

Flatonia City Council
Regular Meeting Minutes
April 14, 2026, at 6:00 p.m.

Present

Mayor Pro Tem Council	Ginny Sears Allen Kocian Jeff Brazill Kevin Laney Josh Homan
City Secretary	Jacqueline Ott
Utility Director	Steve Cobler
Police Chief	Lee Dick
Fire Chief	Chris Swenning
Asst. Fire Chief	James Robinson

Absent

Mayor	Travis Seale
City Manager	Ray Miller

Call to Order

Mayor Pro Tem Sears called the meeting to order at 6:01 p.m.

Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

Councilman Kocian led the invocation and pledges.

Citizen Participation

1. Teresa Brown spoke to the Council to request more funding for the Gardenia Janssen Animal Shelter.
2. Jaci Elliott spoke to the Council as a volunteer for the Gardenia Janssen Animal Shelter in support of Teresa Brown's request.
3. Randy Johnson spoke to the Council regarding traffic on Highway 90 and the lack of a crosswalk at the traffic signal.

Consent Agenda

1. Councilman Laney moved, with a second from Councilman Homan, to approve the minutes from the regular meeting on March 17, 2026. None opposed. Motion passed.
2. Councilman Homan moved, with a second from Councilman Kocian, to approve the financial reports for March 2026. None opposed. Motion passed.
3. Councilman Homan moved, with a second from Councilman Kocian, to approve the Hotel Occupancy Tax Reports for Fiscal Year 2026 Quarter 2. None opposed. Motion passed.

Staff Reports

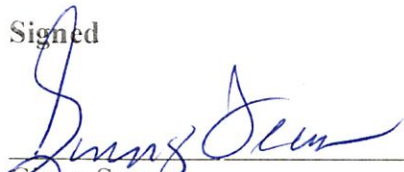
1. Fire Chief Swenning did not have anything to add to the report.

2. Police Chief Dick added to the report that the department was audited by TCOLE and passed with no deficiencies.
3. Utility Director Cobler did not have anything to add to the report.
4. City Secretary Ott informed the Council that City Manager Miller has been sending letters to property owners, but no details were available.
5. City Manager Miller was absent from the meeting.

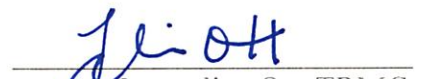
Adjournment

Mayor Pro Tem Sears thanked Councilman Homan for his service on City Council over the last two years. The meeting was adjourned at 6:18 p.m.

Signed


Ginny Sears
Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST


Jacqueline Ott, TRMC
City Secretary

