



DIXON CITY COUNCIL MEETING

American Legion
100 W 5th Street
March 9, 2026

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 6:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Mary Wiles (Mayor), Mike Parsons, Anthony Campbell, Dan Milligan, Justin Thompson, Trevor Warnol, Leonna Coffman
Quorum (6-0)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

(All present stood for Pledge)

INVOCATION

Casey McKinnon gave invocation.

ADOPT THE AGENDA

Justin Thompson made a motion to adopt the agenda; Mike Parsons seconded the motion. Roll call to vote: Mike Parsons, Anthony Campbell, Dan Milligan, Justin Thompson, Trevor Warnol, Leonna Coffman
Motion Carried (6-0)

RATIFY FEBRUARY 2026 BILLS

Justin Thompson made the motion to approve February 2026 bills; Anthony Campbell seconded the motion. Roll call to vote: Mike Parsons, Anthony Campbell, Dan Milligan, Justin Thompson, Trevor Warnol, Leonna Coffman (6-0)

APPROVE MINUTES FOR FEBRUARY 2, 2026; FEBRUARY 17, 2026; & FEBRUARY 26, 2026

Motion was made by Justin Thompson to approve the minutes for February 2026; Leonna Coffman seconded the Motion. Roll call to vote: Mike Parsons (abstained from February 2, 2026), Anthony Campbell (abstained from February 17, 2026), Dan Milligan (abstained from February 26, 2026), Justin Thompson, Trevor Warnol (abstained from February 17, 2026 & February 26, 2026), Leonna Coffman.
Motion Carried for February 2, 2026 (5-1 one abstention)
Motion Carried for February 17, 2026 (4-2 two abstentions)
Motion Carried for February 26, 2026 (4-2 two abstentions)

PUBLIC HEARING: DIXON CEMETERY ANNEXATION

Jessica Goodwin explained that the annexation was to assist the cemetery in prosecuting individuals for vandalism by being able to report incidents to the Dixon Police Department instead of waiting for the



Sheriff's department. She stated they would still maintain the cemetery but may call on the city for assistance occasionally. Ms. Goodwin also thanked the Public Works crew for plowing snow for a funeral in January.

BILL 2026-0087: FIRST READING OF TITLE ONLY AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING AND ENACTING A NEW CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF DIXON, COUNTY OF PULASKI, STATE OF MISSOURI; ESTABLISHING THE SAME; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CERTAIN ORDINANCES NOT INCLUDED THEREIN, EXCEPT AS HEREIN EXPRESSLY PROVIDED; PROVIDING FOR THE MANNER OF AMENDING SUCH CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF; AND PROVIDING WHEN THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE.

Motion was made by Anthony Campbell for the first reading of title only and seconded by Justin Thompson. Roll call to vote: Mike Parsons, Anthony Campbell, Dan Milligan, Justin Thompson, Trevor Warnol, Leonna Coffman

Motion Carried (6-0)

BILL 2026-0087: SECOND READING OF TITLE ONLY AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING AND ENACTING A NEW CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF DIXON, COUNTY OF PULASKI, STATE OF MISSOURI; ESTABLISHING THE SAME; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CERTAIN ORDINANCES NOT INCLUDED THEREIN, EXCEPT AS HEREIN EXPRESSLY PROVIDED; PROVIDING FOR THE MANNER OF AMENDING SUCH CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF; AND PROVIDING WHEN THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE.

Motion was made by Mike Parsons for the second reading of title only and seconded by Leonna Coffman. Roll call to vote: Mike Parsons, Anthony Campbell, Dan Milligan, Justin Thompson, Trevor Warnol, Leonna Coffman

Motion Carried (6-0)

BILL 2026-0087: APPROVAL OF AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING AND ENACTING A NEW CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF DIXON, COUNTY OF PULASKI, STATE OF MISSOURI; ESTABLISHING THE SAME; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CERTAIN ORDINANCES NOT INCLUDED THEREIN, EXCEPT AS HEREIN EXPRESSLY PROVIDED; PROVIDING FOR THE MANNER OF AMENDING SUCH CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF; AND PROVIDING WHEN THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE.

Motion for approval was made by Dan Milligan and seconded by Justin Thompson. Roll call to vote: Mike Parsons, Anthony Campbell, Dan Milligan, Justin Thompson, Trevor Warnol, Leonna Coffman

Motion Carried (6-0)

BILL 2026-0088: FIRST READING OF TITLE ONLY AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING REAL ESTATE INTO THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF DIXON

Motion was made by Justin Thompson for the first reading of title only and seconded by Mike Parsons. Roll call to vote: Mike Parsons, Anthony Campbell, Dan Milligan, Justin Thompson, Trevor Warnol, Leonna Coffman

Motion Carried (6-0)



BILL 2026-0088: SECOND READING OF TITLE ONLY AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING REAL ESTATE INTO THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF DIXON

Motion was made by Dan Milligan for the second reading of title only and seconded by Anthony Campbell. Roll call to vote: Mike Parsons, Anthony Campbell, Dan Milligan, Justin Thompson, Trevor Warnol, Leonna Coffman

Motion Carried (6-0)

BILL 2026-0088: APPROVAL OF AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING REAL ESTATE INTO THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF DIXON

Motion for approval was made by Anthony Campbell and seconded by Dan Milligan. Roll call to vote: Mike Parsons, Anthony Campbell, Dan Milligan, Justin Thompson, Trevor Warnol, Leonna Coffman

Motion Carried (6-0)

DIXON MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE: EASTER PALOOZA

Pastor Thee initiated a discussion regarding the event application submitted for the Easter Palooza to be held at the Lion's Club Park on April 4, 2026 from 9:00am until noon. Set up will start at 7:30 am. It will be a family friendly event with giveaways, food, bounce houses, gospel presentations, easter egg hunt, etc. that is anticipated to bring 200-300 participants to the park. Parking will be available at the First Baptist Church parking lot, and side streets surrounding the park. Portable toilets (2) will be placed, trash receptacles (2), food will be provided for free, volunteers will be in place to monitor kids' safety, they will be asking volunteer firefighters for assistance with security along with the Dixon Police Department. The emergency plan is to utilize the First Baptist Church. Our Public Works supervisor, Nathan, will get with the organizers and discuss electrical for the bounce houses.

HEALING HOMETOWN ROOTS DIXON

Stayce McDaniel introduced Healing Hometown Roots Dixon an addiction/mental health program. It's a 12-week program designed to give participants a "hand up" approach, not "a hand out." Candidate Tony Laszacs stood and spoke about an organization he is part of that would be a good resource for this program.

WWTP PHASE 2

The City of Dixon has been invited to apply for a CDBG grant to help offset the cost of the Waste Water Treatment Plant Phase 2 project. Kelli explained we submitted a pre-application a few years ago and now that it's being finalized, the Missouri Department of Economic Development agrees it is a good project to merit a full application for the full \$750,000.00.

CITY HALL BUILDING NEXT STEPS

A brief discussion was held regarding the placement of the City logo on the new City Hall floor. It was suggested that it be placed just inside of the second sliding doors as you enter the main hall. It was mentioned that the floor could be done as early as Friday, March 13, 2026. It was decided that the podium would be all one level with entry on both sides and on the opposite wall. Alderman Thompson inquired whether Attorney Slone had received any updates from the insurance company regarding coverage for the floor damage and the potential for reimbursement. Attorney Slone advised that the insurance company indicated the city did not properly follow mitigation procedures at the time of the flooding. The Council asked whether the previously returned check could be reissued, and Attorney Slone stated she would investigate the matter.



SET BUDGET WORKSHOP

Tabled

CANDIDATES

Two candidates were present and introduced themselves: Dustin Robertson, candidate for Pulaski County Clerk, and Tony Laszacs, candidate for the Missouri House of Representatives.

CITY CLERK UPDATE

Kelli discussed spring clean-up will begin April 10-14, 2026. Street side pickup will be on April 15-16, 2026. Items must be in bags or boxes and set out by April 14, 2026. The last day to register to vote is March 11, 2026. The general municipal election for Dixon is April 7, 2026. Plans are to move back to City Hall following the completion of the floors by March 31, 2026. MML Elected Officials training is being held in Columbia June 11-12, 2026, and the 92nd Annual Conference is in Osage Beach September 13-16, 2026. gWorks cloud-based software that was supposed to be implemented in December 2025, will now start in early August and will take 8 weeks from start to finish so they are anticipating us being live in the cloud October 2026. Alderman Mike Parsons requested that Ms. Livengood research the feasibility of adjusting the utility billing base rate to include 1,000 gallons of usage rather than the current 100 gallons.

LIBRARY UPDATE

Lacey stated the VFW ladies visited last month to present a program about President's Day, and their programs have been well received. Their next presentation will take place on March 18 at 11 a.m. and will focus on service animals. The library has also received the ALA Rural Library Grant again this year in the amount of \$10,000, and an official announcement and press release will be shared once it is received from ALA. Additionally, Lizzie and Ms. Teague will be hosting Easter Bunny photos on March 24 from 5:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., featuring live animals and outdoor photos (weather permitting). Lacey has also been elected President of the Chamber and has informed department heads and council members. Planning for Cow Days is currently in its early stages, including coordination with Chief Wilfong regarding logistics. Chamber meetings are held on the third Monday of each month unless it falls on a holiday, and all city employees and council members are invited to attend as the Chamber looks forward to maintaining open communication with the city throughout the year.

POLICE UPDATE

Chief Wilfong reported that he is awaiting confirmation from the bank regarding receipt of the check for the new police vehicles. He noted that once the payment is received, a 120-day waiting period will begin. Chief Wilfong requested that additional lighting be installed in Lion's Club Park, particularly in the parking lot area and in front of First Baptist Church. He also reported that he plans to consult with the City Attorney, regarding options for addressing loose dogs within the city, with particular concern for aggressive dogs known to bite. Chief Wilfong further discussed the upcoming abatement season and indicated he would like to work with the City Attorney on the possibility of strengthening abatement ordinances. He reported that the City Watch program is going well and encouraged greater citizen participation as temperatures warm and pedestrian activity increases. He also encouraged residents to report any suspicious activity. Chief Wilfong noted that a significant drug arrest occurred over the previous weekend, during which methamphetamine totaling more than two "eight balls" was seized. The Police Department provided a calls for service report for February 2026 for council review.



PUBLIC WORKS UPDATE

Public Works completed a total of 36 work orders during the month, including 20 water-related tasks, 5 sewer-related tasks, 4 street-related tasks, 4 trash-related tasks and 3 building/code items. In water distribution, two water main breaks occurred in February, causing temporary service outages. Public Works staff completed repairs and restored service, and the system water loss for the month was calculated at 17%. In wastewater collection, two sewer backups were reported; both were determined to be the responsibility of the homeowners. The Country Club Sewer Improvement Project is currently in the design and easement phase and includes approximately 860 feet of sanitary sewer main and the installation of four manholes. Construction is projected to begin in late April or early May 2026. This project will require a street closure. A Public Hearing will be held March 11 at 6pm. At the Wastewater Treatment Facility, installation of the UV disinfection system is nearing completion and is expected to be fully operational before April 1, 2026. Regulatory updates include the completion of the annual WWTF laboratory quality control study, with results expected in April. February eDMR and first quarter 2026 reports have been submitted, both Bac-T drinking water samples were satisfactory, and PFAS testing is currently being conducted for monitoring purposes.

CLOSED SESSION @ 7:33 P.M.

Justin Thompson made the motion to go into closed session at 7:33 p.m.; motion seconded by Dan Milligan. Roll call to vote: Mike Parsons, Anthony Campbell, Dan Milligan, Justin Thompson, Trevor Warnol, Leonna Coffman
Motion Carried (6-0)

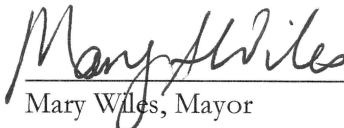
OPEN SESSION @ 7:58 P.M.

Mike Parsons made the motion to go into open session at 7:58 p.m., Anthony Campbell seconded the motion. Roll call to vote: Mike Parsons, Anthony Campbell, Dan Milligan, Justin Thompson, Trevor Warnol, Leonna Coffman
Motion Carried (6-0)

ADJOURNMENT

Trevor Warnol made the motion to adjourn at 7:59 p.m., Dan Milligan seconded the motion. Unanimous show of hands, meeting adjourned.

Minutes approved this 13th day of April, 2026



Mary Wiles, Mayor



Kelli Livengood, City Clerk