

**City Council Minutes**  
**Tuesday, February 10, 2026**

On the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 2026, at 6:30 p.m., the City Council of the City of Hurst, Texas, convened in a Regular Meeting at City Hall, 1505 Precinct Line Road, Hurst, Texas, with the following members present:

Henry Wilson	)	Mayor
Jon McKenzie	)	Mayor Pro Tem
Cathy Brotherton	)	Councilmembers
Trasa Cobern	)	
Jimmy Meeks	)	
Clay Caruthers	)	City Manager
Matthew Boyle	)	City Attorney
Malaika Marion Farmer	)	Assistant City Manager
Clayton Fulton	)	Assistant City Manager
Rita Frick	)	City Secretary
Robert Saucedo	)	Executive Director of Public Works
Billy Keadle	)	Police Chief

With the following Councilmembers absent: John Miller and Gary N. Waldron, constituting a quorum; at which time, the following business was transacted:

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. and Mayor Wilson gave the Invocation.

The Pledge of Allegiance and Texas Pledge were given.

**CONSENT AGENDA**

1. Consider approval of the minutes for the January 27, 2026 Council meetings

Mayor Pro Tem McKenzie moved to approve the consent agenda. Motion seconded by Councilmember Brotherton. Motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers Brotherton, Meeks, McKenzie and Cobern  
No: None

**RESOLUTION(S)**

2. Consider Resolution 1908 supporting application for Combined Cities Crime Victims Coordinator Grant to the Office of the Governor for the Cities of Hurst, Euless, and Bedford

Police Chief Billy Keadle reviewed the proposed resolution and that the Cities of Hurst, Euless and Bedford have shared the services of a Victim's Assistance Coordinator since 2002. He stated council approved this application in December of 2025, but are requesting consideration again due to application changes. Chief Keadle also noted the deadline for the grant application is in a couple days.

Councilmember Meeks moved to adopt Resolution 1908 supporting the application for the Combined Cities Crime Victims Coordinator Grant from the Office of the Governor to continue serving the Cities of Hurst, Euless and Bedford. Motion seconded by Mayor Pro Tem McKenzie. Motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers Brotherton, Meeks, McKenzie and Cobern

No: None

### **OTHER BUSINESS**

3. Consider authorizing the city manager to enter into a contract with 2R Construction, LLC for 2025 Miscellaneous Water Main Replacement Project

Executive Director of Public Works Robert Saucedo reviewed the proposed project noting the project is to replace old troublesome cast iron and concrete water mains with new plastic PVC water mains. He stated the lines will be replaced with 12-inch lines. Mr. Saucedo noted the recent break on Cumberland Drive and emergency repairs and that repairs will be on Cumberland Drive from Farrington Lane to Norwood Drive and Norwood Drive from E Louella Drive to Harwood Drive. He reviewed the bids noting 11 were received with the low bid being submitted by 2R Construction, LLC in the amount of \$1,782,595.00. He stated the two projects were combined to get better economy of scale.

Councilmember Brotherton moved to authorize the city manager to enter into a contract with 2R Construction, LLC for 2025 Miscellaneous Water Main Replacement Project in the amount of \$1,782,595.00 with a contingency of \$37,405.00 for a total of \$1,820,000.00 and a construction contract duration of 270 calendar days. Motion seconded by Councilmember Meeks. Motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers Brotherton, Meeks, McKenzie and Cobern

No: None

4. Consider authorizing the city manager to proceed with the Library and Recreation Center Air Conditioning Replacement Project

Assistant City Manager Malaika Marion Farmer reviewed the proposed project noting grant funds received for three roof top air conditioning units that are over 30 years old at the Library and Recreation Center. She stated they are requesting funding in an amount not to exceed \$107,130 with \$76,390 to be reimbursed by the federal government.

Councilmember Cobern moved to authorize the city manager to proceed with the Library and Recreation Center Air Conditioning Replacement Project for an amount not to exceed \$107,130 with \$76,390 to be reimbursed by the federal government. Motion seconded by Mayor Pro Tem McKenzie. Motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers Brotherton, Meeks, McKenzie and Cobern

No: None

5. Board, Commission, and Committee Minutes – Council reviewed the following minutes and Councilmember Cobern noted what a great program the Library is doing with the cities of

Eules and Bedford collecting new or gently used formal wear and shoes to be able to wear for prom. She stated they could go shop on March 28.

- Parks and Recreation Board
- Library and Cultural Enrichment Board

6. Review of upcoming calendar items – City Manager Clay Caruthers reviewed upcoming calendar items noting the February 19 Town Hall Forum, Hurst Conference Center, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. noting they will be giving updates on the Council’s Strategic Priorities and financial update. Mr. Caruthers also noted a volunteer opportunity at the Coffee Shop, 420 W. Pipeline Road, February 28 to help with final finishing touches.
7. City Council Reports - Items of Community Interest – Councilmember Meeks complimented the police department for the work to assist crime victims. Mayor Pro Tem McKenzie noted presentation of Proclamation to Shady Oaks Elementary Orff Ensemble Sounds Waves noting they are the only elementary ensemble and invited to perform at the Texas Music Educators Association Convention in San Antonio.

**PUBLIC INVITED TO BE HEARD – A REQUEST TO APPEAR CARD MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED TO THE CITY SECRETARY TO BE RECOGNIZED. CITIZEN COMMENTS ARE LIMITED TO A MAXIMUM OF 3 MINUTES PER SPEAKER**

Mayor Wilson recognized Youth in Government student Brooklyn Randolph.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION** in compliance with the provisions of the Texas Open Meetings Law, authorized by Government Code, Section 551.087 deliberation and conducting of economic development negotiations regarding financial information relative to prospective business expansion in the City, and Section 551.071 consultation with and legal advice from the city attorney regarding code enforcement, economic development, real estate, and zoning and on a matter in which the duty of the attorney to the governmental body under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of Texas clearly conflicts with the Open Meetings Act and to reconvene in Open Session at the conclusion of the Executive Session


8. Take any and all action ensuing from Executive Session – No action was taken.

**ADJOURNMENT**

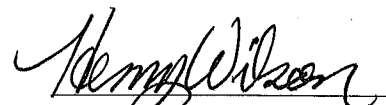
The meeting was adjourned at 6:44 p.m.

**APPROVED** this the 24<sup>th</sup> day of February 2026.

**ATTEST:**

  
Rita Frick, City Secretary

**APPROVED:**

  
Henry Wilson, Mayor