

**City of Flaxton
Council Proceedings
Approved Minutes
April 7, 2026**

The regular City Council meeting was called to order by Mayor Kalmbach @ 7:30 p.m. Present were council members Justin Adamietz & Jeremy Ragle by conference call, Public Works Director, Barb Cron and City Auditor, Amy Ones. Absent was council member Dan Snyder.

The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

There was no public comment.

Motion J. Adamietz, second J. Ragle to approve the March 3, 2026 regular council meeting minutes as presented. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion J. Ragle, second J. Adamietz to approve the financial report and bills as presented. All in favor, motion carried. Overdue utility accounts and bulk water activity were reviewed.

Bid opening was held for the 1995 Ford F-250 Pickup with Boss V Snow Plow Attachment. Auditor Ones indicated that (1) bid was received by the 5:00 p.m. April 7, 2026 deadline. The following bid was opened which included a 25% cashier's check of the submitted bid price as stipulated in the bid notice:

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| 1. Karson Dixon: | Bid Amount: \$500.00 |
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Motion J. Ragle, second J. Adamietz to accept the bid as presented. All in favor, motion carried.

Bid opening was held for the 1972 Chevy Fire Truck. Auditor Ones indicated that (3) bids were received by the 5:00 p.m. April 7, 2026 deadline. The following bids were opened which all included a 25% cashier's check of the submitted bid price as stipulated in the bid notice:

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| 1. Karson Dixon: | Bid Amount: \$ 500.00 |
| 2. Steven Pfeifer: | Bid Amount: \$ 800.00 |
| 3. James & Hope Martens: | Bid Amount: \$1,000.00 |

Motion J. Adamietz, second J. Ragle to accept the bid from James & Hope Martens in the amount of \$1,000.00. All in favor, motion carried.

Sean Weeks representing Ackerman Estvold was absent from the meeting, therefore there was no engineering report presented.

B. Cron presented the Public Works report. Total hours worked for the month of March were 80.00. Tasks completed include the following: snow removal, water chlorine testing, annual landfill burning & winter gravel / rock removal from grass areas.

Motion J. Adamietz, second J. Ragle to obtain a roll off container from Circle Sanitation for resident use during the week of April 24th thru May 1st. All in favor, motion carried.

An estimate from Mann Signs, Inc. in the amount of \$270.00 was presented by the Preservation of the Hall Committee for council review. The Preservation of the Hall Committee will be responsible for the expense with billing thru the City of Flaxton.

Discussion held on reviewing & updating the public nuisance ordinance regarding mowing & low hanging tree branches. Tabled until May 2026 meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Next meeting Tuesday, May 5, 2026 @ 7:30 p.m. at the Flaxton City Hall.

Approved Bills:

March Payroll: 3,382.00, US Treasury: 966.30, BC Tribune: 237.38, Circle Sanitation: 517.25, Dacotah Bank: 25.00, FDHU: 30.00, Lignite Oil: 1,378.89, Mann Signs, Inc.: 270.00, MDU: 1,358.84, NCC: 196.98, US Bank: 21,175.00, Visa: 71.50

Submitted By: Amy Ones, City Auditor
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