



Emporia
Kansas

CITY COMMISSION
WEDNESDAY, JULY 1, 2026 AT 11:00 AM
CITY COMMISSION CHAMBER

ORDER OF BUSINESS

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Mayor Becky Smith

MEMBERS PRESENT

Vice-Mayor Tammi Ogle

Commissioner Monica Duncan

Commissioner Erren Harter

Commissioner Kurt Steinkuhler

PROCLAMATIONS

Proclamation Recognizing Parks & Recreation Professionals Day as July 17, 2026

Accepted by: Amanda Gutierrez, Executive Director Emporia Recreation Center; and Kevin Hanlin, Director of City Public Lands & Facilities

PUBLIC FORUM

The public is invited to make comments at this time. Please limit comments to two (2) minutes each. Please state your name and address prior to making comments.

NEW BUSINESS

1) **Appoint City Appointee to Emporia Enterprises**

Presented by: Tammi Ogle, Vice-Mayor & Monica Duncan, Commissioner

Recommended Action: Approve the appointment of Jon Geitz as City Appointee to Emporia Enterprises

2) **Appoint Member to the Emporia Human Relations Commission**

Presented by: Becky Smith, Mayor and Tammi Ogle, Vice-Mayor

Recommended Action: Approve the appointment of Lenia Goekler to the Emporia Human Relations Commission

3) **Purchase of 2026 Utility Work Truck for Underground Utilities**

Presented by: Scott Grogg, Underground Utilities Manager

Recommended Action: Approve the purchase of a 2026 Chevrolet 3500 cab chassis from Longbine Autoplaza for \$59,070.00 and authorize outfitting with a CM Truck Bed from American Equipment Co. for \$16,853.00, for a total of \$75,923.00.

4) **Permanent Sanitary Sewer Easement for Cedarbrook Meadows Addition**

Presented by: Jim Ubert, City Engineer

Recommended Action: City staff recommends accepting the Permanent Sanitary Sewer Easement

COMMUNICATIONS

Presented by Trey Cocking, City Manager.

CONSENT AGENDA

Presented by Trey Cocking, City Manager.

- 1) Commission Meeting Minutes for June 17, 2026

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

Presented by Trey Cocking, City Manager.

- 1) Informational Items

GOVERNING BODY COMMENTS

Mayor Becky Smith

Vice-Mayor Tammi Ogle

Commissioner Monica Duncan

Commissioner Erren Harter

Commissioner Kurt Steinkuhler

RECESS

Recess to Evora Wheeler Conference Room for Study Session

STUDY SESSION AGENDA ITEMS

- 1) Discuss Large Volume Wastewater User Policy
- 2) Update on Large Water Volume User Policy
- 3) Budget Discussion
- 4) CIP Budget Review
- 5) Discuss Engineering Fees
- 6) Discuss Meeting on July 15, 2026

EXECUTIVE SESSION

- 1) Recess into executive session for 30 minutes, inviting pertinent city staff to discuss confidential data of a third party relating to economic development. The justification for the executive session is provided by K.S.A. 75-4319(b)(4) to protect financial affairs and trade secrets of third parties. The open meeting will resume in the City Commission Chamber at approximately ___:_____ a.m./p.m.

ADJOURNMENT