

City of Oak Ridge
Kaufman County, Texas
City Council Meeting Minutes
June 22, 2026 at 6:00 PM

Item 1 **Call to Order**

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Paul Hullar at 6:02 PM on June 22, 2026. Present were, Mayor Pro Tem, Jimmy Quick, Council Members - Rolando Guzman, Janelle Davis, and Scherri Holmes. Chief Bill Weatherly and City Administrator, Karen Stacey were also in attendance. Council Member Nena Langford was absent.

Item 2 **The Pledge of Allegiance**

Mayor Paul Hullar led the group in saying the Pledge of Allegiance.

Item 3 **Citizen Input – (3 Minute Limit)**

Citizens Curtis and Karen White, Bryan White, Kerry Guzman and Justin and Keri Aldeza were present.

Justin spoke and inquired if the council would be opposed to an Ice Cream truck running in the city limits of the City of Oak Ridge before he spends a lot of money on the vehicle. The main input from council was Insurance, and Food Handler licenses. Council liked their concept and would when the time comes be prepared to issue a permit for operation within the City.

Kerry Guzman has a stray dog that she is caring for if we know of anyone in the community who would like to have him. Dogs are frequently “Dumped” within the city. Council advised her the city does not operate our own shelter. The Kaufman “County” not the Kaufman “City” shelter is our only resource but the are always full and do not respond even though it is believed our city does contribute to the County income that does ultimately fund the Kaufman “County” shelter.

Item 4 **Discuss, Consider and take Action on setting the City of Oak Ridge Property Tax Rate for 2026**

After discussion at the 5:45 PM Public Hearing, motion was made by Paul Hullar and seconded by Janelle Davis to approve lowering the City of Oak Ridge property tax rate from \$.13 per 100 dollar valuation to \$.128 per 100 dollar valuation. All others being in favor, motion carried.

Item 5 **Discussion on Code Enforcement - (Donnie Spradlin)**

- Blackjack Oak dog got out again, dog at large is now in the ticket writers.
- No parking signs are going up.
- Water Oak lots have tall gras violations.
- Donnie rode with Loesch and there are some cars on blocks with out of date tags in the community.

Item 6 **Discussion on Police Department - (Chief, Bill Weatherly)**

- FBI BOLO’s – Fifa matches
- 4th of July is the 250th anniversary of the country, will be out and about to keep citizens safe.
- Karen to order Bulletin Board/TCOLE has a lot of new requirements.
- After July 20th, Captain Clell Murray to work once per month.
- Speeds have been coming down on violations.

Item 7 **Discuss, Consider, take Action to Approve Council Meeting Minutes of June 8, 2026**

Motion was made by Scherri Holmes and seconded by Janelle Davis to approve City Council Meeting Minutes of June 8, 2026. All others being in favor, motion carried.

Motion was made by Scherri Holmes and seconded by Janelle Davis to approve Bills/Invoices of June 22, 2026. All others being in favor, motion carried.

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None at this time.

Motion was made by Scherri Holmes and seconded by Jimmy Quick to adjourn the meeting at 6:57 PM. All being in favor, meeting adjourned.

Paul Hullar, Mayor

Karen Stacey, City Secretary