

City of Oxford
Regular Council
Meeting Oxford City Hall
April 14th, 2025
6:00 PM

Johnson called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. Roll call was taken. Present: Reihman, Green by Phone, Roberts. Absent: Hennes, Volk.

Roberts motioned to approve the agenda as presented Reihman seconded. All ayes. Motion carried.

Roberts motioned to approve the consent agendas Green seconded. All ayes. Motion carried.

Agenda Moved around due to Council Member Greens availability by phone.

Discussion of hiring Kyle Pitlick as maintenance worker. Roberts noted he didn't have a ton of maintenance history. Public Works Director Wetjen noted that all candidates interviewed were great and it was a very hard decision, noted they thought Pitlick was a strong candidate. Reihman motioned approving to hire Kyle Pitlick as Maintenance worker at \$24 hr. Roberts seconded, all ayes. Motion carried.

Clerks Report: Green motioned to approve clerks report. Roberts seconded all ayes. Motion Carried. Reihman motioned to go into Public Hearing for FY2027 Budget. Green Seconded. Roll Call: Reihman, Green, Roberts. No one from the public spoke in regards to budget and there was no call ins or emails in regards to budget. Reihman motioned to close the public hearing. Green seconded. Roll Call: Reihman, Green, Roberts. Reihman motioned to approve FY2027 Budget. Green seconded. All ayes. Motion carried.

Other Business: Roberts motioned to approve of the Vision committee Planters that will be displayed throughout the town and be sponsored. Green seconded. All ayes. Motion carried. Roberts motioned to approve moving the time of All Council meetings to 6 pm. Green seconded all ayes. Green got off the phone.

Mayors Report: Nothing to report.

Sheriffs report: Deputy Not present, Nothing to report.

Library Report: March Stats 392 Patrons and 87 Program Attendees. Hosted and intro to Taekwondo program for Wacky Wednesday and had great turnout. Summer reading program is gearing up and Wish List will be posted soon. Currently going through interviews for Part Time position. Windows haven't been completed yet due to weather, may cause closures when it can happen.

Emergency Services Report None no member present.

Public works Report 4 After hour alarms. Scheduled to have our City water tower inside cleaning and inspection done on April 28th. Tower will have to be eliminated for 2 days and be running on pump pressure. Info will be posted in advance to let residents know. Well 5 quit and failed pumping watter to the treatment plan, it is now fixed.

Engineer Report Engineer Sewer plant Alliant Energy called to inform Engineer that Transform is in and will be \$9000. Center Street Bridge Replacement mostly complete. Installing storm sewer now. 56 working days left.

Other Business: 250th Celebration Declaration of Indepence Discussion will move to May's Agenda. David Woodruff running for District 1 County Supervisor- plans to focus on water quality and affordable childcare. Social media @woodruffworks. Road Closures for Light Up Oxford and Car Cruise in will move to May's agenda along with approval of Traveling Tapster License. City Wide Garage Sale move to May's Agenda. Stray Animal contract discussion will move to May's Agenda.

Ordinances and/or Resolution: None.

Public Comments: Greg Erceg running for District 1 County Supervisor, former police officer and special agent. Focusing on seeing a new jail in Johnson County. Business owner Deb Ranshaw asked about 4th of July, informed that this was tabled til next meeting when more of Council was available. Augusta Bridge discussion will be added to May's agenda.

Roberts motioned to adjourn and Reihman seconded. All ayes. Motion Carried. Adjourned at 7:41 PM.

Heather Johnson, Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Taylor Tvedte, City Clerk

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April 2026 Accounts Payables	\$	Fund
Marco	17.32	Library - Printer
UNUM	252.87	General- STD LTD
State Hygienic Lab	535.5	Sewer/Water - Testing
Smith Sanitation	6557.5	General - Garbage Contract
Taylor Construction	\$123,119.68	Center St Bridge
PSC Distribution	45.28	
South Slope	673.27	General - internet/phones
Marco	48.78	Library - Printer
EO Johnson	196.41	General - Printer
The Gazette	248.73	General - Legal Fees
Feld Fire	796	Fire - Supplies
US Cellular	77.64	Water - Water Tower
Washington Pest	80	General- Quarterly Pest Control
Office Express	144.99	Sewer- Toner Sewer Plant
Corridor Energy	802.05	Water/Roads - Electric
MidAmerican Energy	2187.96	General - Gas
The Depot	385	Streets - Gas
The Depot	235	Fire - Gas
Portwood Consulting	800	Water - Operator
Johnson County Sheriff	3211	General - Police Protection
Leaf	150.25	General - Printer
State Chemical Solution	689.16	Sewer- Chemicals
Team Lab	1156	Water - Testing
Chem Sult	665	
EMC Insurance	82207	General - Insurance Renewal
Steve's Electric	642	Sewer- Service Call
VISA	4,236.16	
Total	230160.2	