

**CITY OF SEDAN  
MINUTES OF OCTOBER 7, 2025**

The Sedan City Council met for the council's regularly scheduled meeting on October 7, 2025, beginning at 5:30 PM, with Mayor Bryan Blankinship presiding. Council members present: Janice Fine, Adam Clark, Angela Evans, Pam Koerner, and Kathy Miller. Employees present: Lana Robinson, Caleb Ironsyde, Raven Darnall, and Chief Kirk Richardson. Public present: Joyce Moreland, and Leroy Moreland, Diana Clanton, Melodee Wolfe, Shawn Franklin, and Wellington Butler.

At 5:30 PM, The regular meeting was called to order by Mayor Bryan Blankinship.

Kathy Miller made a motion to approve the agenda for October 7, 2025. Pam Koerner seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Adam Clark made a motion to approve the minutes from the special meeting held on September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Angela Evans seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Angela Evans made a motion to approve the minutes from the regular meeting held on September 16, 2025. Kathy Miller seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Pam Koerner made a motion to approve the payment of the bills in the amount of \$70,064.64. Adam Clark seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**Public Comments-**

- o Diana Clanton with the Chamber or Commerce would like to block off Chautauqua between Elm and Cherokee for the Halloween Truck or Treat event.

Angela Evans made a motion to approve blocking off the street from 5pm- 7pm for Trunk or Treat. Adam Clark seconded the motion. Motion carried.

- o Shawn Franklin advised the council that he was there as a citizen and wanted to know as a voter why Wellington Butler was deemed unfit. He asked Janice Fine if she was going to resign and she responded with a no answer.

**Staff Comments-**

- o Caleb Ironsyde told the council that the two that were hired for public works have been working out and are getting caught up on several things in the city.
- o Lana Smith gave quotes to the council for memorial bench and is waiting to hear if the state is doing the grant for recycled materials to potentially get more benches down main street and picnic tables at the park. Wayfinding signs and docks are now going up.

Lana Smith presented Global Life Insurance that met with her about life insurance and supplemental insurance. She will be checking with the state to see if the city can go with another company and employees if they are interested.

Council Comments-

- Kathy Miller was contacted by a citizen about the roadway on Douglas between Bowers and Walnut that needs to be patched up due to the bus route going down that way. The commercial for Sedan will be filmed on October 21<sup>st</sup> all day. They will be staging at Aunt B's at 9 AM.

Kathy Miller spoke with a blacktop specialist that is doing work in Independence, and they will be back in the spring for pricing. She will be speaking with them about it.

- Adam Clark is interested in the blacktop to see what can be done.
- Janice Fine withheld comments.
- Pam Koerner went to Belview for a conservation convention. They were happy someone from the City of Sedan was there. They will be bringing a large convention here to Sedan in October of 2026. More to come on this.

Sewer Reduction Form Account# 1677-11339

Adam Clark made a motion to approve sewer reduction form for account #1677-11339. Angela Evans seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Agenda Request Form SAEDC Street Carnival- Melodee Wolfe-

- Melodee Wolfe representing SAEDC wanted to see if the city could close off the roadway on Chautauqua between Osage and Main Street on Halloween for their fundraiser from 3:30 pm till 7 pm.

Angela Evans made a motion to approve street closure for SAEDC Street Carnival. Adam Clark seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Agenda Request Form Character Traits- Wellington Butler-

- Wellington Butler read an official complaint against the council president Janice Fine and submitted it to the City Clerk. He also submitted three KORA requests for council members Kathy Miller, Adam Clark and Janice Fines personal electronic communications regarding city business. City Clerk Lana Smith will be contacting the city attorney for guidance.

At 6:11 PM Angela Evans made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Kathy Miller seconded the motion. Motion carried and meeting adjourned.



Bryan Blankinship, Mayor



Lana Smith, City Clerk