City of Fayetteville
Mayor and City Council
Regular Meeting
Minutes
May 15, 2025

Call to Order

The Mayor and City Council of Fayetteville met in regular session on May 15, 2025, in the Council Chambers at City Hall. Council Members present was Joe Clark, Niyah Glover, Rich Hoffman, Scott Stacy, and Darryl Langford. The City Attorney present was Patrick Jaugstetter. Staff members present were City Manager Ray Gibson and City Clerk Chelsea Siemen. Mayor Edward Johnson called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Opening prayer was delivered by Council Member Langford followed by the Pledge of Allegiance

Stacy moved to approve the agenda with the amendment to table item #6 – Step One Annexation Request. Clark seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Hoffman moved to approve the minutes for April 17, 2025, Regular City Council Meeting. Glover seconded the motion. Langford abstained. The motion carried 4-0-1.

Clark moved to approve the minutes for April 29, 2025, City Council Work Session. Glover seconded the motion. Stacy abstained. The motion carried 4-0-1.

Recognitions and Presentations:

Pond Engineering gave a presentation on the Fayette County "Safe Streets for All" Safety Action Plan.

City Manager Ray Gibson recognized City Staff Members Karen Austin and Agnes Bridges on academic achievements.

Public Hearing:

Ordinance 25-O-12 – City of Fayetteville Charter Amendment

City Attorney Patrick Jaugstetter gave an overview of the amendments being presented for approval which included salary changes for the city's elected officials. Mr. Jaugstetter explained that for this Ordinance to pass it was required to be run in the paper for three consecutive weeks and approved at two Public Hearings held by the City Council. Upon City Council's vote tonight, the second Public Hearing will be held on June 5, 2025.

There were no public comments.

Hoffman moved to post Ordinance 25-O-12 for first hearing. Langford seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Consent Agenda:

Mayor Johnson read the Consent Agenda item(s) and called for a vote.

- Resolution 25-R-31 - Pay Scale Adjustments
- Resolution 25-R-32 - Private Pond Maintenance Responsibilities
- Resolution 25-R-33 - Stormwater Repairs at 220 Buckeye Lane

Stacy moved to approve the Consent Agenda as presented. Langford seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

City Manager and Staff Reports:

City Manager, Ray Gibson announced upcoming events and gave notice of the date change for the May Work Session, rescheduled to Thursday, May 29, 2025.

Public Comments:

Shannon Moultrie, resident of Cornwallis Way, expressed her gratitude to the city's Code Enforcement and Public Service departments for their recent support in resolving ongoing issues that she had been working to address. She shared her concerns about the lack of sidewalks in her neighborhood, emphasizing that it is a safety issue. She stated her commitment to advocating for their installation and requested the city's support in any way possible to help move the effort forward.

Executive Session:

Mayor Johnson called for a vote to convey in Executive Session to discuss matters of Real Estate, Litigation, and/or Personnel.

Langford motioned to proceed into Executive Session. Stacy seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

Hoffman moved to conclude Executive Session and return to Regular Session. Clark seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Clark moved to adjourn the meeting. Stacy seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chelsea Siemen, City Clerk