

# City of Moberly City Council Agenda Summary

Agenda Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Department: Community Development  
 Date: November 17, 2025

**Agenda Item:** A Resolution Authorizing The Installation Of Two Park Benches In The Public Right Of Way On The North And South Sides Of Coates Street To Commemorate The Importance Of The Railroad To The Citizens Of Moberly, Missouri.

**Summary:** Railroad employees have approached the City regarding the installation of two park benches within the public right-of-way, one on the north and one on the south side of the Coates Street railroad crossing.

For many years, local resident and longtime railroad enthusiast Kenny Adair has been a familiar presence at this location, where he would regularly sit on the guardrail to watch and count passing train cars. Following recent railroad maintenance work, the crossing arms and associated guardrails were removed, leaving no place for him or others to sit. In response, railroad employees temporarily provided a utility spool for seating and have since proposed installing a permanent bench to commemorate Kenny’s connection to the site.

The bench would include a small dedication plaque recognizing public use and honoring Kenny’s longstanding presence at the crossing. The Railroad employees have raised all necessary funds for the purchase and installation of the bench. There will be **no cost to the City** associated with this project.

**Recommended**

**Action:** Approve the resolution.

**Fund Name:** No cost to the City

**Account Number:** N/A

**Available Budget \$:** 0

ATTACHMENTS:		Roll Call	Aye	Nay
<input type="checkbox"/> Memo	<input type="checkbox"/> Council Minutes	<b>Mayor</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Staff Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Proposed Ordinance	M__ S__ <b>Lucas</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Correspondence	<input type="checkbox"/> Proposed Resolution	<b>Council Member</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bid Tabulation	<input type="checkbox"/> Attorney’s Report	M__ S__ <b>Kimmons</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> P/C Recommendation	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition	M__ S__ <b>McKeown</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> P/C Minutes	<input type="checkbox"/> Contract	M__ S__ <b>Graff</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Application	<input type="checkbox"/> Budget Amendment	M__ S__ <b>Skubic</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Citizen	<input type="checkbox"/> Legal Notice			
<input type="checkbox"/> Consultant Report	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Request		Passed	Failed