

**MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF GONZALES, STATE OF LOUISIANA,  
TAKEN ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 2026, 5:30 P.M.,  
AT CITY HALL, 120 S. IRMA BLVD, GONZALES, LA 70737.**

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Timothy "Tim" Riley, Mayor  
Councilman Kirk Boudreaux  
Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James

Councilman Tyler Turner  
Councilwoman Terri Lambert  
Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr.

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

ALSO PRESENT:

Anthony Keller, City Clerk  
Allen V. Davis, City Attorney

Chief Sherman Jackson  
Terri Delatorre, Administrative Secretary

Motion by Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., seconded by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, to approve the minutes of a Public Hearing of the Mayor and City Council taken on Monday, January 12, 2026.

YEAS: Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert, Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr.,

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tyler Turner, seconded by Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., to approve the minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Mayor and City Council taken on Monday, January 12, 2026.

YEAS: Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert, Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr.,

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

February 2026 was recognized as Black History Month.

Motion by Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., seconded by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, to defer approval of the 2026 Holiday Schedule and Administrative Day Off pending legal review.

YEAS: Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert, Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr.,

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tyler Turner, seconded by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, to approve Mayor's recommendation to appoint Preston Landry as Fire Chief.

YEAS: Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert, Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr.,

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, seconded by Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., to approve the renewal of the Professional Services Contract between the City of Gonzales and All South Consulting Engineers, LLC.

YEAS: Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert, Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr.,

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Anthony Keller, City Clerk, invited anyone to come forward who wished to speak on Item No. 11 – Approve the IGA between the City of Gonzales and Ascension Parish allowing the Parish to use City owned and operated baseball and softball fields.

Zach Boudreaux, 14117 Shadow Ridge Lane, came forward to speak and expressed his approval of the IGA.

Jason Adams, 1943 S. Burnside, came forward to speak and expressed his approval of the IGA.

Randell Williams, 1129 S. Sky Ave., came forward to speak and submitted a comment card stating that he was undecided regarding the IGA.

Motion by Councilwoman Terri Lambert, seconded by Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, to deny approval of the IGA between the City of Gonzales and Ascension Parish allowing the Parish to use City owned and operated baseball and softball fields.

YEAS: Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert

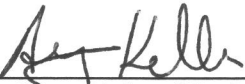
NAYS: Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr. ABSENT: NONE

There being no further business to come before the City Council and upon a motion duly made and seconded, the Meeting was adjourned.



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Timothy "Tim" Riley, Mayor

ATTEST:



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Anthony Keller, City Clerk