



Amarillo City Council Regular Meeting

May 13, 2025

2:00 PM

City Hall - Council Chamber
623 S. Johnson Street, 3rd Floor
Amarillo, Texas 79101

MINUTES

1. Call to Order

On May 13, 2025 the Amarillo City Council met at 2:00 PM for a Regular Meeting held in Council Chamber, located on the third floor of City Hall at 623 South Johnson Street, with the following members present:

Mayor Cole Stanley
Councilmember, Place 1 Josh Craft
Councilmember, Place 2 Don Tipps
Councilmember, Place 3 Tom Scherlen
Councilmember, Place 4 Les Simpson
Absent were none.

Also in attendance were the following administrative officials:

Grayson Path, City Manager
Andrew Freeman, Deputy City Manager and Public Safety Director
Laura Storrs, Assistant City Manager and CFO
Floyd Hartman, Assistant City Manager
Donny Hooper, Assistant City Manager and Public Infrastructure Director
Bryan McWilliams, City Attorney
Stephanie Coggins, City Secretary

Mayor Stanley established a quorum and called the meeting to order at 2:00 PM.

2. **Public Comment** The public will be permitted to offer public comment on agenda items and items related to City business. Citizens interested in commenting may sign up online at <https://www.amarillo.gov/city-secretary/public-comment-registration-form/>, by calling the City Secretary's office at (806) 378-3014, or in person in Room 3500 of City Hall, 623 S. Johnson. Citizens should sign up at least 15 minutes prior to the scheduled meeting start time.

Mayor Stanley opened public comment. No one spoke. Mayor Stanley closed public comment.

3. Agenda Items

3.A. CONSIDER RESOLUTION NO. 05-13-25-1

This item considers a resolution canvassing the returns and declaring the results for the regular election held in the City of Amarillo on the 3rd day of May 2025 for city offices; ordering the runoff election of the City of Amarillo to be conducted on the 7th day of June 2025 in the City of Amarillo, Texas; designating polling places; and providing for the conduct of such election.

Mayor Stanley introduced the item. Ms. Coggins presented the item.

ACTION: Motion to adopt Resolution No. 05-13-25-1 as presented by Tom Scherlen, second by Tim Reid;
Motion passed with a 5:0 vote.

AYES: Cole Stanley, Josh Craft, Don Tipps, Tom Scherlen, Les Simpson

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: None

3.B. REMARKS BY OUTGOING ELECTED OFFICIALS

Remarks will be shared by the outgoing Mayor and Councilmembers.

Remarks were shared by Councilmember Craft.

3.C. OATH OF OFFICE

This item is to conduct the Oath of Office for the Mayor and Councilmembers elected on May 3, 2025.

- Cole Stanley - Mayor
- Tim Reid - Councilmember, Place 1
- Don Tipps - Councilmember, Place 2
- Les Simpson - Councilmember, Place 4

Oaths were completed by each official.

3.D. REMARKS BY INCOMING ELECTED OFFICIALS

Remarks will be shared by the new Mayor and Councilmembers

Remarks were made by Councilmembers Reid, Tipps and Simpson and Mayor Stanley.

4. Adjourn

Mayor Stanley adjourned the Regular Meeting at 2:32 PM.

ATTEST:

/s/ Stephanie Coggins
Stephanie Coggins, City Secretary

/s/ Cole Stanley
Cole Stanley, Mayor