

WINK CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
Tuesday, October 7, 2025
6:00 P.M.

PRESENT:
Eric Hawkins, Mayor

Council Members:
Kama Slaughter, Councilwoman, Place 1
Michael Dodd, Councilman Place 2
Casey Thames, Councilman, Place 3
LaDaryl Bates, Councilwoman, Place 4
Coby Purcell, Mayor Pro Tem, Place 5

City Staff:
Gina Funderburg, City Secretary
Jose Soltero, Police Chief
Addison Brewer, Utility Clerk
Kelen Salinas- Court Clerk
Richard Kyle, Water Superintendent
Josh Crawford-Police Officer
Puja Boinpally, City Attorney-via phone

Guests:
Stormy Hawkins
Barbara Saboyna
Carrie Purcell

CALL TO ORDER AND ANNOUNCE
A QUORUM PRESENT:

(Agenda Item 1)

With a quorum of the Council members present, the regular meeting of the Wink City Council was called to order by Mayor Hawkins at 6:00 P.M. October 7, 2025, in the Wink City Council Meeting Room of the Wink City Hall, 303 East Hendricks Blvd., Wink, Texas.

INVOCATION:

(Agenda Item 2)

Councilman Purcell gave the invocation.

VISITORS/CITIZENS FORUM: At this time, any person with business before the Council, not scheduled on the agenda, may speak to the Council. No formal action can be taken on these items at this meeting:

(Agenda Item 3)

DISCUSS AND CONSIDER MINUTES
FOR THE FOLLOWING MEETING:

- *September 9, 2025*

(Agenda Item 4)

Motion: Upon a motion made by Mayor Pro Tem Purcell and seconded by Councilman Dodd, the Council voted five (5) "ayes" and no (0) "nays" to approve the above-mentioned minutes. **Motion carried.**

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**DISCUSS AND CONSIDER BIDS FOR THE SALE
OF LAND, SPECIFICALLY, LOTS 13-16 BLOCK 12
WINK ORIGINAL 600 BLOCK N CROSS (Abstract/Subdivision 3040):**

(Agenda Item 5)

Four bids were received in the City Secretary's Office on October 3, 2025, and were opened and read aloud as follows:

- **Michelle Saenz** – \$13,000.00
- **Lauren Henson** – \$2,700.00
- **Robin Long** – \$1,000.00
- **Vonzel Shuler** – \$3,199.00

Motion: Upon a motion made by Mayor Pro Tem Purcell and seconded by Councilman Dodd, the Council voted five (5) "ayes" and no (0) "nays" to award the property to Lauren Henson. **Motion carried.**
Votes were as follows:

"Aye"
"Aye"
"Aye"
"Aye"
"Aye"

Kama Slaughter
Casey Thames
Michael Dodd
LaDaryl Bates
Coby Purcell

**DISCUSS AND CONSIDER DEPARTMENTAL
REPORTS PRESENTATIONS:**

(Agenda Item 6)

- *Water/Wastewater-Superintendent Richard Kyle*
- *Police Department Reports-Chief Jody Soltero*

Richard Kyle and Chief Soltero presented to the Council their department reports for the month of September 2025.

**DISCUSS AND CONSIDER POLICY ADOPTION
REVIEW THROUGH LEXIPOL:**

(Agenda Item 7)

Motion: Upon a motion made by Mayor Pro Tem Purcell and seconded by Councilman Dodd, the Council voted five (5) "ayes" and no (0) "nays" to approve the purchase of the Lexipol policy software program in the amount of \$13,068.10 (thirteen thousand sixty-eight dollars and ten cents). This will be a budget amendment. **Motion carried.**

Votes were as follows:

"Aye"
"Aye"
"Aye"
"Aye"
"Aye"

Kama Slaughter
Casey Thames
Michael Dodd
LaDaryl Bates
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**DISCUSS AND CONSIDER, IF ANY,
THE IMPROVEMENTS TO THE
WATER SYSTEM FOR THE CITY OF WINK:**

(Agenda Item 8)

No action was taken

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DISCUSS AND CONSIDER
DATE FOR TRICK OR TREATING:

(Agenda Item 9)

Motion: Upon a motion made by Councilman Dodd and seconded by Councilman Thames, the Council voted five (5) "ayes" and no (0) "nays" to designate October 30, 2025, as Trunk or Treat Day for the City of Wink. **Motion carried.**

Votes were as follows:

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| "Aye" | Kama Slaughter |
| "Aye" | Casey Thames |
| "Aye" | Michael Dodd |
| "Aye" | LaDaryl Bates |
| "Aye" | Coby Purcell |

DISCUSS AND CONSIDER
CERTIFICATE DEPOSIT RENEWALS:

- Acct # 2676
- Acct # 0594

(Agenda Item 10)

The City Council was informed that at the previous month's meeting, the Council had approved renewing the CDs and rolling the interest over at the same rate. Upon renewal, Southwest Heritage Credit Union advised the office staff that the prior rates 5.25% were promotional and applicable only to the 15-month term. The new interest rate will be 4.150% for a 12-month period.

Motion: Upon a motion made by Mayor Pro Tem Purcell and seconded by Councilman Thames, the Council voted five (5) "ayes" and no (0) "nays" to approve the new rates and renew those CDs. **Motion carried.**

Votes were as follows:

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|-------|----------------|
| "Aye" | Kama Slaughter |
| "Aye" | Casey Thames |
| "Aye" | Michael Dodd |
| "Aye" | LaDaryl Bates |
| "Aye" | Coby Purcell |

DISCUSS AND CONSIDER QUARTERLY
INVESTMENT REPORT FOR PERIOD ENDING 9/30/25:

(Agenda Item 11)

Motion: Upon a motion made by Councilwoman Bates and seconded by Councilman Dodd, the Council voted five (5) "ayes" and no (0) "nays" to approve the quarterly investment report as presented. **Motion carried.**

Votes were as follows:

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| "Aye" | Kama Slaughter |
| "Aye" | Casey Thames |
| "Aye" | Michael Dodd |
| "Aye" | LaDaryl Bates |
| "Aye" | Coby Purcell |

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DISCUSS AND CONSIDER OVERNIGHT TRAVEL:

- *Debra Fouse*

(Agenda Item 12)

Motion: Upon a motion made by Mayor Pro Tem Purcell and seconded by Councilwoman Bates, the Council voted five (5) "ayes" and no (0) "nays" to approve the overnight travel for the above-mentioned employee. **Motion carried.**

Votes were as follows:

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|-------|----------------|
| "Aye" | Kama Slaughter |
| "Aye" | Casey Thames |
| "Aye" | Michael Dodd |
| "Aye" | LaDaryl Bates |
| "Aye" | Coby Purcell |

**DISCUSS AND CONSIDER PAYMENT
OF BILLS & BUDGET AMENDMENTS:(If any)**

(Agenda Item 13)

Motion: Upon a motion by Mayor Pro Tem Purcell, and seconded by Councilman Dodd, the Council voted five (5) "ayes" and no (0) "nays" to approve the payment of bills and budget amendment, line item #7 as presented.

Votes were as follows:

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|-------|----------------|
| "Aye" | Kama Slaughter |
| "Aye" | Casey Thames |
| "Aye" | Michael Dodd |
| "Aye" | LaDaryl Bates |
| "Aye" | Coby Purcell |

**DISCUSS AND CONSIDER DATE FOR THE
DECEMBER 2025 REGULAR MEETING:**

- *December 9, 2025*

(Agenda Item 14)

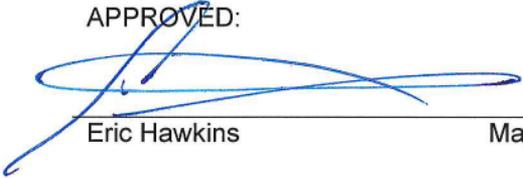
ADJOURNMENT:

6:45 p.m.

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These minutes were approved by the Wink City Council on the 11th day of November 2025.

APPROVED:


Eric Hawkins Mayor


Casey Phames Councilman


Kama Slaughter Councilwoman


LaDaryl Bates Councilwoman


Michael Dodd Councilman


Coby Purcell Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST:


Gina Funderburg, CITY SECRETARY

