



**CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
February 23, 2026**

Present:

Clay Parker, Mayor
Leo Whelchel, Mayor Pro Tem

Councilmembers:

Paula Coggin
Kelly Gerber
Jennifer Fischer - Absent
Gail Hoffmeister

City Staff:

Dessie Whelchel, City Administrator / Finance Director
Anita Griffith, City Secretary
James Anderson, Public Works Leader

Call to Order and Announce a Quorum is Present

With a quorum of the Council members present, the meeting of the Redwater City Council was called to order by Mayor Clay Parker, at 6:02 pm on Monday, February 23, 2026, in the Community Center at Redwater City Hall, 120 Redwater Blvd. W, Redwater, TX. Invocation and Pledge led by Councilmember Paula Coggin.

Public Comments—Open Forum

None

Reports

- (a) City Administrator / Finance Director – Dessie Whelchel
 - **Monthly Financial Reports** – Council reviewed financial reports included in council packet
- (b) Public Works Leader – James Anderson

Consent Agenda

MOTION: Upon a motion made by Councilmember Whelchel, and a second by Councilmember Gerber, the Council voted four (4) for and none (0) opposed, approving and adopting the agenda as follows:

- (a) **Approval of minutes of the special-called Meeting held on February 2, 2026 (rescheduled from Jan 26th due to inclement weather)**
 - (b) **Approval of accounts payable for January 2026**
- The Motion Carried**

Authorization by Council

- (a) **The date of March 2, 2026, was set for a Special Called meeting to approve the appointment of grant administrator and engineer. Motion was made by Councilmember Hoffmeister, and a second by Councilmember Gerber. The Council voted four (4) for and none (0) opposed. The motion carried.**

Ordinances and Resolutions

- (a) **Review and approve Resolution No. R-26-20-38**

RESOLUTION NO. R-26-20-38: A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDWATER, TEXAS, ESTABLISHING A TEMPORARY SUSPENSION POLICY FOR VACANT HOMES AND RENTAL PROPERTIES

MOTION: Upon a motion made by Councilmember Whelchel, and a second by Councilmember Coggin, the Council voted four (4) for and none (0) opposed, to approve Resolution R-26-20-38. The motion carried.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS / FUTURE BUSINESS

- (a) The tentative dates of April 10th and 11th were set for the yearly Community Spring Clean-up.

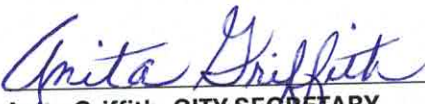
Adjournment

MOTION: Upon a motion made by Councilmember Gerber, and a second by Councilmember Coggin, the Council voted four (4) for and none (0) opposed to adjourn the regular meeting of the Redwater City Council at 6:15 pm on Monday, February 23, 2026. The motion carried.

These minutes approved on the 23rd day of March 2026



Clay Parker, MAYOR

ATTEST:


Anita Griffith, CITY SECRETARY

