

ASHLAND CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
JUNE 01, 2026

The Ashland City Council met for a Regular Meeting on Monday, June 1, 2026, at 5:30 P.M. in the Ashland City Hall Auditorium with Mayor Larry J. Fetner presiding. Council Members present were Dianne Ballard, Traskey Ford, Jessica Heath, Annette Gaither, and Tommy Cantrell. Also present were City Clerk/Administrator Chelsey Wynn, and Assistant City Clerk/Court Clerk Robin Catrett.

City Clerk/Administrator Wynn called roll and deemed a quorum present.

Council Member Ford and Parks & Recreation/Youth Sports Director Ward were absent. Maintenance Supervisor Stinson, Fire Chief Nelson, and Police Chief Stanford were absent due to weather.

Mayor Fetner called the meeting to order and gave the invocation.

Council Member Cantrell made a motion to approve the agenda. Council Member Ballard seconded the motion, and all votes were unanimous.

Council Member Heath made a motion to approve the previous regular meeting minutes. Council Member Gaither seconded the motion, and all votes were unanimous.

Informational:

Committee Reports:

Mayor Fetner requested Council Members ask all business to stay open for America 250 events on July 4, 2026.

Council Member Ballard did not report.

Council Member Heath reported on sign options for Ashland City Park.

Council Member Gaither did not report.

Council Member Cantrell did not report.

New Business:

Council Member Cantrell made a motion approving the bills received since the last regular meeting in the amount of \$5,199.79. Council Member Ballard seconded the motion, and all votes were unanimous.

Council Member Heath made motion approving to pay Law Office of Gregor Varner \$7,004.50 for April Attorney Fees. Council Member Cantrell seconded the motion, and all votes were unanimous.

Council Member Ballard made a motion to pay Valent Group \$2,787.00 for renewal of cyber insurance policy. Council Member Gaither seconded the motion, and all votes were unanimous.

Council Member Gaither made a motion approving to pay Stericycle \$1,491.24 for Shred-It event. Council Member Heath seconded the motion, and all votes were unanimous.

Council Member Gaither made a motion approving to give Dispatcher Braden Jones and evaluation-based raise to Range 11 Step 3 effective May 23, 2026. Council Member Ballard seconded the motion, and all votes were unanimous.

Old Business:

Resolutions, Orders, Ordinances, and Other Business:

There being no further business Council Member Cantrell made a motion to adjourn. Council Member Ballard seconded the motion, and all votes were unanimous.

Mayor

Attest