

**CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
KERRVILLE, TEXAS**

APRIL 14, 2026 6:00 PM

On April 14, 2026 at 6:00 PM, Mayor Joe Herring, Jr. called the Kerrville City Council meeting to order in City Hall Council Chambers, 701 Main Street. Councilmember Brenda Hughes provided the invocation, and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

COUNCILMEMBERS PRESENT:

Mayor Joe Herring, Jr
Councilmember Delayne Sigerman
Councilmember Jeff Harris
Councilmember Kent McKinney
Mayor Pro-Tem Brenda Hughes

COUNCILMEMBERS ABSENT:

None

CITY EXECUTIVE STAFF:

Dalton Rice, City Manager
William Tatsch, Interim City Attorney
Michael Hornes, Asst City Manager
Kim Meisner, Asst City Manager
Shelley McElhannon, City Secretary

Jay Brimhall, Director Parks & Rec
Eric Maloney, Fire Chief
Chris McCall, Police Chief
Drew Paxton, Director of Development

VISITORS PRESENT: A list of the citizen speakers present during the meeting is on file in the City Secretary's Office for the required retention period.

1. ANNOUNCEMENTS OF COMMUNITY INTEREST:

Dalton Rice, Councilmember Delayne Sigerman, Councilmember Jeff Harris, and Councilmember Hughes provided information and announcements.

2. PRESENTATIONS:

2.A Kerrville Firefighter of the Year.

Fire Chief Eric Maloney presented and honored the Kerrville Fire Department's Firefighter of the Year Matthew Wienke.

2.B Commendations of Recognition: Parks and Recreation Advisory Board members.

Mayor Herring presented Commendations to termed Parks and Recreation Advisory Board members Cabe Johnson, Russell Nemky, and Lisa Nye-Salladin.

2.C Proclamation: April 13-20, 2026 as International Dark Sky Week.

Mayor Herring proclaimed the week of April 13 -20, 2026 as Dark Sky Week. The proclamation was received by Sherry Egloff, Jean Nunnally, Todd Nunnally, Sherie O'Neill, Sheryl Pender, and Bill Rector, members Kerr County Friends of the Night Sky.

2.D Parks System Recovery Update.

Jay Brimhall provided information and responded to questions.

3. VISITORS/CITIZENS FORUM: The following person(s) spoke:

- George Baroody

4. CONSENT AGENDA:

Councilmember Harris made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda items 4A, 4B, 4C, and 4D, seconded by Councilmember Sigerman. Motion to approve passed 5-0.

4.A City Council Special-Called meeting minutes March 20, 2026.

4.B City Council workshop minutes March 24, 2026.

4.C City Council meeting minutes March 24, 2026.

4.D City Council Special-Called meeting minutes April 1, 2026.

5. PUBLIC HEARING AND ORDINANCES, FIRST READING:

5.A Ordinance No. 2026-07. An Ordinance amending Chapter 60 of the Code of Ordinances, City of Kerrville, Texas, such Chapter more commonly known as the City's Zoning Code; by amending said code to include adding new definitions, revising setbacks and the off-street parking schedule, adding new supplemental development requirements, revising the land use table, and other amendments as provided herein; providing a cumulative clause; providing for severability; providing an effective date; ordering publication; and providing other matters relating to the subject.

Shelley McElhannon read Ordinance No. 2026-07 caption into record. Drew Paxton provided information and responded to questions. Mayor Herring opened the public hearing at 7:24 p.m. The following person(s) spoke: George Baroody. Mayor Herring closed the public hearing at 7:27 p.m.

City Council provided general consensus to take no action, and directed Drew Paxton to discuss this issue at a workshop. Action on this item delayed.

6. CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION:

6.A Discussion and possible action regarding employment of the City Attorney. (This item eligible for Executive Session 551.074)

Mayor Herring requested this item be discussed in executive session. Item was not discussed in open forum.

6.B Discussion and possible action regarding the Assistant City Attorney position. (This item is eligible for Executive Session 551.074)

Mayor Herring requested this item be discussed in executive session. Item was not discussed in open forum. The following person(s) spoke: George Baroody.

7. EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Councilmember Harris made a motion to convene Executive Session under 551.074, seconded by Councilmember Sigerman. Motion approved 5-0, and at 7:33 p.m. City Council recessed open session and convened into closed Executive Session.

7.A Discussion regarding employment of the City Attorney. (551.074)

7.B Discussion regarding the Assistant City Attorney position. (551.074)

At 8:02 p.m. City Council adjourned Executive Session and reconvened into Open Session. No action was taken during Executive Session.

8. ACTION ON ITEMS DISCUSSED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION, IF ANY.

Employment of the City Attorney. Councilmember Harris made a motion to appoint and/or employ William Tatsch as the City Attorney, seconded by Councilmember Hughes. Motion

approved 4-1 with Councilmember Sigerman, Councilmember Harris, Mayor Herring, and Councilmember Hughes voting in favor, and Councilmember Kent McKinney opposed.

Assistant City Attorney position. Councilmember Hughes made a motion to rescind/vacate the action of eliminating the Assistant City Attorney position, seconded by Councilmember Harris. Motion approved 5-0.

9. ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS:

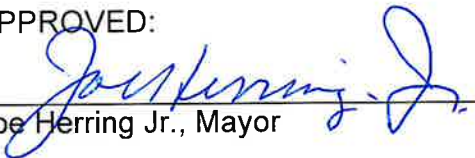
Councilmember Sigerman noted that the Zoning Code amendment ordinance will be discussed in an upcoming workshop.

Councilmember Harris inquired as to the status of a Purple Heart Designated City. Councilmember Harris and Dalton Rice will schedule a meeting.

ADJOURN. Meeting adjourned at 8:04 p.m.

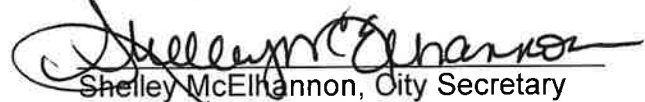
APPROVED BY COUNCIL: 4/28/2026

APPROVED:



Joe Herring Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:



Shelley McElhannon, City Secretary