



Amarillo City Council Work Session

February 21, 2025

8:00 AM

City Hall - Council Chamber

601 S. Buchanan Street, 3rd Floor

Amarillo, Texas 79101

MINUTES

1. Call to Order

On February 21, 2025 the Amarillo City Council met at 8:00 AM for a Work Session held in Council Chamber, located on the third floor of City Hall at 601 South Buchanan Street, with the following members present:

Mayor Cole Stanley

Councilmember, Place 1 Josh Craft

Councilmember, Place 2 Don Tipps

Councilmember, Place 4 Les Simpson

Absent was Councilmember, Place 3 Tom Scherlen.

Also in attendance were the following administrative officials and others:

Grayson Path, City Manager

Andrew Freeman, Deputy City Manager and Public Safety Director

Bryan McWilliams, City Attorney

Stephanie Coggins, City Secretary

Mayor Stanley established a quorum and called the meeting to order at 8:00 AM.

2. **Executive Session** The City Council may convene in Executive Session to receive reports on or discuss any of the following pending projects or matters:

Mr. McWilliams advised at 8:01 AM that the City Council would convene into executive session per Texas Government Code A) Section 551.074 - Discuss the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee: i) Chief of Police Martin Birkenfeld.

2.A. Section 551.074 - Discuss the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee:

- i. Chief of Police Martin Birkenfeld

3. Adjourn

Mr. McWilliams announced the executive session was completed at 11:00 AM, and Mayor Stanley adjourned the Work Session.

ATTEST:

/s/ Stephanie Coggins
Stephanie Coggins, City Secretary

/s/ Cole Stanley
Cole Stanley, Mayor