

**Stanford City Council
Regular Council Meeting
Lincoln County Public Library Meeting Room
6:30 pm, October 9th, 2025**

I. Call to Order, Welcome, Pledge and Prayer

Mayor Miller called to order the Regular Council Meeting of the Stanford City Council at 6:30 pm on Thursday, October 9th, 2025. All recited the pledge to the U.S. Flag after which Councilman Jerry Wilkinson opened the meeting with prayer.

II. Roll Call

A roll call was conducted with the following members present: Eddie Carter, Ronnie Deatherage, Jason Hignite, Bill Miracle, Joe Tackett and Jerry Wilkinson. A quorum was declared by the Mayor.

Also present were: Police Chief Zach Middleton, Captain Ryan Kirkpatrick, Fire Chief Scott Maples, City Attorney John Hackley, and citizens Ruth Spaw, Linda Durham, and Lucille Sudduth.

III. Approval of Minutes

Motion was made by Councilman Carter (2nd by Councilman Tackett) to approve the minutes from the September 8th, 2025, Public Hearing and Special Called City Council Meeting as presented. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion was made by Councilman Carter (2nd by Councilman Tackett) to approve the minutes from the September 16th, 2025, Special Called City Council Meeting as presented. All in favor, motion carried.

IV. Citizen's Comments

No comments or requests.

V. Council Comments

Appreciation and praise for the 250th Celebration, Dinner on Main and the Singing events was expressed by several council members. Also of special note was the young couple who were engaged right before the dinner, the Wilderness Road Marathon, the John Fox Dudderar Exhibit ribbon cutting and the excellent job that Jenny Ralston Mahoney has done coordinating all the events.

VI. Presentation of Surplus Property Resolution 2025-1009

Surplus Property Resolution 2025-1009 was presented to the council by Fire Chief Maples. Chief Maples shared that the gear washing equipment listed is in disrepair, and parts are no longer available. It is of no use to any other department and is asking that the council approve the resolution to allow the equipment to be scrapped.

Motion was made by Councilman Deatherage (2nd by Councilman Tackett) to approve the resolution as written. All in favor, motion carried.

VII. Presentation of Appointment for Approval (Ambulance Board)

Mayor Miller shared that Dr. Stafford has resigned from the Ambulance Board due to a work commitment. He proposing that Sonya Kirkpatrick be approved to fill Dr. Stafford's remaining term.

Motion was made by Councilman Carter (2nd by Councilman Tackett) to accept the appointment as presented. All in favor, motion carried.

VIII. Mayor's Information to Council

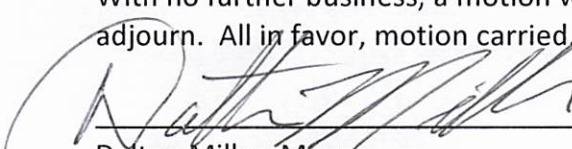
-Mayor Miller shared that due to a traveling conflict, he will not be able to attend the November Council Meeting as currently scheduled. He is requesting that the meeting be moved to Thursday, November 6, 2025 at 6:30pm. The Library will not be available during that time so he is also requesting that the meeting be moved to the Historic L&N Depot Meeting Room.

Motion was made by Councilman Miracle (2nd by Councilman Carter) to approve the request. All in favor, motion carried. It was noted that the meeting will become a special called meeting due to the time and venue change.

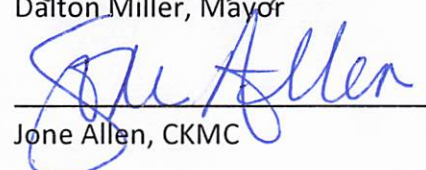
- Eddie Sowers is hosting a Tim Morris Shop with a Cop Motorcycle Show on Oct 11th
- Cleanup week will end October 10th and leaf pickup will begin after the cleanup is complete.
- Our new property tax program is up and running.
- The Green River Band will be performing at the October 17th Trunk or Treat Car Show and will be the last 250th Celebration Event of the year. We are now looking forward to the 250th Anniversary of America Celebration next year.

IX. Adjourn

With no further business, a motion was made by Councilman Miracle (2nd by Councilman Deatherage) to adjourn. All in favor, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 6:58 pm.


Dalton Miller, Mayor

11/6/2025
Date:


Jone Allen, CKMC

11/12/2025
Date: