



BOARD OF ALDERMEN REGULAR MEETING

Tuesday, May 19, 2026 at 6:00 PM

Council Chambers, City Hall, 2305 North 7th Street, West Monroe

MINUTES

NOTICE/MINUTES

Call to order/Verification of Attendance

PRESENT

Polk Brian

Thom Hamilton

Rodney Welch

Ben Westerburg

Mayor Staci Albritton Mitchell

ABSENT

Morgan Buxton

The meeting was opened with prayer by Alderman Ben Westerburg. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Mitchell.

Motion to Approve Minutes

Motion to approve the Minutes of the May 4, 2026 Special Council Meeting.

Motion made by Hamilton, Seconded by Welch.

Voting Yea: Brian, Hamilton, Welch, Westerburg

Recognitions/Presentations

City of West Monroe Employees recognized for years of service.

A proclamation was presented to the Police Department for National Police Week.

A proclamation was presented to the Public Works Department for National Public Works Week.

ADMINISTRATION/FINANCE

INTRODUCE Ordinance (5600) to adopt General Fund and Special Revenue Fund Budgets for the City of West Monroe for the fiscal year of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027.

Motion made by Westerburg, Seconded by Welch.

Voting Yea: Brian, Hamilton, Welch, Westerburg

INTRODUCE Ordinance (5601) to adopt a Utility Enterprise Fund Budget for the City of West Monroe for the fiscal year of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027.

Motion made by Westerburg, Seconded by Hamilton.

Voting Yea: Brian, Hamilton, Welch, Westerburg

Ordinance 5602: Ordinance to authorize a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the LSU AgCenter Cooperative Extension Service (continuation of existing CEA) related to educational services to be provided within the City/Parish.

Motion made by Welch, Seconded by Westerburg.

Voting Yea: Brian, Hamilton, Welch, Westerburg

ENGINEERING/CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

Crosley Street Sanitary Sewer Improvements - City Project # 000322

Authorize Change Order No. 2 (+ \$20,156 ; + 10 days) with Jabar Corporation.

Motion made by Welch, Seconded by Hamilton.
Voting Yea: Brian, Hamilton, Welch, Westerburg

Project Updates

The Mayor provided the Council with updates to ongoing City projects.

ADJOURN

Motion made by Hamilton, Seconded by Westerburg.
Voting Yea: Brian, Hamilton, Welch, Westerburg

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

ANDREA PATE
CITY CLERK

STACI ALBRITTON MITCHELL
MAYOR