

## Gillsville Town Council Meeting

Frankum Building

March 2nd, 2026

Called to Order-7:04 pm

In attendance Mayor Ricky Sutton, Council Members: Todd Dale, Kody Rylee, Keith Segars, Jeff Perry and citizens. Rachel Canada Clerk

**Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance:** Todd Dale gave the invocation, and Mayor Sutton led the Pledge of Allegiance. Mayor Sutton welcomed the citizens in attendance.

Guest Speaker Shannon Davidson did not attend.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

**Approval of February 2nd, 2026, Minutes** – Kody Rylee made a motion to approve the February 2nd, 2026, Minutes, Todd Dale seconded the motion, all council members present voted in favor of approving the February 2026 Minutes.

**Intergovernmental Agreement** – After review and discussion of the IGA the town decided to approve the draft agreement concerning the park property. Kody Rylee made a motion to approve, Keith Segars seconded the motion. All council members present voted in favor.

**Grass Cutting Bid-** The 2026 grass cutting bid packet was reviewed and discussed. A new and improved map will be included with the packet, which will be available at the Town Hall office during business hours beginning Thursday March 5<sup>th</sup>. Jeff Perry made a motion to approve the bid packet, Keith Segars seconded the motion. All council members present voted in favor.

**LMIG Funds-** Mayor Sutton discussed the project of paving school St. with the council. He is currently acquiring estimates, and would possibly like to use LMIG funds to fix potholes on Slaton St., and to remove trees on School St.

**Café Discussion** - Mayor Sutton would like to see improvements in the café. The flooring will need to be fixed, and he discussed a possible addition to the rear of the café. He plans to get estimates on replacing the flooring in the rear of the café, and separate estimates on a small addition. The council will review their options at the next meeting and decide on the best course of action in the future.

**SPLOST VIII-** It was determined that the grant that the city applied for in 2022 is going to go through in May 2026, and the city will likely see funds for the grant in June of 2026. Possibilities were discussed along with possibly adding parking to the plan. We will contact GMRC to see if they can assist with a plan for the park, and for planning purposes.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

**Park Fence-** Mayor Sutton updated the council on the insurance claim that was discussed at the previous meeting. The claim is in process for the repairs of the fence at the park.

**Veteran Memorial Update-** Mayor Sutton asked for an update on the progress of the Veterans memorial. Council member Wade Dale was not in attendance, but plans for s memorial day dedication at the Veterans Memorial are underway.

**Adjourn:** Kody Rylee made a motion to adjourn at 7:50 pm. Keith Segars seconded, and all Council members present voted in favor. Motion passed.

Rachel Canada, Town Clerk

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Ricky Sutton, Mayor

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Council Members

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