

CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, October 09, 2025 at 6:30 PM

Council Chambers

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Skip Baliles called the meeting to order at 6:30pm.

A. Invocation and Pledge to the Flag

Chief Dick Lowry gave the invocation.

Chief Dick Lowry, Junior Hall, and Peggy Byrd led the pledge to the flag.

B. Roll Call

PRESENT

Mayor Skip Baliles

Council Member Bill DuVall

Council Member Anne Huntsinger

Council Member Melanie Long

Council Member Lisa Newberry

Council Member Branden Whitfield

Council Member Patti Wolfe

C. Adoption of Agenda

Motion made by Council Member Huntsinger to approve the agenda as presented. Seconded by Council Member DuVall.

Voting Yea: Council Member DuVall, Council Member Huntsinger, Council Member Long, Council Member Newberry, Council Member Whitfield, Council Member Wolfe

Motion carried 6-0.

2. CONSENT AGENDA

Motion made by Council Member Whitfield to approve the Consent Agenda as Follows:

- A. Fuller Station / Douglas Smith Homes Staff request to table for 60 days
- B. Annual Health Insurance Renewal
- C. Flock Safety Camera Systems Additional Cameras \$66,500.00 (210-3200-523901)
- D. Patrol Vehicles & Equipment Purchase \$128,552.00 (2019 Walton County SPLOST)
- E. 2025 Transportation Alternatives (TA) Program Funds Resolution
- F. Correction to 08-14-2025 Minutes 2025 LMIG Funding Amount approved \$377,237.00 should have been for \$403,365.00 (includes 7% contingency) (100-4200-522210)
- G. Last Month's Minutes
- H. Last Month's Financial Report

Seconded by Council Member Huntsinger.

Voting Yea: Council Member DuVall, Council Member Huntsinger, Council Member Long, Council Member Newberry, Council Member Whitfield, Council Member Wolfe

Motion carried 6-0.

3. PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

A. Code Re-write Approval - Town Planning & Urban Design Collaborative LLC (100-7400-521211) Motion made by Council Member Newberry to approve the Code Re-write and hire the company TPUDC. Seconded by Council Member Wolfe.

Voting Yea: Council Member DuVall, Council Member Huntsinger, Council Member Whitfield,

Council Member Wolfe

Voting Nay: Council Member Long, Council Member Newberry

Motion carried 4-2.

- 4. FINANCE / HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE REPORT
- 5. PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT
- 6. PUBLIC UTILITIES / TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE REPORT
- 7. PUBLIC WORKS / FACILITIES COMMITTEE REPORT
- 8. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT
- 9. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT
- 10. CITY ATTORNEY'S UPDATES / REPORTS
- 11. EXECUTIVE SESSION
- 12. ADJOURNMENT

Motion made by Council Member Huntsinger to adjourn. Seconded by Council Member Newberry. Voting Yea: Council Member DuVall, Council Member Huntsinger, Council Member Long, Council Member Newberry, Council Member Whitfield, Council Member Wolfe

Motion carried 6-0.	
Meeting adjourned at 6:40pm.	
Skip Baliles	Ansley Pope
Mayor	Deputy Clerk