



City of Hawkins  
City Council Minutes  
May 18, 2026



On May 18, 2026, at 6:00 pm, Mayor Deb Rushing called a Regular City Council Meeting to order with council members Eric Maloy, Dan Spence, Mick Medlin and Meredith Hancock. The department heads present were Norma Hallmark, Mike Maberry and Mandy Thomas. Ty Musick was not present.

The citizens commented on the agenda items.

Councilmember Eric Maloy made a motion to approve the minutes from April 20, 2026, City Council Meeting; Seconded by Councilmember Mick Medlin. The motion passed.

Councilmember Dan Spence made a motion to approve the Financial Reports for April 2026. Councilmember Eric Maloy seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Councilmember Dan Spence made a motion to approve the Departmental Monthly Reports for April 2026, Seconded by Councilmember Mick Medlin. The motion passed.

Councilmember Dan Spence made a motion to discuss and take action on awarding the construction contract for the Waterline Railroad Crossing Project (KSA project #104537). Councilmember Mick Medlin seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Councilmember Dan Spence made a motion to renew ETEX contract for phone and internet services for the City of Hawkins. Councilmember Eric Maloy seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Mayor Deb Rushing canvassed the results of the May 2, 2026 General Election. Councilmember Mick Medlin made a motion to approve the canvass of general election; Seconded the motion was Councilmember Meredith Hancock. The motion passed.

Mayor Deb Rushing swore in the newly elected Mayor Kayla Ross, Alderman Place 1 Meredith Hancock, Alderman Place 3 James Dacus, and Alderman Place 5 Norma Oglesby.


Councilmember Meredith Hancock made a motion to appoint Dan Spence as Mayor Pro Tem. Councilmember Mick Medlin seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Councilmember Mick Medlin made a motion to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Councilmember Dan Spence. The motion passed.

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Kayla Ross, Mayor

Attest:

  
Mandy Thomas, City Secretary