

GROVE CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2025 – 4:30 PM
MINUTES

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APPROVED

The Grove City Council met in regular session on Tuesday, December 16, 2025, at 4:30 PM with Mayor, Ed Trumbull presiding. The members present were Ivan Devitt, Marty Dyer, Peggy Steed and Andy Stewart. Also present were City Manager; Darren Cook, Assistant City Manager; Laura Davila, Public Works Director; Deric Douthit, City Treasurer; Lisa Allred, City Clerk; Karyn Pesich, HR Director; Kristi Ford, Building Inspector; Todd Franke, and Convention & Tourism Director; Brent Malone.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Mayor Ed Trumbull explained the Park & Recreation Experience Survey. He asked that all residents take part in this survey and spread the word about it. With our new City Park coming, he wants everyone to understand how important our health, parks, open spaces and recreation is for all residents.

AGENDA ITEMS:

Devitt made a motion seconded by Dyer to approve the minutes of December 2, 2025, Regular Meeting. AYE: Devitt, Dyer, Steed, Stewart, Trumbull. NAY: None. Motion carried 5-0.

Devitt made a motion seconded by Steed to approve the Purchase Order Register. AYE: Devitt, Dyer, Steed, Stewart, Trumbull. NAY: None. Motion carried 5-0.

Trumbull opened the floor for discussion and/or action to the Approval of a Resolution Amendment to the 2025-2026 City General and Capital Fund. Devitt made a motion seconded by Dyer to approve the Resolution. AYE: Devitt, Dyer, Steed, Stewart, Trumbull. NAY: None. Motion carried 5-0.

Trumbull opened the floor for discussion and/or action to the Approval of an Agreement for Library Services, Facilities and Maintenance with the Eastern Oklahoma Library System. Devitt made a motion seconded by Stewart to approve the Agreement. AYE: Devitt, Dyer, Steed, Stewart, Trumbull. NAY: None. Motion carried 5-0.

STAFF REPORTS:

City Manager – Reminded all that the City Luncheon is Thursday, December 18, 2025.

Public Works Director – Reported that we are working on the new Fire Station water line.

Convention & Tourism Director – None.

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WARD REPORTS:

Ward I – Trumbull reported that there was nothing but GREAT feedback on the Tree Lighting Ceremony. Merry Christmas to All!

Ward II – Merry Christmas to All!

Ward III – Stewart reported that he feels this has been the Best Year Ever! Merry Christmas to All!

Ward IV – Merry Christmas to All!

At Large – Merry Christmas to All!

At 4:44 PM Devitt made a motion seconded by Dyer to move into an Executive Session. AYE: Devitt, Dyer, Steed, Stewart, Trumbull. NAY: None. Motion carried 5-0.

The Executive Session to include Laura Davila, Asst. City Manager.

At 5:00 PM Devitt made a motion second by Dyer to exit the Executive Session. AYE: Devitt, Dyer, Steed, Stewart, Trumbull. NAY: None. Motion carried 5-0.

No Action Taken

At 5:02 PM Devitt made a motion seconded by Stewart to Adjourn. AYE: Devitt, Dyer, Steed, Stewart, Trumbull. NAY: None. Motion carried 5-0.