

Mayor's Advisory Council

Minutes

March 11, 2025

6:00 p.m.

The Mayor's Advisory Council meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. Members present, left to right: Yvonne Shanklin, Roy Estes (late), Kristen Sallberg, De'Carlo Garcia, Jennifer Sweeney, and Ray Neldon.

1. Called to Order

President Kristen Sallberg called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

The attendees present recited the Pledge.

3. Approval of the Agenda

Ray Nelson motioned to approve the agenda, and Jennifer Sweeney seconded.

4. Action Items

4.1 Election of Vice-President: Ray Nelson has been nominated to become the new vice-president. Yvonne made the motion, and De'Carlo Garcia seconded.

4.2 Approval of January 14, 2025, minutes- A motion was made to amend January and February's minutes.

5. Member's Time

5.1 Crestview Resource Center- Pastor Ed Parker presents on the Crestview Resource Center located at 798 Martin Luther King Jr Ave.

5.2 2025 MAC Activities- Tree planting- Following Sheila Dunning's passing at the Extension Office, it was suggested that we plant a tree in her honor.

5.3 City Beautification Efforts- There is a proposal to revive the gardening club, and some citizens and businesses are interested in participating in a "Yard of the Month" competition.

5.4 Civics Educational Videos & City Leads Podcast- This will be tabled for a later date.

5.5 Public Notice Signs on Properties to be developed- Concerns have been raised about roadside developmental signs distracting drivers.

5.6 Preparation for Next Year's 250th anniversary of DAR- The Governor assigned Representative Pat Maney to coordinate with NWFLC.

5.7 April- Community Paramedic Program Speaker- They are projected to speak next month.

6. Mayor's Minute

6.1 Torch Run- March 12, 2025.

6.2 Healing Hoofsteps- Therapeutic Equine therapy.

6.3 Community Conversation on Substance Abuse- Put on by OCHIP Healthy Communities, on Thursday, March 13th at the Community Center.

6.4 Blue Wahoo's- The Blue Wahoo's have reached out to the city to invite them to a city night game featuring Crestview. Tickets can be purchased online and the event takes place on June 5th.

6.5 Mayor's Prayer Breakfast- Flyer to come. Brigadier General Chaplain Pete Zalewski will speak.

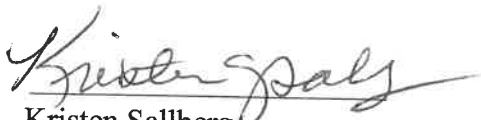
7. Adjournment

7.1 Jessie Graves would like to thank the mayor for all he has done in Crestview for its citizens.

7.2 Jillian Harker would like to highlight the outdated city website.

7.3 Kristen Sallberg Adjourned the meeting at 7:13 p.m.

Minutes approve this 13th day of May 2025.


Kristen Sallberg
President


JB Whitten
Mayor

Minutes submitted by,
Dominique Vaughn, Executive Assistant