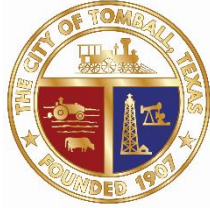


**MINUTES OF SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING
CITY OF TOMBALL, TEXAS**



**Monday, February 23, 2026
6:00 P.M.**

The City Council of the City of Tomball, Texas, conducted the meeting scheduled for February 23, 2026, 6:00 P.M., at 401 Market Street, Tomball, Texas 77375.

A. Mayor L. Klein Quinn called the meeting to order at 6:02 P.M.

PRESENT:

Mayor Lori Klein Quinn
Council 1 John Ford
Council 3 Dane Dunagin
Council 4 Lisa A. Covington
Council 5 Randy Parr

ABSENT:

Council 2 Paul Garcia (Unexcused)

CITY STAFF PRESENT:

City Manager - David Esquivel
Assistant City Manager – Sakura Moten
City Attorney – Joesph Hays
Assistant City Secretary – Shannon Bennett
Community Development Director – Craig Meyers
Police Chief – Jeffery Bert
Public Works Director - Drew Huffman
Director of Human Resources – Kristie Lewis
Police Officer – Juan Rodriguez

B. Public Comments and Receipt of Petitions; *[At this time, anyone will be allowed to speak on any matter other than personnel matters or matters under litigation, for length of time not to exceed three minutes. No Council/Board discussion or action may take place on matter until such matter has been placed on an agenda and posted in accordance with law*

- GC, 551.042.]

C. New Business

1. FIRST AND FINAL READING: Consideration of and action on Ordinance No. 2026-07, an Ordinance of the City of Tomball, Texas calling a Special Election to be held on May 2, 2026, for the purpose of submitting to the voters propositions to amend the City of Tomball Charter regarding: (a) amending section 6.13 to change quorum requirements; (b) amending sections 7.10 and 7.11 to update which department has the responsibility for engineering; (c) amending section 6.14 to reduce the number of required readings of ordinances to one; (d) amending sections 7.02, 7.03, 7.04, 7.05, 7.06, 7.10, and 7.11 to remove the appointment language for each department head; providing for ballots; designating the time and place for holding such elections; providing for notices; providing for publication; providing for severability; and, providing an effective date.

Motion made by Council Member 4 Covington, seconded by Council Member 3 Dunagin, to adopt Ordinance No. 2026-07 with corrections to the caption in subsection (c) to reduce the number of required ordinance publications to one.

Voting Yea: Council 1 Ford, Council 3 Dunagin, Council 4 Covington, Council 5 Parr

Absent: Council 2 Garcia

Motion carried unanimously.

C. Mayor Lori Klein Quinn adjourned the meeting at 6:11 P.M.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this 16th day March 2026.

Thomas Harris III

Thomas Harris III, TRMC
City Secretary

Lori Klein Quinn

Lori Klein Quinn
Mayor