

REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF SHALLOWATER, FEBRUARY 17TH, 2026. WITH
THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS PRESENT:

ALDERMAN:

CHRIS CODY
MAYOR PRO TEM
RUSSEL MOSES
CITY ADMINISTRATOR
NIKKI CORONADO
CITY SECRETARY
BETHANY BROWN
DEPUTY CITY SECRETARY
WILL GRIFFIS (VIA PHONE CONFERENCE)
ATTORNEY

TROY WHITE
JASON WHITE
ASHLEY CARR

Others Present: Leonard Nail, Jessica Carothers, Scott Schleicher, Cory Buck, Jeremy Stewart, Ralynn Carr, Ashley Carr, Josh Carr, Kynlee Carr, Preslie Cavett, James and Barbara Norton, McKenzie Braddock, Steve and Jennifer Hammonds, and Kyle Yeager

Pledge of Allegiance: The meeting was opened at 7:03 PM by Mayor Pro Tem Cody.

Invocation: Invocation was offered by Mayor Pro Tem Chris Cody.

Open Forum: Open forum was opened at 7:04 PM. Chris Cody said he has gotten some calls on the tiny house located at Ave S and 8th street. He said people can't see cars coming and asked officer Claunch to take a look at it. He also mentioned putting up a no outlet sign at Ave U.

Department Reports:

Fire Department: Chief Cory Buck mentioned the reporting system has changed and he was not able to print a report at this time.

Emergency Management: Chief Cory Buck presented a written report. He said they are getting things ready for summer weather. There were no questions.

Municipal Court: Nikki Coronado presented a report for Judge Henson. There were no questions.

Police Department: Chief Brian Williams presented a written report. There were no questions. Chief Williams said the grant that was intended for radios was changed to use on a Durango. He also mentioned that the late Ray Perez, one of our previous officers, will be recognized and added to the wall memorial in Austin. He mentioned that they are wrapping up on the burglary case from city hall as well.

Code Enforcement: Officer Shawn Claunch said he is still trying to get in touch with a resident to get her yard cleaned up. He will try to hand deliver the letter that was sent and returned. There were no questions.

Public Works: Ruben Ponce presented a written report. There were no questions.

Consider and discuss Water/Sewer updates with Parkhill: Leonard Nail said we should know the deadline for HB 500 next week and things were going well and moving ahead.

Consider and discuss resignation of Alderman Kyle Yeager:

Chris Cody thanked Alderman Yeager for his time serving on the council and all the effort he has put in to bettering the City of Shallowater. Alderman Jason White motioned to accept the resignation. Alderman Troy White made the second with 3 in favor and one absent.

Consider and discuss appointment of new Alderman to fill remaining term of Alderman Kyle Yeager:

Mayor Pro Tem Cody appointed Ashley Carr to fill the open seat. He said he has known Ashley for 40 years. He said her family has lived in Shallowater forever and Ashley, having previously worked for the City, would be a great fit for the council. Alderman Jason White motioned to appoint Ashley to the council. Alderman Troy White made the second with 3 in favor and one absent. Mayor Pro Tem Cody administered the Oath of Office and Statement of Officer for Ashley Carr.

Consider and discuss Raftelis proposal for PR services beyond task 3:

Russel said that when it was initially approved, the council only approved through task 3. In order to keep everyone informed, the council will need to approve beyond task 3. He said he spoke with Angie Flores at Raftelis and we do still have money left with them. The costs associated with the tasks would be about \$12,000. Mayor Pro Tem Cody feels like it is necessary and didn't have a problem with it. Alderman Jason White made a motion to approve the tasks that are left. Alderman Troy White made the second with 4 in favor and Alderman Waltisperger absent.

Consider Minutes from Previous Meeting: Alderman Troy White motioned to accept the minutes from the previous meeting, Alderman Jason White made the second with 4 in favor and Alderman Waltisperger absent.

Consider Financial report: Alderman Troy White motioned to accept the financial report, Alderman Ashley Carr made the second, with 4 in favor and Alderman Waltisperger absent.

Consider Bills payable: Alderman Jason White motioned, Alderman Ashley Carr made the second, with 4 in favor and Alderman Waltisperger absent.

Open Forum was closed at 7:33 PM.

There being no further business, meeting was adjourned at 7:33 PM.



Nikki Coronado, City Secretary



Roy King Potter, Mayor