



Twin Falls City Council Minutes

Monday, February 9, 2026, 5:00 PM

City Council Chambers
203 Main Ave E, Twin Falls, ID 83301

1) Call Meeting to Order/Confirmation of Quorum

Present: Mayor Jason Brown, Vice Mayor Craig Hawkins, Council Members Ruth Pierce, Christopher Reid, Nathan Murray, Cherie Vollmer & Grayson Stone.

Absent:

Staff Present: City Manager Travis Rothweiler, Deputy City Managers Mitch Humble & Gretchen Scott, City Attorney Bruce Castleton, City Clerk Amy Luna, Deputy City Clerk Rachael Long, Assistant City Engineer Lee Glaesmann, Building Official Matthew Long, Police Chief Matthew Hicks, Airport Manager Matt Barnes, Fire Chief Mitchell Brooks, Desktop Support Analyst Kim Hafer

Mayor Brown called the meeting to order at 5:00 PM. A quorum was present.

2) Pledge of Allegiance

Mayor Brown invited all present, who wished, to recite the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

3) Consent Calendar

MOTION: Council Member Vollmer moved to approve the Consent Calendar as presented. **Council Member Pierce** seconded the motion. The roll call vote showed all members present voted in favor of the motion, 7 to 0.

- a) Request to approve City Council February 02, 2026, Minutes.
- b) Request to approve Accounts payable January 22-February 4, 2026.
- c) Request City Council to approve the Special Event Permit for the organizers of the Bunny Brunch.
- d) Request City Council to approve the Special Event Permit for the organizers of the Walk a Mile in her Shoes Annual Event.
- e) Request to approve Findings of Facts and Conclusions of Law for the following:
PZ25-0111 Annexation/Zoning Development Agreement - Cook's Corner
- f) Request to declare city equipment surplus and authorize its sale by online auction.

4) Items of Consideration

- a) Request to Award the Magic Valley Regional Airport Well Drilling Project to Hiddleston and Sons, Inc. in the amount of \$284,525.75

Assistant City Engineer Glaesemann requested to award the Magic Valley Regional Airport Drilling Project to Hiddleston and Sons, Inc. in the amount of \$284,525.75.

Discussion ensued on the following:

Council Member Murray asked if there is any guarantee that the second well wouldn't have contamination?

MOTION: Council Member Reid moved to approve the request to award the Magic Valley Regional Airport Drilling Project to Hiddleston and Sons, Inc. in the amount of \$284,525.75. **Council Member Pierce** seconded the motion. The roll call vote showed all members present voted in favor of the motion, 7 to 0.

- b) Twin Falls School District is requesting a fee waiver for I.B. Perrine Elementary HVAC remodel and upgrade at 452 Caswell Ave W. Permit#25-3965 in the amount of \$26,143.42.
Building Official Long is requesting a fee waiver for I.B. Perrine Elementary Hvac remodel and upgrade at 452 Caswell Ave W. Permit 25-3965 in the amount of \$26143.42 on behalf of the Twin Falls School District.

Discussion ensued on the following: none

MOTION: Council Member Pierce moved to approve the request to approve a fee waiver for I.B. Perrine Elementary Hvac remodel and upgrade at 452 Caswell Ave W. Permit 25-3965 in the amount of \$26143.42 on behalf of the Twin Falls School District. **Council Member Vollmer** seconded the motion. The roll call vote showed all members present voted in favor of the motion, 7 to 0.

5) General Public Input

Maria Hernandez spoke about the appreciation for the College of Southern Idaho Fine Arts Department.

Brad Archibald spoke about electric bikes, saying that they need to follow different laws because they are considered as pedestrians and that he had almost been hit by several E bikes.

Theran Kolp spoke about some app that he was watching at the government should not allow it.

6) Advisory Board Report/Announcements

7) Executive Session

- a) Request to adjourn to Executive Session pursuant to Idaho Code § 74-206(1)(b) To consider the evaluation, dismissal or disciplining of, or to hear complaints or charges brought against, a public officer, employee, staff member or individual agent, or public-school student (f) To communicate with legal counsel for the public agency to discuss the legal ramifications of and legal options for pending litigation, or controversies not yet being litigated but imminently likely to be litigated. The mere presence of legal counsel at an executive session does not satisfy this requirement.

MOTION: Council Member Pierce moved to convene into Executive Session 74206(1)(b) to consider the evaluation, dismissal, or discipline of, or to hear complaints or charges brought against, a public officer, employee, staff member or individual agent, or public-school student (f) To communicate with legal counsel for the public agency to discuss the legal ramifications of and legal options for pending litigation, or controversies not yet being litigated but imminently likely to be litigated. The mere presence of legal counsel at an executive session does not satisfy this requirement. **Council Member Reid** seconded the motion. The roll call vote showed all members present voted in favor of the motion, 7 to 0.

8) Adjournment

The regular meeting was convened at 05:22 PM into Executive session, the meeting ended at 5:50 PM.



Rachael Long, Deputy City Clerk