



**CITY COMMISSION
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 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 September as Library Card Sign-Up Month

Accepted by: Pauline Stacchini, Executive Director of Emporia Public Library

Proclamation Recognizing National Adult Education Week as the 13th-19th of September

Accepted by: Caron L. Daugherty, President Flint Hills Technical College & Cate Crosby, Director of the Adult Ed Center

PUBLIC FORUM

The public is invited to comment at this time. Please state your name and city or county of residence before speaking. Comments are limited to two (2) minutes per person.

NEW BUSINESS

- 1) **Authorize 2026 Asset Management Purchase of Freightliner M2 20-yd Capacity Dump Truck w/ Snow Plow & Anti-Ice Agent Spreader to Replace 1998 5-yd Dump Truck**

Presented by: Scott Grogg, Underground Utilities Manager

Recommended Action: Approve the purchase of the 2017 Freightliner outfitted with new Reed Company dump bed and snow capabilities

- 2) **KDOT Transportation Alternatives (TA) Project Award Safe Routes to School Improvements**

Presented by: Jim Ubert, City Engineer

Recommended Action: Staff recommends acceptance of the KDOT Transportation Alternatives Project award for the Safe Routes to School Improvements project and authorize the Mayor to sign the acknowledgement letter

3) **White Arena Basketball Goal Replacement**

Presented by: Kevin Hanlin, Director of Public Lands & Facilities

Recommended Action: Accept bid from BPI for a 10' Spalding goal in the amount of \$50,698.00

4) **Community Fisheries Assistance Program Grant for Peter Pan Park Pond**

Presented by: Kevin Hanlin, Director of Public Lands & Facilities

Recommended Action: Accept the CFAP Grant and authorize the City Manager to sign the contract

COMMUNICATIONS

Presented by Trey Cocking, City Manager.

CONSENT AGENDA

Presented by Trey Cocking, City Manager.

- 1) Commission Meeting Minutes for August 19, 2026
- 2) Special Commission Meeting Minutes for August 26, 2026

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

Presented by Trey Cocking, City Manager.

- 1) Informational Items

GOVERNING BODY COMMENTS

Mayor Becky Smith

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Commissioner Monica Duncan

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RECESS

Recess to Evora Wheeler Conference Room for Study Session

STUDY SESSION AGENDA ITEMS

- 1) Budget Discussion
- 2) Economic Development Agreements

EXECUTIVE SESSION

- 1) Recess into executive session for 30 minutes inviting pertinent city staff for the purpose of consultation with the City Attorney regarding a legal matter. The justification for executive session is provided in K.S.A. 75-4319(b)(2) to protect privileged communication in the attorney-client relationship. The open meeting will resume in this room at approximately __:____ a.m./p.m.
- 2) 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