



Mayor Tim Marshall
Councilmember Jerry Webb
Councilmember Jasmine McDowell
Councilmember - Vacant

Mayor Pro-Tem Pete Herrmann
Councilmember Brian Williams
Councilmember Jarom Teffeller

AGENDA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE GILMER CITY COUNCIL TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2026, BEGINNING AT 5:15 P.M. IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF CITY HALL 110 BUFFALO ST, GILMER, TEXAS, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING THE FOLLOWING AGENDA ITEMS.

- I. Call to Order**
Invocation
Pledge of Allegiance
- II. Public Comments**
- III. Announcements** – *with respect to items not listed elsewhere on this agenda, members may report on items of community interest, including announcing community events, announcing employee or community recognitions, requesting specific factual information or a recitation of existing policy from staff, or requesting placement of items on the agenda for discussion or action at the following meeting.*
 1. Mayor's announcements
 2. City Manager's announcements
 3. City Councilmember announcements
- IV. Consent Agenda**
 1. Consider approval of City Council Minutes from February 10, 2026
 2. Consider approval of Expense Report for January 2026
 3. Consider approval of Financials for January 2026
- V. Items to be Considered**
 1. Consider, discuss, and take possible action to approve the annual Audit Report Fiscal Year ending September 30, 2025, as presented by Brooks Watson CPA, and all matters related thereto.
 2. Consider, discuss, and take possible action approving the Gilmer Police Department Racial Profiling Report for 2025, and all matters related thereto (Enclosure).

3. Consider, discuss and take possible action to approve Ordinance 26-0 Declaring Unopposed Candidates in the May 2, 2026, General Election; cancelling said election; providing issuance of a certificate of election to each candidate; providing a severability clause; and providing an effective date; and all matters related thereto (Enclosure).

Considerar, discutir y tomar posibles medidas para aprobar la Ordenanza 26-0 Declarando Candidatos sin Oposición en las elecciones generales del 2 de mayo de 2026; cancelar dicha elección; Proporcionar la emisión de un certificado de elección a cada candidato; proporcionar una cláusula de divisibilidad; y proporcionar una fecha de entrada en vigor; y todo lo relacionado con el mismo (Anexo).

4. Consider, discuss, and take possible action regarding Live Gilmer BBQ Event to serve and charge for alcohol with special TABC Permit and all matters related thereto (Enclosure).
5. Consider, discuss, and take possible action to approve Resolution R26-004 regarding the Risk It for The Brisket event street closures from April 9, 2026, at 6:00 P.M. until April 12, 2025, at 1:00 pm, and all matters related thereto (Enclosure).
 - a. Buffalo & Jefferson Street from Hwy 271 to Trinity
 - b. Titus Street from Buffalo to Cass Street
 - c. Simpson Street from State Hwy 154 W to Buffalo
 - d. Davis Street from State Hwy 154 W to Cass St
 - e. Henderson Street from State Hwy 154 W to Harrison
 - f. State Hwy 154 W from Trinity to US HWY 271
6. Consider, discuss, and take possible action to approve a reduction in the rental fees for VFW Post 6715, DAV and the American Legion groups for a room at the Gilmer Civic Center for their annual Memorial Day Ceremony on May 25, 2026, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM; and all matters related thereto (Enclosure).
7. Consider, discuss, and take possible action to approve the Recommendation from the Park Advisory Board to allow the City Manager to apply for the grant opportunity for a fitness area at Yamboree Park and all matters related thereto (Enclosure).
8. Consider, discuss, and take possible action to approve the grant under the Rural VFD Assistance Program for Training Aids up to \$10,000 and all matters related thereto (Enclosure).
9. Consider, discuss, and take possible action to the grant under the Rural VFD Assistance Program for Personal Protective Equipment up to \$25,000 and all matters related thereto (Enclosure).

10. Consider, discuss, and take possible action to approve and to go into effect immediately upon approval a rounding policy for cash payments only and all matters related thereto (Enclosure).

11. Consider, discuss, and take possible action to approve all Change Orders for the Yamboree Park Phase I, and all matters related thereto (Enclosure). (Possible Executive Session TGC 551.071)

VI. Executive Session

The City Council reserves the right to convene into executive session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above, as authorized by the Texas Government Code, Section 551.071 (Consult with Attorney), 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property), 551.073 (Deliberations about Gifts and Donations), 551.074 (Personnel Matters), 551.076 (Deliberations about Security Devices), and 551.087 (Economic Development).

VII. Adjourn Executive Session

VIII. Convene Regular Meeting – (In accordance with Texas Government Code, Subchapter D).

IX. Adjournment

CERTIFICATION

I certify that a copy of the February 24, 2026, agenda of items to be considered by the Gilmer City Council was posted on the doors of City Hall on February 18, 2026, at or before 11:59pm.



DEANA POWELL, CITY SECRETARY

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La entrada a esta reunión es a través de la entrada trasera del Ayuntamiento. En cumplimiento con la Ley de Estadounidenses con Discapacidades, la Ciudad de Gilmer proporcionará adaptaciones razonables para las personas que asistan a reuniones públicas. Para servir mejor a los asistentes, las solicitudes deben recibirse 24 horas antes de la reunión. Si es necesario, comuníquese con el Secretario de la Ciudad al 903-843-2552.