



**Mona City Council Meeting Minutes**  
**Tuesday, March 24, 2026**  
**Mona City Council Room – 20 West Center**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Troy Painter - Mayor  
Devan Ingram - Councilmember  
Kris Kay - Councilmember  
Alesha Newton - Councilmember  
Tony Openshaw - Councilmember  
Kevin Squire – Councilmember

**MEMBERS ABSENT:**

**STAFF PRESENT** Linda Steele – Finance Director  
Alicia Hills – Recorder/Clerk

**OTHERS PRESENT:** Jobina Davis; Joshua Davis; Myrna Trauntvein, Times News Reporter; Tiffinie McAfee; Rob McAfee; Steve Kay; Dan Fechner, Jones and Demille Engineer; Tyler Voorhees; Marty Palmer; Clinton Painter; Marvin Kenison; Shay Morrison, R6 Community Advisor; Jeanette Southward; Arlene Bassett; Kristin Miller; Tyler Henrie

Mayor Troy Painter called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

**Opening prayer/Pledge of Allegiance:**

Councilmember Squire led the Pledge of Allegiance.  
Mayor Painter led the prayer.

**Approval of Minutes:**

Councilmember Openshaw motioned to approve the City Council Work Session Minutes of March 10, 2026, as written. Councilmember Squire seconded the motion. The Mona City Council roll call votes to approve the City Council Work Session Minutes of March 10, 2026, were as follows:

Councilmember Ingram:	Aye
Councilmember Kay:	Aye
Councilmember Newton	Aye
Councilmember Openshaw:	Aye
Councilmember Squire:	Aye

Councilmember Ingram motioned to approve the City Council Meeting Minutes of March 10, 2026, as written. Councilmember Newton seconded the motion. The Mona City Council roll call votes to approve the City Council Meeting Minutes of March 10, 2026, were as follows:

Councilmember Ingram:	Aye
Councilmember Kay:	Aye



Councilmember Newton	Aye
Councilmember Openshaw:	Aye
Councilmember Squire:	Aye

**Action Items:**

- Resolution 2026-7: Establishing the Mona City Youth Council and Adopting Bylaws  
Councilmember Squire motioned to approve Ordinance 2026-7, Establishing the Mona City Youth Council and Adopting Bylaws. Councilmember Ingram seconded the motion. The Mona City Council roll call votes to approve Ordinance 2026-7 were as follows:

Councilmember Ingram:	Aye
Councilmember Kay:	Aye
Councilmember Newton	Aye
Councilmember Openshaw:	Aye
Councilmember Squire:	Aye

**Miscellaneous Items:**

Faylyn Warnick - Centracom Community Service Project:

Ms. Warnick addressed the Council and requested ideas for a service project that employees of Centracom could do for Mona City. The following suggestions were given:

- Clean up around the Mona Fire Station and City Shop
- Cut down the baseball field backstop for pickleball courts
- Clean up around the freeway entrance
- Sand and paint north bleachers on ball field

Juab County Commissioners – Representative for Fire District

The Juab County Commissioners introduced themselves and reported on two topics:

1. The Fire District needs a Mona City representative. The Fire District meetings are every third Thursday of the month at 7pm.
2. The Main Street Project is slated to start the first of August. 1.3 miles of Main Street will be updated.

R6 Community Advisor Shay Morrison

- Morrison reported that the Community Impact Board (CIB) needs the projects submitted by May 1<sup>st</sup>. He reiterated that he is willing to help Councilmember Squire with the project list if needed.
- Mayor Troy Painter asked Morrison if he knew of any grants that could be obtained to cover sewer improvement costs? Morrison stated that he would look into the options.
- Morrison gave pricing and information concerning three city code hosting programs. Recorder Hills stated that she would look into the programs and get pricing for the Council.



**Secretary**

Secretary Dalton was unable to attend the meeting.

**Finance:**

- Approval of Finances

Finance Director Linda Steele presented the finances from March 10, 2026 through March 24, 2026 and answered Council questions about them.

Councilmember Ingram motioned to approve the finances for March 10, 2026 through March 24, 2026. Councilmember Kay seconded the motion. The Mona City Council roll call votes to approve the finances were as follows:

Councilmember Ingram:	Aye
Councilmember Kay:	Aye
Councilmember Newton:	Aye
Councilmember Openshaw:	Aye
Councilmember Squire:	Aye

**Recorder:**

Citizen Request for Pickleball Court Lights:

Recorder Hills stated that she has been contacted by two residents who would like lights on the new pickleball courts. The Council stated that they would review the cost and make a decision about lighting.

ESET Software Security System Purchase:

Recorder Hills told the Council that in the past the Juab County Sheriff's Department purchased a security software for the City through a grant. She alerted the Council that there is limited funding available but the software needs to be renewed. She stated that she will look into the cost of renewing the program and talk with the Sheriff's Department about any funding.

**Gas, Roads, and Water:**

Councilmember Ingram reported that interviews are currently being conducted for the roads and water position, and jobs will be extended within the next couple of weeks. He also stated that the parks maintenance position is still open but applicants must be 18 years old.

**Sewer:**

Councilmember Kay stated that there is nothing to report

**Council Business:**

Councilmember Newton:

Councilmember Newton stated that after application for the Juab 2025-2026 Juab Tourism Grant, the City received \$2000. She mentioned that on the bottom of the Easter flyer it has logos for the "Life Elevated" and "Juab Is", which are part of the grant. She stated that Michelle is also applying for additional \$1,200 for the America 250 Celebration.



The Council approved the Mona City 2026 Celebration theme, which will be “Stars, Stripes, & 250 Years”.

She stated that the Easter flyer is up and banners will be placed around town. She invited Council to attend the Easter Celebration on Friday April 3<sup>rd</sup> and Saturday April 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 am to help set out eggs.

Councilmember Newton also requested the approval of up to \$14,000 for the purchase of fireworks for the Mona City Celebration. Recorder Hills stated that she would put the request for a vote on the next meeting agenda.

Councilmember Squire had nothing to report.

Councilmember Openshaw stated that the water is on in the Snack Shack and that he will be replacing the chains on swings and put bark under them in park.

Councilmember Ingram had nothing to report.

Councilmember Kay had nothing to report.

**Public Comment:**

Marty Palmer – Juab County Commissioner

Commissioner Palmer stated that he is running for reelection and gave information about himself and his reasons for running for reelection.

Drake Underwood – Juab County Lieutenant

Mr. Underwood stated that he is currently running for Juab County Sheriff and gave his reasoning for running.

**Adjournment:**

Councilmember Ingram made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:02 pm.

Councilmember Kay seconded the motion. The Council's vote to adjourn the meeting at 8:02 pm was as follows:

Councilmember Ingram:	Aye
Councilmember Kay:	Aye
Councilmember Newton:	Aye
Councilmember Openshaw:	Aye
Councilmember Squire:	Aye



**Closed Executive Meeting:**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Troy Painter - Mayor  
Devan Ingram - Councilmember  
Kris Kay - Councilmember  
Alesha Newton - Councilmember  
Tony Openshaw - Councilmember  
Kevin Squire – Councilmember

OTHERS PRESENT Alicia Hills – Recorder/Clerk

Councilmember Ingram made a motion to open the closed executive meeting at 8:15 pm. Councilmember Kay seconded the motion. The Council's vote to open the meeting at 8:15 pm was as follows:

Councilmember Ingram: Aye  
Councilmember Kay: Aye  
Councilmember Newton: Aye  
Councilmember Openshaw: Aye  
Councilmember Squire: Aye

The purpose of the Closed Executive Session is in accordance with Utah Code 52-4-205. A sworn closed meeting statement was signed by Mayor Painter and notarized by Recorder Hills (see attached). The meeting was called to discuss the following:

- The character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an individual.
- Hold a strategy session to discuss pending or reasonably imminent litigation.

Councilmember Ingram made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:10 pm. Councilmember Kay seconded the motion. The Council's vote to adjourn the meeting at 8:02 pm was as follows:

Councilmember Ingram: Aye  
Councilmember Kay: Aye  
Councilmember Newton: Aye  
Councilmember Openshaw: Aye  
Councilmember Squire: Aye

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Troy Painter, Mayor

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Alicia Hills, Mona City Recorder

Date of approval: \_\_\_\_\_