

**CITY OF BALLINGER**  
**CITY COUNCIL AGENDA**  
CITY HALL, 700 RAILROAD AVENUE  
BALLINGER, TEXAS 76821

**MONDAY MAY 18, 2026, at 5:30 p.m.**

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Ballinger will provide for reasonable accommodations for persons attending City Council meetings. To better serve you, requests should be received 48 hours prior to the meetings. Please call 325-365-3511.

**All items are subject to action. The Council reserves the right to meet in a closed session on any agenda item should the need arise, pursuant to Title 5, Chapter 551, of the Texas Government Code.**

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

**2. PRAYER AND PLEDGES**

**3. CITIZEN PRESENTATIONS FOR ITEMS NOT ON AGENDA**

Any citizen who desires to address the City Council on a matter not included on the agenda may do so at this time. Please register on the sign-in sheet. Per the Texas Open Meetings Act, the City Council may not deliberate on items presented under this agenda item and can only provide factual information in response to an inquiry or recite existing policy or consider placing the item on a future agenda. All presentations are subject to a three (3) minute time limit.

**4. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS OTHER THAN A PUBLIC HEARING**

Council will call on any citizen who has signed up to speak on the sign-in sheet on an agenda item when that item is being considered.  
All comments are subject to a three (3) minute time limit.

**5. CONSENT AGENDA**

Approve minutes of the April 20, 2025 meeting.

**6. REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND/OR ACTION**

- a. Emitter Contract and information
- b. Request to apply for Airport layout grant FY2027-(estimated 90/10 grant)
- c. Consider approval of location for Fireworks show
- d. Consider request from Glory Road Cowboy Church for Glory road property lease
- e. Vacating alley at 1308 N Broadway and 1306 N 6<sup>th</sup>
- f. Resolution to designate Susan Halford, Tax Assessor, to set 2025-2026 tax rate
- g. Resolution to apply for Texas Water Development Board HB 500- Grant for water infrastructure improvements

**7. DEPARTMENT REPORTS**

- a. Public Works Update: Cord Bowman
- b. Public Utilities Update: David Brem
- c. Public Safety Update: Chief Ray Cornutt
- d. City Manager: Lindsey Gayoso

**8. FUTURE ITEMS TO CONSIDER**

**9. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The City Council reserves the right to convene into executive session at any time during the meeting to discuss any matters listed, as authorized by the Texas Government Code.

**a. Section 551.071 Consultation with City Attorney** (To seek the advice of its attorney about pending or contemplated litigation, settlement offers, or any matter in which the duty of the attorney to the City Council under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of Texas clearly conflict with the Texas Open Meetings Act).

**1. Ballinger Volunteer Fire Department**

**b. Section 551.072 Deliberations about real property** (The Council may consider the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property).

**1. Lot 3, 4, and 5 block 64 OT Ballinger**

**2. Lot 4 in Block 6 Elm Heights**

**c. Section 551.074 Personnel Matters.** The City Council may consider appointment, employment, compensation, reassignment, duties, discipline or dismissal of public officers or employees.


**1. Nominations of Airport Advisory Board**

**10. Reconvene and take action if needed executive session.**

**11. Adjourn.**

**CERTIFICATION**

I CERTIFY THAT the above notice of meeting was posted on the bulletin board at the City Hall, on this the 12<sup>th</sup> day of May 2026 at 4:30 p.m., in accordance with the Open Meeting Laws of the State of Texas, Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

  
**Lindsey Gayoso**  
City Secretary/City Manager

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