kidd, followed by Councilmember Grall.

5. Introduction and remarks from newly elected and re-elected council members.

Councilmember Kidd thanked his supporters and the citizens of Joshua for their confidence and support. He stated that he looks forward to continuing to serve the community.

Councilmember Grall thanked his supporters, the citizens of Joshua, and the Joshua Citizen Police Academy Alumni for their support. He stated that he looks forward to serving the citizens of Joshua.

G. CONSENT AGENDA

1. Discuss, consider, and possible action on the April 16, 2026, meeting minutes. (Staff Resource: A. Holloway)

Motion made by Councilmember Place 1 Dees to approve as presented. Seconded by Councilmember Place 2 Kidd.

Voting Yea: Mayor Kimble, Councilmember Place 1 Dees, Councilmember Place 2 Kidd, Councilmember Place 3 Nichols, Councilmember Place 4 Breitenstein, Councilmember Place 5 Grall, Councilmember Place 6 Anderson

H. REGULAR AGENDA

1. Discuss, consider, and possible action on the appointment of Mayor Pro-Tem for a one-year term. (Staff Resource: A. Holloway)

Motion made by Councilmember Place 6 Anderson to appoint Councilmember Kidd as Mayor Pro Tem. Seconded by Councilmember Place 4 Breitenstein.

Voting Yea: Mayor Kimble, Councilmember Place 1 Dees, Councilmember Place 2 Kidd, Councilmember Place 3 Nichols, Councilmember Place 4 Breitenstein, Councilmember Place 5 Grall, Councilmember Place 6 Anderson

2. Discuss, consider, and possible action on approving a resolution adopting the Certification & Education Pay Policy and the Certification and Education Pay Plan. (Staff Resource: B. Grounds)

Councilmember Anderson inquired whether a review had been conducted with the officers. Chief Fullagar responded that a review had been completed and noted that he had discussed the results with the City Manager.

3. Public hearing on a request for a Conditional Use Permit regarding approximately 2.95 acres of land in the J. Minett Survey, Abstract 547, known as Lot 1, Block 1, Owl Village, City of Joshua, Texas, located at 613 N. Broadway St., to allow for the use of an Amusement, Commercial (indoor). (Staff Resource: A. Maldonado)

Mayor Kimble opened the public hearing at 7:09 p.m.

Assistant City Manager Maldonado read the staff report into the record.

Applicant Ms. Frazier stated that she is proposing an indoor Nerf arena. She explained that the facility would offer walk-in battle sessions, team-building activities, and other organized events. The minimum age for participation will be five years old, and all participants under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult at all times. Ms. Frazier emphasized that safety is a top priority and noted that weapons will not be permitted on the premises. Protective barriers will be installed to help prevent stray darts from leaving the play area.

Ms. Frazier stated that adequate parking already exists on-site and that a secondary access gate is available at the rear of the property if needed. She also outlined the proposed summer operating hours as Sunday through Thursday from 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. and Friday through Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Ms. Frazier noted that music would be played inside the facility but not outdoors.

No one appeared to speak in opposition to the request.

Mayor Kimble closed the public hearing at 7:20 p.m.

4. Discuss, consider, and possible action on approving an Ordinance for a Conditional Use Permit regarding approximately 2.95 acres of land in the J. Minett Survey, Abstract 547, known as Lot 1, Block 1, Owl Village, City of Joshua, Texas, located at 613 N. Broadway St., to allow for the use of an Amusement, Commercial (indoor). (Staff Resource: A. Maldonado)

Motion made by Councilmember Place 6 Anderson to approve. Seconded by Councilmember Place 4 Breitenstein.

Voting Yea: Mayor Kimble, Councilmember Place 1 Dees, Councilmember Place 2 Kidd, Councilmember Place 3 Nichols, Councilmember Place 4 Breitenstein, Councilmember Place 5 Grall, Councilmember Place 6 Anderson

I. STAFF REPORT

1. Police Department
2. Public Works Department
3. Animal Services
4. Code Enforcement
5. Economic Development
6. Parks Department
7. Municipal Court
8. Development Services
9. Human Resources
10. City Secretary's Office

J. EXECUTIVE SESSION

The City Council of the City of Joshua will recess into Executive Session (Closed Meeting) pursuant to the provisions of chapter 551, Subchapter D, Texas Government Code, to discuss the following:

Mayor Kimble announced the City Council will recess into Executive Session at 7:22 pm.

1. Pursuant to the Texas Government Code Section 551.087: to discuss and consider economic development incentives and all matters incident and related thereto.
2. Pursuant to the Texas Government Code Section 551.072: to discuss and consider the purchase, exchange, lease, release, or value of real property and all matters incident and related thereto.
3. Pursuant to the Texas Government Code Section 551.071: consultation with the City Attorney regarding legal issues associated with Chapters 42, 43, and 212 of the Texas Local Government Code, and all matters incident and related thereto.

K. RECONVENE INTO REGULAR SESSION

In accordance with Texas Government Code, Section 551, the City Council will reconvene into regular session and consider action, if any, on matters discussed in executive session.

L. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS/REQUESTS BY COUNCIL MEMBERS TO BE ON THE NEXT AGENDA

Councilmembers shall not comment upon, deliberate, or discuss any item that is not on the agenda. Councilmembers shall not make routine inquiries about operations or project status on an item that is not posted. However, any Councilmember may state an issue and request to place the item on a future agenda.

M. ADJOURN

Mayor Kimble adjourned the meeting at 8:15 pm.