CITY OF AZTEC COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES Tuesday May 27, 2025

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Michael A. Padilla Sr. called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm at Aztec City Hall, 201 W. Chaco, Aztec NM 87410

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Invocation led by Commissioner King
United States Pledge of Allegiance led by Commissioner Crowley
New Mexico pledge of Allegiance led by Commissioner Crowley

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Mayor Michael A. Padilla, Sr.; Mayor Pro-Tem Kenneth

George; and Commissioner Jim Crowley; Commissioner

Colby King

Members Absent: Commissioner Austin Randall

Others Present: City Manager Jeff Blackburn; City Clerk Karla Sayler; City

Attorney Nann Winter

APPROVAL OF AGENDA ITEMS

MOVED by Mayor Pro-Tem George to APPROVE Consent Agenda, SECONDED by Commissioner Crowley

All Voted Aye: Motion Passed Four to Zero

CONSENT AGENDA

- A. Commission Meeting Workshop Minutes May 13, 2025
- B. Commission Meeting Minutes May 13, 2025
- C. Resolution 2025-1494 Disbursements and Deposits for the period ending April 30, 2025
- D. Resolution 2025-1495 Authorizing Renewal/Closing of Time Certificates for Deposit for City (High Desert CU)
- E. Resolution 2025-1496 Notification to County Clerk of Positions to be Filled at Regular Local Election November 4, 2025

MOVED by Mayor Pro-Tem George to APPROVE Consent Agenda, SECONDED by Commissioner Crowley

All Voted Aye: Motion Passed Four to Zero

ITEMS REMOVED FROM CONSENT AGENDA

NONE

CITIZENS INPUT

NONE

BUSINESS ITEMS

A. Intent to Adopt Ordinance 2025-559 Amending Chapter 30, Article 1, Section 30-1-6

MOVED by Mayor Padilla to APPROVE Intent to Adopt Ordinance 2025-559 Amending Chapter 30, Article 1, Section 30-1-6; SECONDED by Commissioner Crowley

A Roll Call was Taken:

Those Voting Aye: Commissioner King

Commissioner Crowley Mayor Pro-Tem George

Mayor Padilla

Those Voting Nay: NONE

All Voted Aye: Motion Passed Four to Zero

COMMISSIONER, CITY MANAGER, DEPARTMENT REPORT

The City Manager provided and reviewed the GRT report and reported that it was up 35%. He mentioned that the bid for paving at Riverside may have to go out for rebid.

The Community Development Director Andrew DiCamillo updated the commission that the Aztec Downtown Association is moving forward, they are officially a 501c3.

Electric Director John Wheeler had updates for the commission regarding;

Ancient Trails Substation

- Tap for 345-line design and cost
- Hartman Park lighting

Commissioner Crowley inquired about the projects from the original list that John had presented and asked for an update on the recent outages in Aztec. Mayor Pro-Tem asked about the possibility of connecting to Farmington's 115 kV line and requested figures for that option, as well as for the 345 kV line. He also expressed interest in exploring the possibility of acquiring generators for the city.

Project Manager Jeric Jaramillo had updates on the current projects;

- ADA ramps (Commissioner Crowley questioned if state funds were requested for this project. Jeric reported that they did not request funding this year and that next year they will request if the funds are available)
- Williams Arroyo repair
- Arterial Phase III

Mayor Pro-Tem is pleased that repairs are finally underway on the money-saving bridge.

ADJOURNMENT

MOVED by Mayor Pro-Tem George and SECONDED by Commissioner King to adjourn the meeting at 6:20 pm

Mayor Michael A. Padilla, Sr.

MINUTES PREPARED BY:

Alisha Jaramillo, Administrative Assistant

ATTEST: