

CITY OF GORDON, TEXAS

MINUTES OF CALLED CITY COUNCIL MEETING

August 31, 2026 - 6:00 PM
Community Center, 201 Houston St., Gordon, Texas 76453

Meeting called to order at:	6:00 PM	Meeting adjourned at:	6:41 pm
Mayor/Presiding Officer:	Rick Speer, Mayor	Minutes prepared by:	Teresa Johnson
Quorum present:	☒ Yes ☐ No	Meeting type:	Called Meeting

ATTENDANCE

Council Member / Staff	Title	Present / Absent	Notes
Rick Speer	Mayor	☒ Present ☐ Absent	
Michelle Griffith	Mayor Pro Tem	☒ Present ☐ Absent	
Alex Bernon	Alderman	☒ Present ☐ Absent	
Marcus Hinkson	Alderman	☒ Present ☐ Absent	
Jennifer Lousha	Alderman	☐ Present ☒ Absent	
Christeen Milmo	Alderman	☒ Present ☐ Absent	
Teresa Johnson	City Secretary/Administrator	☒ Present ☐ Absent	

Other in attendance: - Margret Griffith

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Called Meeting of the Governing Body of the City of Gordon, Texas, was called to order at 6:00 PM by
Mayor, Rick Speer.

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public comments received: None

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor, Rick Speer.

4. INVOCATION

The invocation was given by Mayor, Rick Speer.

5. NEW BUSINESS

Discuss & Act Upon a Proposed Tax Rate for City Property Tax for 2026-27- Margret Griffith

Council reviewed the 2026 Truth-in-Taxation information supplied by the Palo Pinto County Tax Assessor-Collector. The packet identifies the No-New-Revenue Rate as \$0.2315954 per \$100 and the Voter-Approval Tax Rate identified in the Tax Assessor-Collector's cover letter as \$0.2482554 per \$100. The City's 2025 adopted rate was \$0.2500000 per \$100.

2026 Proposed Tax Rate	\$ 0.2482553 per \$100
Motion made by	Marcus Hinkson
Seconded by	Michelle Griffith
Motion	☒ Passed ☐ Failed ☐ Tabled ☐ No Action
Vote	For: <u>4</u> Against: <u>0</u> Abstain: <u>0</u> Absent: <u>1</u>
Adoption Meeting	Date: <u>September 28, 2026</u> Time: <u>6:00</u> Location: Gordon Community Center - 201 Houston St. Gordon Tx 76453

6. ADJOURN

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:41 pm.

CERTIFICATION / APPROVAL

These minutes were approved by the City Council of the City of Gordon, Texas, on September 8, 2026, 2026.



Mayor / Presiding Officer

Date: 9/8/2026



City Secretary / City Administrator

Date: 9/8/2026
