BOARD OF ALDERMEN REGULAR MEETING

Tuesday, March 10, 2026 at 7:00 PM

City Hall, 206 Van Buren NE, Camden, AR 71701

MINUTES

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. INVOCATION - Reverend Michael Shelton, Pastor - Cornerstone Pentecostal Church

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

D. ROLL CALL

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PRESENT
Alderman Lawrence Askew
Alderman Gerald Castleberry
Alderman William McCoy
Alderman Edward Winters
Alderman Willie Cooper
Alderman Josh Steed
Alderman Patric Flannigan

ABSENT
Alderman Boyd Woody

E. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion made by Alderman Steed, Seconded by Alderman Castleberry.

Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Winters, Alderman Cooper, Alderman Steed, Alderman Flannigan

F. ACCEPTANCE OF FINANCIAL REPORTS

Motion made by Alderman Winters, Seconded by Alderman Castleberry.
Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Winters, Alderman Cooper, Alderman Steed, Alderman Flannigan

G. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION

H. MAYOR'S REPORT

Mayor Young introduced Camden Water Utilities Manager, Mike Bryant for the Bi-Annual Water Report.

Alderman Castleberry

Mr. Bryant

Mayor Young informed the Aldermen that we had received the results of the Legislative Audit. They should receive it in the next few days if they haven't already. If they don't have it within the week, to let us know so we can get a copy to them. She told them if they have any more questions once they read over it to please call and ask.

I. OLD BUSINESS

None

J. NEW BUSINESS

Motion made by Alderman Castleberry, Seconded by Alderman Winters.
Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Winters, Alderman Cooper, Alderman Steed, Alderman Flannigan

1. **Resolution No. 10-26, a resolution awarding the bid for the installation of a 2" Hot Mix Asphalt Overlay from the 2026 Improvement Fund.**

   Motion made by Alderman Castleberry, Seconded by Alderman Winters.
   Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Winters, Alderman Cooper, Alderman Steed, Alderman Flannigan

2. **Resolution No. 11-26, a resolution amending the Operating Budget for 2026; and for other purposes.**

   Motion made by Alderman Winters, Seconded by Alderman Castleberry.
   Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Winters, Alderman Cooper, Alderman Steed, Alderman Flannigan

3. **Resolution No. 12-26, a resolution confirming the appointment of Katherine Beckham to the Airport Commission as an Ex-Officio member.**

   Motion made by Alderman Castleberry, Seconded by Alderman Askew.
   Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Winters, Alderman Cooper, Alderman Steed, Alderman Flannigan

4. **Resolution No. 13-26, a resolution declaring a Pontoon Boat obsolete and authorizing its donation to the Chidester Volunteer Fire Department.**

   Motion made by Alderman Castleberry, Seconded by Alderman Askew.
   Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Winters, Alderman Cooper, Alderman Steed, Alderman Flannigan

5. **Resolution No. 14-26, a resolution authorizing the Mayor to purchase an excavator through an interlocal contract for cooperative purchasing; authorizing equipment to be traded in towards the purchase; and for other purposes.**

   Motion made by Alderman Winters, Seconded by Alderman Castleberry.
   Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Winters, Alderman Cooper, Alderman Steed, Alderman Flannigan

K. OTHER BUSINESS

Public Works Director, Earl Porchia,

Mayor Young

Alderman Askew

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Alderman Cooper

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Alderman Castleberry

Alderman Askew

Alderman Flannigan

Alderman Cooper

L. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn made by Alderman Castleberry, Seconded by Alderman Askew. Meeting adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Mayor, Charlotte Young

City Clerk, Donna Stewart