

City Council Meeting
June 16, 2026
Approved Minutes of Meeting

Meeting called to order by Mayor Rusty Wilson at 18:08 hrs.

Roll Call: Brewer, Scheel and Roark present. Alderman Cable via video call.

Also Present: Abbott, Ben, Haskell Martin, Taylor Dawdy and Eric Corcoran

Approval of agenda: Motion made by Roark to approve the agenda, 2nd by Cable. All in favor -motion passed.

Minutes: Unapproved minutes for May 19th were presented to council. Motion by Roark, 2nd by Scheel to accept minutes from previous minutes. All in favor -motion passed.

Visitor Business: N/A

Water Adjustments:

Dustin Mustain: Motion to approve made by Scheel, 2nd by Brewer. All in favor-motion passed

Allen Bridenstine: Motion to approve made by Brewer, 2nd by Roark. All in favor-motion passed

Whistler Flats: Motion to deny made by Brewer, 2nd by Roark. All in favor-motion passed

Ann Murphy: Motion to approve made by Brewer, 2nd by Scheel. All in favor-motion passed

Payment of Bills: Bills totaling \$130,791.59 were presented to council, motion made by Roark, 2nd by Brewer. All in favor-motion passed to pay bills. Bank Balances & Payroll was also presented to council. Local Sales Tax Report, Water/Acct. Rec. Analysis & Rec. Analysis & Aged Accts. Rec. Rpt., & Adjustment Rpt. & Court report attached.

Police Report: Police Chief David Abbott was present – report attached. Chief Abbott reported that there has been an increase in people at the parks and some congestion with the construction. Everything else was normal. Anderson PD assisted ODET on a search warrant on Main Street.

Fire Report–Fire Chief David Abbott were present-Report attached. Chief Abbott told the council that they have been busier than normal. Chief Abbott told the council that he is going to have a company inspect the fire truck, but he doesn't have a date yet. If Richard is available, he is going to go look at it. Chief Abbott gave an update on the grant reimbursement as well.

Utility Report: Public Works supervisor Ben Shoemaker was present -report attached. Ben said that they have been having lots of problems with lift stations. He is going to have to replace 3 or 4 pumps. He isn't

sure if they can be rebuilt or need to be changed. Ben gave an update on the construction project. He also told the council about meeting with a company about lining some sewer lines. Ben discussed options for the repairs to the main lift station. A refurb would cost \$96,000.00 just for the top part and a new drop-in unit would be around \$115,000.00. The council discussed financing options to look into.

Summer Ball Program: Summer Ball director Cara Sherman was not present. Everything going well.

Building Inspector:

Aaron Parker was not present. Report attached.

Old Business:

HuckleBerry Clinic:

We are unable to donate due to being tax funded. However, the council would like to look at an ordinance for cats.

New Business:

Eric Corcoran:

Eric was present to discuss the old Dairy Queen building. He said that he is living in a travel trailer while he is building his house and fixing up the building. Motion to grant a one-year variance with an inspection made by Scheel, 2nd by Roark. All in favor-motion passed.

ODET Fees:

Motion to pay the \$500.00 fee was made by Roark, 2nd by Scheel. All in favor-motion passed

Line of credit payment:

Motion to pay \$1,000.00 made by Brewer, 2nd by Roark. All in favor -motion passed.

Sauncie Turn:

Sauncie Turn was not present, but submitted a letter requesting an ordinance to ban the sale of OH-7 synthetic drug. After discussing the matter, the board has decided not to act at this time.

Adjournment: Motion made by Brewer, 2nd by Roark All in favor - motion passed 19:36.

Respectfully submitted by,
Andrea Bethel, City Clerk



Mayor Rusty Wilson