

Mount Pleasant City Council
August 12, 2025
6:30 p.m.
Regular Meeting

The Mount Pleasant City Council held a regular meeting August 12, 2025, at 6:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers located at 115 West Main Street, Mount Pleasant, Utah.

Welcome -- Mayor

1. Opening Ceremony - By Invitation

Pledge of Allegiance - Rick Allred

Opening Prayer- Mason Murphey

2. Roll Call - City Recorder

Present: Paul C. Madsen, Micheal Olsen (Mayor, non-voting), Russell G. Keisel, Rondy G. Black

Excused: D. Lynn Beesley, Cade A. Beck.

Employees in Attendance: Natalie Crosby, Trinity Blackburn, Steven Gray, Shane Ward, Debbie James, Colter Allen

Others in Attendance: Jamey Wright, Rick Allred, Casey Larsen, RL Taylor

3. Approval of Claims and Requisitions - Mayor

Claims Register:

Dated 07/19/2025 to 08/08/2025 in the amount of \$753,546.21

Motion: To Approve moved by Paul C. Madsen Seconded by Russell G. Kiesel

Yes: Paul C. Madsen, Russell G. Keisel, Rondy G. Black

Vote: Motion carried by roll call vote Yes = 3

Requisition #80820251229 to Wesco in the amount of \$17348.37 for Black 14ft Light Poles with Metroscape Lights

Motion: To Approve moved by Rondy G. Black Seconded by Paul C. Madsen

Vote: Motion carried by roll call vote Yes = 3

Yes: Paul C. Madsen, Russell G. Keisel, Rondy G. Black

Requisition #80820251252 to TRC in the amount of \$385,000.00 coming out of the 1.2 million dollars grant we received for the Mt. Pleasant/Fairview Engineering Transmission Line 2025



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Motion: To Approve moved by Russel G. Keisel by Seconded by Rondy G. Black

Yes: Paul C. Madsen, Russell G. Keisel, Rondy G. Black

4. Approval of Transaction Register

Dated 07/01/2025 to 07/31/2025 in the amount of (-\$1575.67)

Motion: To Approve moved by Rondy G. Black Seconded by Paul C. Madsen

Yes: Paul C. Madsen, Russell G. Keisel, Rondy G. Black

Vote: Motion carried by roll call vote Yes = 3

5. Approval of Minutes - Mayor

July 22, 2025, Regular City Council

Motion: To Approve moved by Paul C. Madsen Seconded by Russel G. Keisel

Motion carried

July 22, 2025, Work Session

Motion: To Approve moved by Russel G. Keisel Seconded by Paul C. Madsen

Motion carried

6. Presentation - Youth City Council Year-End Report

Debbie James, along with her advisors Brian Zanarripa and Jan Reese, presented the Youth City Council with their end-of-year scholarship awards and commemorative hoodies.

7. Approval of Ordinance No. 2025-07 Repass of Mt. Pleasant City Ordinance No. 2025-04 as Ordinance No. 2025-07: AN ORDINANCE REGULATING PARADE SEATING, PARKING, AND USE OF PUBLIC PROPERTY PRIOR TO THE HUB CITY DAYS PARADE.

Motion: To Approve moved by Russell G. Keisel Seconded by Rondy G. Black

Yes: Paul C. Madsen, Russell G. Keisel, Rondy G. Black

Vote: Motion carried by roll call vote Yes = 3

8. Discussion/Action Items:



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 Discussion and Possible Action – Proposal to Close City Hall for ½ Day on Fridays-Natalie Crosby

The council discussed the potential benefits of closing City Hall early on Fridays. Natalie Crosby noted that many surrounding cities, as well as the county, currently operate with reduced Friday hours. The council expressed support for implementing the change, provided City Hall remains open until 1:00 p.m. on Fridays and the new schedule does not take effect until September. Under the revised hours, City Hall will be open Monday through Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Motion: To Approve moved by Paul C. Madsen Seconded by Russel G. Keisel Motion carried by roll call vote Yes = 3

9. Public Participation

Members of the public may address the City Council on matters not listed on the agenda. Those interested should sign up on the form just inside the council room door prior to the start of the meeting. Participation is limited to three minutes. Each participant will be allowed to address the Council and may submit documents outlining their issue. The Council cannot take legal action on public comment at this time. At the conclusion of each comment, the Council will have time to respond to criticism made by those who have addressed them, may ask staff to review a matter or may ask that a matter be placed on a future agenda. All City Council meetings are recorded.

Shane Ward provided an update regarding the recent power outage caused by Rocky Mountain Power. He reported that Unit 4 is back in operation; however, the gearbox, which was recently returned, is leaking oil. To reduce costs, he suggested repairing the gearbox onsite rather than shipping it out. He also discussed the quote for repairs to Unit 1, noting that it will be a more extensive and involved project.

Casey Larsen reported that he is unable to meet grade requirements on the sewer line. He turned in his Outside of City Limits Water Connection Application. This matter will be placed on the agenda for the next council meeting for a formal vote.

10. Council Reports:

Paul C. Madsen

- Inquired about the timeline for hydroseeding the park.
- Discussed the location of the conduit for the Power Department at the park.
- Colter Allen stated he would like to seed the park in mid-September.
- Colter will obtain bids for the hydroseeding work.



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Russell G. Keisel

- There was a Veterans Memorial fundraiser was held at Skyline Mountain Golf Course.
- Plans are underway to meet and organize a concert at the Contoy Arena as an additional fundraiser.
- The goal is to have the memorial completed in time for the 250-year celebration on July 4th next year.

Rondy G. Black

- Reported that the draft for Transportation Plan has been completed.
- Feedback and reviews are expected to take approximately two weeks, after which the final draft will be completed and submitted for grant funding.
- The goal is to begin the projects next spring.

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11. Mayor Report

- The high school has requested permission to water one additional day to meet their concussion
 protocol. Mayor did not see an issue, especially with the new well coming online. Colter Allen
 stated that he would like to see the school use less water on the school field by the elementary.
- Debbie James discussed some of the events she will be having that will require road closures. These events include a 3-on-3 basketball tournament, a truck or treat and another event that will be held at the pool in October. None of the council opposed.
- Shane Ward also added that congressmen Owens is coming to town and asked if anyone wanted to sign up to be a part of that. It will be on the 25th at 1:00 pm in Fairview at the City Hall.

12. Adjourn

Motion To Adjourn at 8:00 pm moved by Russell G. Keisel Seconded by Paul C Madsen Motion Carried

Natalie Crosby Recorder