

**CITY OF WILMORE MINUTES**  
**March 2, 2026**

The Wilmore City Council convened for a regular session on Monday, March 2, 2026, at 6:00 p.m., with Mayor Harold Rainwater presiding. Present were Councilmembers Leonard Fitch, Jim Brumfield, David Riel, Andy Bathje, Wes Metcalfe, Sharon Moore, and City Attorney Robert Gullette, III.

**Approval of Minutes**

Councilmember Riel moved, seconded by Councilmember Brumfield, to approve the minutes of February 2, 2025. There was no discussion, all members voted aye.

**Mayor's Report**

Councilmember Bathje presented Attorney Kimberly Barnard Ostroske (Barnard Law Office PLLC) with a Wilmore Business Award Certificate and a Visa gift card in appreciation of her investment in Wilmore.

Kelli Oakley with The Salute to Service Organization updated the council on the upcoming Flag Day Celebration in collaboration with The City of Wilmore and Thomson-Hood Veterans Center.

Mayor Rainwater informed the council and audience of the Wilmore Free Methodist Gallery celebrating the 150 years of the establishment of the city.

**Old Business**

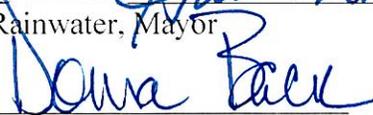
**ORDINANCE 2026-1 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 423-94 RELATING TO THE CITY OF WILMORE CODE OF ETHICS REVISING THE CODE OF ETHICAL CONDUCT APPLICABLE TO CITY OFFICERS, EMPLOYEES, AND CITY AGENCIES; AND DEFINING THE AUTHORITY, DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CITY ETHICS BOARD** 1<sup>st</sup> Reading – Councilmember Bathje moved, seconded by Councilmembers Riel and Moore to approve the 1<sup>st</sup> reading of the ordinance. There was no discussion, all members voted aye.

Department Directors updated the council on ongoing projects within their departments.

Councilmember Brumfield made the motion to adjourn at 6:51 p.m.

**Respectfully submitted,**

Presiding Officer:   
Harold Rainwater, Mayor

Attest:   
Donna Back, City Clerk