# City of Edgewood, Texas
# Council Meeting Minutes

## May 11, 2026 at 6:30pm

Edgewood City Council met in a regular session.

A quorum was formed with Mayor Steve Steadham, Charlie Crabb, Inez Goggans, Chuck Parker, Ruby Smith and Louis Dunn. Staff present were City Administrator Petra Marley, City Secretary Kathleen Jordan, Chief John Morrison and Judge Maria Goggans.

Prayer was led by Pastor David McGlocklin and pledge was led by Ruby Smith.

Certificates of Election, Statements of Elected Officers and Oaths of Office were administered to Mayor Louis Dunn, Incumbent Inez Goggans and Councilmember Codey Barrons who all then took their place in the quorum.

Mayor Dunn presented Stevan Steadham with a plaque of service recognizing his 10 years of service to the City of Edgewood as Mayor.

Mayor Dunn presented the Motorcycle Awareness Proclamation to the Southern Heritage Motorcycle Club Members.

**Guests**: Pastor David McGlocklin, Luke Agesen, Aydenn Zimmerman, Stephanie Williams and Southern Heritage Motorcycle Club members Crow, Scuba Steve and Cooky.

**Open Forum/Citizen Comments:** N/A

**Consent Agenda:**
Upon a motion made by council members Parker and Smith, the council voted to approve the Consent Agenda consisting of the April 13, 2026 council minutes and paying of the April expenses.
**Motion Carried 5-0**

**New Business:**

1. Discuss and consider action on nominating a Mayor Pro-Tem. Smith nominated Inez Goggans and was seconded by Crabb.
   **Motion Passed: 5-0**
2. Discuss and consider action on Edgewood Historical Society's request for its annual Heritage Festival on November 14, 2026 to be designated a "Special Civic Event" pursuant to Ordinance #081808. Parker motioned to approve the annual request and was seconded by Goggans.
   **Motion Passed: 5-0**
3. Discuss and consider action on renting 6 port-a-pots to include 1 ADA for the Heritage Festival on November 14, 2026. Goggans motioned to approve the contribution of the port-a-pots and was seconded by Smith.
   **Motion Passed: 5-0**
4. Discuss and consider action on Resolution 20260511 requesting specific street closures downtown for the Heritage Festival on November 14, 2026. This resolution is necessary for the TxDOT application to close N Houston (FM 859)

during the Heritage Festival. Barrons motioned to approve and was seconded by Parker.
**Motion Passed: 5-0**

5. Discuss and consider action on removing Stevan Steadham as an authorized Signer for all City of Edgewood checking accounts to now appoint Louis Dunn as an authorized signer on all same said accounts. Smith motioned to approve the removal of Steadham and approval of Dunn and was seconded by Parker.
**Motion Passed: 5-0**
6. Discuss and consider action on closing the Municipal Court Security Fund in the amount of $0.22 plus an additional interest and returning the funds to the General Fund Operating Account. This account, by law, can no longer receive funds from paid court citations and has been expended to near $0.00. Smith motioned to close the account and was seconded by Crabb.
**Motion Passed: 5-0**
7. Discuss and consider action on closing the Municipal Court Technology Fund in the amount of $23.06 plus an additional interest and returning the funds to the General Fund Operating Account. This account, by law, can no longer receive funds from paid court citations and has been expended to near $0.00. Barrons motioned to close the account and was seconded by Goggans.
**Motion Passed: 5-0**
8. Discuss and consider action on opening the Edgewood Police Department Civic Event Fund with Signers being Louis Dunn, Petra Marley and Kathleen Jordan. The account will be for donations and expenses in relation to Edgewood Police Department community events. Barrons motioned to approve opening the new account with authorized signers and was seconded by Goggans.
**Motion Passed: 5-0**

**Executive Session: The City Council reserves the right to meet in closed session in accordance with Texas Government Code, Subchapter3, Section 551.074 Deliberation of Personnel Matters.**

9. Discuss and consider action on the interviewing and hiring of the City Administrator. Council entered in to executive session at 6:44 and reconvened at 8:02 pm. After interviewing the present candidates, Parker motioned to approve the hiring of Maria Goggans and was seconded by Goggans (no relation).
**Motion Passed: 5-0**

Departmental reports were given by Administrator Marley, Secretary Jordan, Chief Morrison, and Judge Goggans.

Upon a motion made by council members Smith and Goggans, the council voted to adjourn the Edgewood City Council meeting at 8:14 p.m.
**Motion Carried 5-0**

Louis A. Dunn
**Mayor**

Kathleen Jordan
**City Secretary**