

TOPPENISH CITY COUNCIL
Regular Meeting Minutes
April 28, 2025

Mayor Saavedra called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Attendees: Mayor Elpidia Saavedra and Councilmembers Naila Prieto Duval, George Garcia, Josh Garza, and Cristian Sanchez
Absent: Mayor Pro Tem Loren Belton
Staff: City Manager Dan Ford, City Attorney Daniel B. Heid, Public Safety Director Joseph Mehline, Budget and Finance Director Adam Vaughn, Public Works Supervisor Daniel Musgrave, IT Services Manager Van Donley, City Clerk Heidi Riojas, and Communications Manager Sean Davido

City Clerk Riojas conducted roll call for each City Councilmember to respond their attendance at the meeting. Mayor Saavedra and Councilmembers Prieto Duval, Garcia, Garza, and Sanchez responded their attendance during roll call. Mayor Pro Tem Belton was not present at the meeting.

APPROVE AGENDA

Councilmember Prieto Duval moved, seconded by Councilmember Sanchez to approve the April 28, 2025, Agenda. Motion carried unanimously.

PUBLIC COMMENT

The City Council received no comments from the public during the meeting.

CONSENT AGENDA

Councilmember Garza moved, seconded by Councilmember Garcia to approve Consent Agenda items a through c:

- a. Approve Minutes of the April 14, 2025, Regular Meeting
- b. Approve Payroll Checks Numbers 36955 through 36967, Electronic Transfers EFTPR3479 through EFTPR3481, Bank Drafts DFT64 through DFT68 and Bank Drafts DFT71 through DFT73 in the total amount of \$293,373.34
- c. Approve Claims Checks numbers 100541 through 100545, 36968 through 37016, bank drafts DFT 47, DFT61 through DFT63, and DFT76 in the total amount of \$236,145.45 and void checks 100503, 100515, 100516, 100522, and 100531

Motion carried unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

Resolution 2025-24: A Resolution Authorizing the Development and Adoption of A Public Participation Plan for the Comprehensive Plans Climate Element for the City of Toppenish, Washington.

Councilmember Garza moved, seconded by Councilmember Prieto Duval to approve Resolution 2025-24. Motion carried unanimously.

Resolution 2025-25: A Resolution Approving Interlocal Agreement Between the City of Sunnyside, Washington and the City of Toppenish, Washington, for the Housing of Inmates.

Councilmember Prieto Duval moved, seconded by Councilmember Sanchez to approve Resolution 2025-25. Motion carried unanimously.

Resolution 2025-26: A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Toppenish, Washington, Approving the Interlocal Agreement for Dispatch Services Between the City of Yakima (Coy) and the City of Toppenish Public Safety Division of Police and Fire.

Councilmember Prieto Duval moved, seconded by Councilmember Sanchez to approve Resolution 2025-26. Motion carried unanimously.

Resolution 2025-27: A Resolution Approving Change Order No. 1 for the Jackson Street and Juniper Street Water System Improvements Project.

Councilmember Garza moved, seconded by Councilmember Garcia to approve Resolution 2025-27. Motion carried unanimously.

Resolution 2025-28: A Resolution Approving the Recommendation of Award for Wastewater Treatment Plant Indirect Biosolids Dryer System – Equipment Only Project.

Councilmember Prieto Duval moved, seconded by Councilmember Garza to approve Resolution 2025-28. Motion carried unanimously.

COUNCIL MEETING REPORTS/COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

The City Councilmembers provided reports of their activities since the last meeting and community announcements.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting adjourned at 7:51 p.m.

ELPIDIA SAAVEDRA, MAYOR

HEIDI RIOJAS, CMC, CITY CLERK