



City of Galena
211 W 7th St.
Galena Kansas 66739



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REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING 04/07/2025

Event Date/Time Apr 7, 2025 6:00 PM Location City Council Chamber 211 W 7th ST, Galena, KS 66739

CALL TO ORDER

Agenda Item

CALL TO ORDER

Minutes

The regular City Council meeting was called to order on April 7, 2025, at 6:00 pm in the Galena Council Chamber with Mayor Ashley Qualls Groves presiding.

Agenda Item

ROLL CALL/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Minutes

Roll call indicated the following council members present: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Mr. Tracy, Ms. Jordan, Mr. Harding, Mr. LaTurner. Absent: Ms. Jackson

MINUTES

Agenda Item

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES 03/17/2025; FIRE DEPARTMENT MEETING MINUTES 03/27/2025

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[mar272025-firedept.meetingminutes.pdf](#)

Minutes

Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Mr. LaTurner to approve and place on file the regular meeting minutes of 3/17/2025 and the Fire Department meeting minutes of 3/27/2025.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Mr. Tracy, Ms. Jordan, Mr. Harding, Mr. LaTurner

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Jackson

Motion Carries

APPROPRIATIONS

Agenda Item

AP25-04A: \$69,002.20

[claimssummaryreport20250404192850.pdf](#)

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[claimreport20250404192856.pdf](#)

Minutes

Moved by Mr. LaTurner: seconded by Mr. Oglesby to approve and pay appropriations 25-04a in the amount of \$69,002.20.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Mr. Tracy, Ms. Jordan, Mr. Harding, Mr. LaTurner



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Nayes:

Absent: Ms. Jackson

Motion Carries

MAYOR

Agenda Item

CAMPAIGN VIDEO: 3 MINUTES GRANT FUNDING

https://www.nationalfitnesscampaign.com/watch?utm_source=pdearlystageconfirm&utm_medium=email

Minutes

The mayor requests the council to watch the video, and the topic will be discussed later.

CITY ATTORNEY

CODE ENFORCEMENT

Agenda Item

0000 KINGS CIRCLE: SINGLE WIDE TRAILER

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Minutes

Moved by Mr. LaTurner; seconded by Mr. Tracy to approve Resolution 25-04 A RESOLUTION FIXING A TIME AND PLACE PROVIDING FOR NOTICE OF A HEARING BEFORE THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF GALENA, KANSAS, AT WHICH THE OWNER, HIS OR HER AGENT, LIEN HOLDERS OF RECORD, OCCUPANTS AND OTHER PARTIES IN THE INTEREST OF STRUCTURES LOCATED WITHIN SAID CITY AND DESCRIBED HEREIN MAY APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE WHY SUCH STRUCTURE SHOULD NOT BE CONDEMNED AND ORDERED REPAIRED OR DEMOLISHED AS AN UNSAFE OR DANGEROUS STRUCTURE AT 0000 KINGS CIRCLE.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Mr. Tracy, Ms. Jordan, Mr. Harding, Mr. LaTurner

Nayes:

Absent: Ms. Jackson

Motion Carries

NEW BUSINESS

Agenda Item

MELISSA RHODES AND JACOB BRIDGES: CDBG GRANT APPLICATION FOR 118 N MAIN STREET

Minutes

Moved to the next council meeting.

Agenda Item

GARY HOLT: SINGLE WIDE TRAILER 20TH AND WOOD STREET

Minutes

Mr. Holt expressed his concerns on the single wide trailer located at 0000 Kings Circle.

Agenda Item

AARON PERRY AND CASSANDRA RINGEL: PROJECT ON MAIN STREET



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Mr. Perry presented the council with several questions about the Main Street Arch project.

No action taken

Agenda Item

JEREMY BURRIS: PERMISSION AND LOCATION TO HOST A MONTHLY CHICKEN SWAP

Minutes

Mr. Burris requested information on rezoning a property to agriculture.

No action taken.

Agenda Item

GALENA LITTLE LEAGUE: REQUEST FOR \$1000 SPONSORSHIP

Minutes

Moved by Ms. Jordan, seconded by Ms. Reynolds to approve \$1000 sponsorship to the Galena Little League.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Mr. Tracy, Ms. Jordan, Mr. Harding, Mr. LaTurner

Nayes:

Absent: Ms. Jackson

Motion Carries

Agenda Item

ROYCE CANTRELL: PUBLIC CONCERNS

Minutes

Mr. Cantrell chose not to speak on his topic.

No action taken.

OLD BUSINESS

DEPARTMENT HEADS

Agenda Item

RYANS INSURANCE RENEWAL

Minutes

Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Ms. Jordan to approve the Ryans Insurance Renewal in the amount of \$113,935.00.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Mr. Tracy, Ms. Jordan, Mr. Harding, Mr. LaTurner

Nayes:

Absent: Ms. Jackson

Motion Carries

Agenda Item

RESOLUTION CHANGING THE SIGNORS FOR ALL CITY FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS

[resolutionforsignors.pdf](#)

Minutes

Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Ms. Jordan to approve Resolution 25-05, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF GALENA, KANSAS, THE CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF GALENA, KANSAS, THE TREASURER OF THE CITY OF GALENA, KANSAS, AND THE PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF



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GALENA, KANSAS TO BETHE OFFICIAL SIGNORS OF ALL OFFICIAL FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS PERTAINING TO THE CITY OF GALENA, KANSAS AND RESOLUTION 93-8 DATED 05/18/1993 IS HEREBY REPEALED

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Mr. Tracy, Ms. Jordan, Mr. Harding, Mr. LaTurner

Nayes:

Absent: Ms. Jackson

Motion Carries

Agenda Item

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX AT CBT UPDATE

Minutes

Moved by Ms. Jordan; seconded by Mr. LaTurner to add Mayor Ashley Qualls Groves, City Clerk Tracy Roberts, Treasurer Jeri Roberts, and President of Council Robert LaTurner to the safety deposit box located at Community Bank and Trust and remove all previously approved persons.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Mr. Tracy, Ms. Jordan, Mr. Harding, Mr. LaTurner

Nayes:

Absent: Ms. Jackson

Motion Carries

Agenda Item

WATER TOWER PAINTING

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[tankspectowerbid.pdf](#)

Minutes

Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Mr. Tracy to approve the bid from Springfield Tank and Tower in the amount of \$99,320 with the condition of the paint and design be included.

Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Mr. Tracy, Ms. Jordan, Mr. Harding, Mr. LaTurner

Nayes:

Absent: Ms. Jackson

Motion Carries

Agenda Item

ATTORNEY CLIENT EXECUTIVE SESSION

Minutes

Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Ms. Jordan to call a ten (10) minute attorney client executive session for consultation with an attorney for the public body or agency which would be deemed privileged in the attorney-client relationship.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Mr. Tracy, Ms. Jordan, Mr. Harding, Mr. LaTurner

Nayes:

Absent: Ms. Jackson

Motion Carries

Start: 6:52 pm

End: 7:11 pm



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No Action Taken

FINAL BUSINESS

Agenda Item

ADJOURNMENT

Minutes

Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Ms. Jordan to adjourn the regular City Council meeting.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Mr. Tracy, Ms. Jordan, Mr. Harding, Mr. LaTurner

Nayes:

Absent: Ms. Jackson

Motion Carries