



CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, February 11, 2026 at 6:00 PM

City Hall, 850 S. Madera Avenue, Kerman, CA 93630

1. OPENING CEREMONIES

A. Call to Order – **6:03 p.m.**

B. Roll Call – **All members present except for Mayor Pacheco and Councilmember Herrera.**

C. Invocation – **Moment of silence was observed.**

D. Flag Salute – **Performed.**

Councilmember Herrera arrived at 6:05 p.m.

2. AGENDA APPROVAL/ADDITIONS/DELETIONS

Motion made by Councilmember Hall, Seconded by Councilmember Dhaliwal.

Ayes: Hall, Dhaliwal, Herrera, Yep

Noes: None

Abstain: None

Absent: Pacheco

Motion passed 4-0-0-1.

3. PRESENTATIONS/CEREMONIAL MATTERS

A. Employee Recognition - **Presentation of 20-year service awards to Public Works Director, Michael Barajas, and Finance Director, Josefina Alvarez.**

4. PUBLIC FORUM – Michael Yamamura, Youth Leadership Institute.

5. CONSENT CALENDAR

A. **SUBJECT:** Minutes - January 28, 2026

RECOMMENDATION: Council approve minutes as presented.

B. **SUBJECT:** Warrants (JA)

1. Nos. 33898-33970 \$193,678.62 ACH \$125,084.84.

RECOMMENDATION: Council approve warrants and electronic bank transfers as presented.
(Pursuant to Government Code 37208)

C. **SUBJECT:** Payroll (JA)

1/3/26 to 1/17/26: \$259,987.35; Retro Pay & Other: \$653.19; Overtime: \$7,337.53; Holiday: \$0.00; Standby: \$2,572.35; Comp Time Earned: 60.60

RECOMMENDATION: Council approve payroll as presented.

D. **SUBJECT:** Resolution Accepting the FY 24/25 Street Sealing Project and Authorizing Filing of the Notice of Completion (JG)

RECOMMENDATION: Council by motion adopt the resolution accepting the FY 24/25 Street Sealing Project and authorizing the City Engineer to record the Notice of Completion. – **Res. 26-05**

E. **SUBJECT:** Resolution Approving Amendment No. 1 to the Community Development Block Grant Agreement for the Plaza Veterans Park Project (JG)

RECOMMENDATION: Council by motion adopt the resolution approving Amendment No. 1 to the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Agreement 25-013 with the County of Fresno for the Plaza Veterans Park Project and authorizing the City Manager to execute it. – **Res. 26-06**

Motion made by Councilmember Herrera, Seconded by Councilmember Hall.

Ayes: Herrera, Hall, Dhaliwal, Yep

Noes: None

Abstain: None

Absent: Pacheco

Motion passed 4-0-0-1.

6. **PUBLIC HEARINGS - None**

7. **DEPARTMENT REPORTS**

A. **SUBJECT:** Award of Contract for Rotary Park Ballfield Lights Replacement and Approval of Budget Amendment (TJ)

RECOMMENDATION: Council by motion adopt resolution approving budget amendments to appropriate funds for the Rotary Park Ballfield Lights Replacement and awarding contract to

Techline Sport Lighting in the amount of \$179,5000 and authorize the City Manager to sign the contract. – **Res. 26-07**

Motion by Councilmember Herrera, Seconded by Councilmember Hall.

Ayes: Herrera, Hall, Dhaliwal, Yep

Noes: None

Abstain: None

Absent: Pacheco

Motion passed 4-0-0-1.

B. **SUBJECT:** Discussion Regarding Madera Avenue Streetscape Design (JAJ)

RECOMMENDATION: Council to discuss bench placement as part of Madera Avenue Streetscape Project with possible direction to Staff.

Motion by Councilmember Herrera to conduct a survey. No Second, motion failed.

Motion by Councilmember Hall to leave benches as is, and staff address individual concerns as needed, Seconded by Councilmember Dhaliwal.

Ayes: Hall, Dhaliwal, Herrera, Yep

Noes: None

Abstain: None

Absent: Pacheco

Motion passed 4-0-0-1.

8. CITY MANAGER/STAFF COMMUNICATIONS

9. MAYOR/COUNCIL REPORTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS/FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

2026 Council Workplans and Goal Setting Workshop tentatively scheduled for March 18, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. pending confirmation of Council's availability. Mayor Pro Tem Yep requests Code of Conduct to be reviewed during the workshop.

10. CLOSED SESSION – None.

11. ADJOURNMENT – 7:01 p.m.

MINUTES CERTIFICATION

I, Dalia Santana-Zamudio, Deputy Clerk for the City of Kerman, do hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the above minutes are a true depiction of all actions taken at the City Council meeting held on the first date above written at City Hall, 850 S. Madera Ave, Kerman, CA.

Date: February 12, 2026 /s/ Dalia Santana-Zamudio, Deputy Clerk