

City of Prairie Home
City Hall, 416 Highway Drive, Prairie Home, MO
MINUTES OF REGULAR BOARD OF ALDERMEN MEETING

Thursday, June 18, 2026

The Mayor called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

ROLL CALL:

- Present: Jim Lachner, Mayor; David Borghardt, Cindy Lenger; Sierrah Miller, Ray Weber
- Staff: Kim Force, City Attorney; Jacob Lauer, Police Chief; AJ Wirts, Drinking Water Operator; Mary Sue Fontana, City Clerk
- Others: James Wyrick

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Ms. Lenger made a motion to approve the agenda. Mr. Borghardt seconded. The motion passed.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: None.

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES: Mr. Borghardt made a motion to approve the minutes of the May 21, 2026 Regular meeting. Mr. Weber seconded. The motion passed.

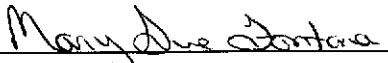
REPORTS AND COMMENTS:

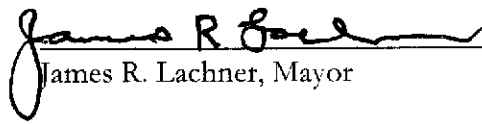
- **Police.** Mr. Lauer reported he had given out a ticket for a dog at-large.
- **Water.** Mr. Wirts reported that Aesthetix Electric would be working on the new well house controller and that the parts should be under warranty. He reported the chlorine levels would be leveled out when both wells were working again.
- **Sewer.**
 - Joe Odneal, Waste Water Operator, had reported earlier that he had placed degreaser throughout the system.
 - Mr. Lachner reported on the lagoon overflow levels.
- **Attorney.** Ms. Force reported she had processed several tickets.
- **Clerk.**
 - Ms. Lenger made a motion to accept the monthly financial report. Mr. Weber seconded. The motion passed.
 - Ms. Fontana stated approximately 80 dogs have been licensed and approximately 25 remain to be licensed
 - Ms. Fontana reported Walters Construction was able to level the community garden while he had equipment in town for a different project.
- **Board Members and Mayor.**
 - Vegetation overgrowth was discussed After deliberation, Ms. Fontana stated she would provide information from the ordinances related to right-of-way maintenance.
 - Ordinances related to multiple households sharing service connections was discussed.

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- **FY27 Budget Approval.** The Board reviewed the budget submittal which had minor updates since the preliminary budget was presented at the May meeting. Ms. Lenger made a motion to approve the budget and enacting resolution, providing spending authority for the upcoming fiscal year. Mr. Borghardt seconded. The motion passed.
- **Street Grant Application.** The Board had no changes to the application, which had been emailed earlier. The Board reviewed the two bids which had been submitted. Ms. Lenger made a motion to tentatively award the Knorp Drive improvement project to Walters Construction, pending grant approval. Mr. Borghardt seconded. The motion passed.
- **Sidewalk Project Status.** The Board again expressed their concern about the viability of completing the sidewalk project, due to the on-going delays.

ADJOURNMENT: Mr. Borghardt made a motion to adjourn. Mr. Weber seconded. The motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 7:12 pm.


Mary Sue Fontana, City Clerk


James R. Lachner, Mayor