



Abilene City Commission Meeting Minutes
Abilene Public Library – 209 NW Fourth Street
June 9, 2025, 4:00 pm.
Abilene, Kansas

1. Call to Order

2. Roll Call – City Commission Present: Mayor Rein Commissioners, Kollhoff, Witt, Miller and Meysenburg.

Staff Present: City Manager Marsh, City Clerk Mohr, Interim Finance Director Briand, City Attorney Martin, Parks and Recreation Director Timbrook, Fire Chief Strunk, Interim Police Chief Wilkins, Community Development Director Zook, Public Works Director Anderson, Convention and Visitors Bureau Director Roller-Weeks, Facilities Maintenance Alvarez, Street Maintenance Worker Sims, Street Maintenance Worker, City Engineer Bachamp, and Administrative Assistant Olson.

3. Pledge of Allegiance

Agenda

4. Approval of the Agenda for the June 9, 2025, City Commission Meeting

Motion by Commissioner Miller, seconded by Commissioner Witt, to approve the agenda as presented. Roll call vote: Miller YES, Witt YES, Kollhoff YES, Meysenburg YES, Rein YES. The motion carried 5-0.

Consent Agenda

5. Consent Agenda - Consent Agenda items are considered routine business items. The consent agenda can be acted upon by one motion unless a majority of the City Commission votes to remove an item for discussion and separate action.

a. Meeting Minutes for May 27, 2025, Regular Meeting

b. Meeting Minutes for June 3, 2025, Special Meeting

Motion by Commissioner Witt, seconded by Commissioner Miller, to approve the consent agenda as presented. Roll call vote: Witt YES, Kollhoff YES, Meysenburg YES, Miller YES, Rein YES. The motion carried 5-0.

6. Public Comments and Communications

- a. Public Forum:** Persons who wish to address the City Commission regarding items outside the agenda may do so when called upon by the Mayor. Speakers will be allowed a three-minute time limit.

There were no public comments or communications.

- b. Elder Abuse Awareness Month Proclamation – Mary Cookson, DVAC**

7. Business Items

- a. Interim City Manager candidate discussion**

A special meeting will be held Thursday, June 12 at 5 pm to discuss Interim City Manager candidates again.

- b. Possible action regarding the hiring of an Interim City Manager**

No action taken.

- c. Consider approval of Resolution 060925-1, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND PROVIDING FOR IMPROVEMENTS INCLUDED IN THE MULTI-YEAR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN FOR THE CITY OF ABILENE, KANSAS; AND PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF COSTS THEREOF.**

Motion by Commissioner Witt, seconded by Commissioner Miller, to approve Resolution No. 060925-1, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND PROVIDING FOR IMPROVEMENTS INCLUDED IN THE MULTI-YEAR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN FOR THE CITY OF ABILENE, KANSAS; AND PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF COSTS THEREOF. Roll call vote: Kollhoff NO, Meysenburg YES, Miller YES, Witt YES, Rein YES. The motion carried 4-1.

- d. Consider approval of Resolution No. 060925-2, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE OFFERING FOR SALE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION TEMPORARY NOTES, SERIES 2025, OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, KANSAS.**

Motion by Commissioner Miller, seconded by Commissioner Witt, to approval of Resolution No. 060925-2, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE OFFERING FOR SALE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION TEMPORARY NOTES, SERIES 2025, OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, KANSAS. Roll call vote: Meysenburg YES, Miller YES, Witt YES, Kollhoff NO, Rein YES. The motion carried 4-1.

- e. Consider approval of Ordinance No. 25-3460, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 3-201 OF THE CITY CODE OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, KANSAS, CONCERNING DEFINITIONS APPLICABLE TO REGULATING ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR IN THE CITY OF ABILENE, KANSAS.

Motion by Commissioner Witt, seconded by Commissioner Kollhoff, to approve Ordinance No. 25-3460, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 3-201 OF THE CITY CODE OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, KANSAS, CONCERNING DEFINITIONS APPLICABLE TO REGULATING ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR IN THE CITY OF ABILENE, KANSAS. Roll call vote: Miller YES, Witt YES, Kollhoff YES, Meysenburg YES, Rein YES. The motion carried 5-0.

- f. Consider approval of a bid from Foley Equipment for the purchase of a Caterpillar 255 CTL DCA2 Skid Steer in the amount of \$69,579.61 for the Public Works Department.

Motion by Commissioner Witt, seconded by Commissioner Miller, to approve a bid from Foley Equipment for the purchase of a Caterpillar 255 CTL DCA2 Skid Steer in the amount of \$69,579.61 for the Public Works Department. Roll call vote: Witt YES, Kollhoff YES, Meysenburg YES, Miller YES, Rein YES. The motion carried 5-0.

- g. Consider approval of a Lease Purchase Agreement with Global Environmental Products for a Global M3 Street Sweeper for the Public Works Department through Sourcewell with financing through First Bank in the amount of \$67,225.00 per year for five years.

Motion by Commissioner Miller, seconded by Commissioner Kollhoff, to approve a Lease Purchase Agreement with Global Environmental Products for a Global M3 Street Sweeper for the Public Works Department through Sourcewell with financing through First Bank in the amount of \$67,225.00 per year for five years. Roll call vote: Kollhoff YES, Meysenburg YES, Miller YES, Witt YES, Rein YES. The motion carried 5-0.

- h. Consider approval of a Master Agreement Work Order with Olsson for Engineering Services for the Industrial Park Project in the amount of \$338,850.00.

Motion by Commissioner Witt, seconded by Commissioner Miller, to approve Master Agreement Work Order with Olsson for Engineering Services for the Industrial Park Project in the amount of \$338,850.00. Roll call vote: Meysenburg YES, Miller YES, Witt YES, Kollhoff NO, Rein YES. The motion carried 4-1.

8. Items for Discussion

- a. Update regarding Wastewater Treatment Plant repairs.

9. Reports

a. City Manager's Report

- The Fire Department has received a \$20,367.00 grant from the Department of Interior for a turnkey skid unit. There is no city match.

10. Recess of Regular Meeting

- a. Consider a motion to recess the June 9, 2025, City Commission Meeting.

Motion by Commissioner Witt, seconded by Commissioner Miller to recess the June 9, 2025, City Commission Meeting at 5:00 pm. Roll call vote: Miller YES, Witt YES, Kollhoff YES, Meysenburg YES, Rein YES. The motion carried 5-0. The City Commission Study Session will begin immediately.

City Commission Study Session

1. Call to Order – City Commission Study Session

The City Commission Study Session was called to order at 5:00 pm.

2. June 9, 2025, City Commission Study Session Agenda

- a. Discussion regarding rebuilding of T-hangars at the Abilene Municipal Airport

3. Adjournment

- a. Consider a motion to adjourn the June 9, 2025, City Commission Meeting

Motion by Commissioner Witt, seconded by Commissioner Miller, to adjourn the June 9, 2025, City Commission Meeting at 5:35 pm. Roll call vote: Witt YES, Kollhoff YES, Meysenburg YES, Miller YES, Rein YES. The motion carried 5-0.



ATTEST

Shayla L. Mohr

Shayla L. Mohr, CMC
City Clerk

Brandon Rein
Brandon Rein, Mayor



Date: 6/9/25

CITY COMMISSION
MEETING ATTENDANCE SHEET
PLEASE PRINT YOUR NAME & ADDRESS

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2. Curtis Rein
3. Sandy Rein
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