

CITY COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

City Hall Commission Chambers

806 N 2nd Avenue

Dodge City, KS

Monday, January 6, 2025

7:00 p.m.

MEETING # 5300

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL Mayor Chuck Taylor, Commissioners Rick Sowers, Michael burns, Daniel Pogue present. Commissioner Jeff Reinert reported absent.

INVOCATION BY Pastor Kurt Larson, Grace Community Church

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Commissioner Michael Burns made a motion to approve the agenda as presented. Commissioner Daniel Pogue seconded the motion. The motion carried 4 - 0.

VISITORS (Limit of five minutes per individual and fifteen minutes per topic. Final action may be deferred until the next City Commission meeting unless an emergency situation does exist).

CONSENT CALENDAR

1. Approval of City Commission Meeting Minutes, December 16, 2024.
2. Approval of Special City Commission Meeting Minutes, December 19, 2024.
3. Approval of Special City Commission Meeting Minutes, December 30, 2024.
4. Appropriation, Ordinance No. 1, January 6, 2024.
5. Cereal Malt Beverage License:
 - a. Walgreen Store, 1801 N. 14th Avenue
6. Approval of Payment for the Temporary Construction and Permanent Easements for Gunsmoke/Comanche Street Trail Extension.

Commissioner Daniel Pogue made a motion to approve the consent calendar as presented. Commissioner Rick Sowers seconded the motion. The motion carried 4 – 0.

ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS

Resolution No. 2025-01: A Resolution amending Appendix A of the Dodge City Municipal Code revising Fees and Rates for Mariah Hills Golf Course was approved on a motion by Commissioner Rick Sowers Commissioner Daniel Pogue seconded the motion. The motion carried 4 – 0.

Resolution No. 2025-02: A Resolution of the City of Dodge City, Kansas, authorizing the preparation of Financial Statements and Financial Reports on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements was approved on a motion by Commissioner Michael Burns. Commissioner Daniel Pogue seconded the motion. The motion carried 4 - 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

1. Commissioner Rick Sowers moved to approve the audit engagement letter with Kennedy McKee & Company in the amount of \$30,700 for the Year Ending December 31, 2024. Commissioner Michael Burns seconded the motion. The motion carried 4 - 0.
2. Commissioner Michael Burns moved to approve the 2025 State/Federal Legislative Policy. Commissioner Rick seconded the motion. The motion carried 4 - 0.
3. Commissioner Michael Burns moved to approve the Southwest Kansas Legislative Policy Agenda. Commissioner Rick Sowers seconded the motion. The motion carried 4 - 0.
4. Commissioner Daniel Pogue moved to approve the updated Employee Handbook. Commissioner Michael Burns seconded the motion. The motion carried 4 - 0.
5. Commissioner Daniel Pogue moved to approve the bid from Seaspray Splash Pads, LLC in the amount of \$129,310 for Beeson Park Splash Pad. Commissioner Daniel Pogue seconded the motion. The motion carried 4 - 0.

OTHER BUSINESS

STAFF REPORTS

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Michael Burns made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Rick Sowers seconded the motion. The motion carried 4 - 0.

ATTEST:

Mayor

City Clerk