

CITY OF TAYLORSVILLE
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING
OF THE TAYLORSVILLE CITY COMMISSION
MARCH 5TH, 2026 @ 6:00 P.M.

Mayor Karen Spencer called to order the special called meeting of the Taylorsville City Commission at 6:00 p.m. Mayor Spencer welcomed those in attendance followed by a prayer by Commissioner Bell. Roll call of the Commission revealed the following:

Roy Bell – Present	Courtney Bentley – Present
Diana Hilbert – Present	Kathy Spears – Present
Karen Spencer – Present	

Employees present – Dave Bollinger, Keith Waldrige, Cliff Brown, Chris Oswalt, Stacey Crenshaw and City Attorney, Robert Myles.

Agenda. ***Mayor Spencer made a motion to approve the agenda after moving Executive Session (Item 3) to Item 6 and to move everything else up, seconded by Commissioner Hilbert with all ayes being cast. Motion carried 5-0.***

Restricted Areas of City Hall Campus Municipal Order. City Attorney, Robert Myles read a municipal order stating restricted areas on the City Hall campus will begin at the end of the Police Department and anything beyond that point will be restricted and marked with signage. It was stated that this will also need to be done at the wastewater treatment plant, water booster stations, water towers, valve pits and all lift stations. It was also discussed whether to have any vendors to check in at the front office and the front office will let Public Works know someone is there to see them. Discussion was also made about getting quotes for a chain link fence with clickers like the wastewater treatment plant has. Front Office Lead, Stacey Crenshaw said she ordered signage the day before and signs should be in by Friday. It was also mentioned to put up cones and hoses immediately. No action was taken on the municipal order, and it was tabled until next meeting when corrections will be made.

Streets & Potholes. City Attorney Robert Myles said he would like to look further into the possibility of the city taking over the streets in front of businesses and will let the Commission know more at next Tuesday's meeting.

Executive Session. ***Mayor Spencer made a motion to go into executive session, seconded by Commissioner Bentley with all ayes being cast. Motion carried 5-0.***

Open Session. ***Commissioner Hilbert made a motion to come back to open session, seconded by Mayor Spencer with all ayes being cast.***

Action Taken. Commissioner Hilbert recommended having Scott Williams come to executive session at the next meeting on Tuesday, March 10th, 2026, at 5:00 p.m. Public Works Director, Dave Bollinger announced the resignation of Water Superintendent, Jay Smith, beginning today. **Commissioner Spears made a motion to extend the probation of Public Works Director, Dave Bollinger until October 1st, 2026, seconded by Mayor Spencer with all ayes being cast. Motion carried 5-0.** Backhoe Operator, Chris Oswalt asked if he could speak. He wanted to know what the policy was on take home trucks. The Commission informed him it is only to be done when on call and the vehicle is to be taken home and parked. Wastewater Operator, Cliff Brown said the 4-10 hour day schedule is not working and Assistant Public Works Director, Keith Waldrige, Backhoe Operator, Chris Oswalt and Public Works Director, Dave Bollinger all agreed. **Commissioner Hilbert made a motion for the Public Works Department to go back to 5–8-hour shifts working from 7:00 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. seconded by Commissioner Bell, with all ayes being cast. Motion carried 5-0.** **Commissioner Spears made a motion to accept Jay Smith’s resignation, and to hire a Water Distribution Operator and not another supervisor position, seconded by Mayor Spencer with all ayes being cast. Motion carried 5-0.** **Commissioner Bentley made a motion to take away take home vehicles unless on call, seconded by Commissioner Hilbert with all ayes being cast.** There was discussion about taking Cliff Brown’s position as Wastewater Operator and combining it with the Water Superintendent’s position for the next meeting and discussing a raise in pay. Public Works Director, Dave Bollinger said he would get the quotes for the chain link fencing and for the logos for the public work’s trucks.

Public Statement. No action taken. Tabled until next meeting.

Adjournment. This concluding the business of the meeting, **Commissioner Bell made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Commissioner Bentley with all ayes being cast. Motion carried 5-0.**


Karen Spencer, Mayor


Diana Hilbert, Commissioner