

PAYSON CITY
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
Payson City Center, 439 W Utah Avenue, Payson UT 84651
Wednesday, February 4, 2026

CONDUCTING Councilmember Anne Moss

ELECTED OFFICIALS Brian Hulet, Anne Moss, Bob Provstgaard, Ryan Rowley, Lacey Smith, William R. Wright

EXCUSED Mayor William Wright

STAFF PRESENT David Tuckett, City Manager
 Cathy Jensen, Finance Director
 Brandon Dalley, City Attorney
 Robert Mills, Assistant City Manager
 Travis Jockumsen, Public Works Director/City Engineer
 Michael Bryant, Planner II
 Tracy Zobell, Parks & Golf Director
 Shawn Black, Power Director
 Melanie Marsh, Human Resources
 Jonathan Knight, City Engineer
 Marty Dargel, Administrative Assistant

OTHERS

A. CALL TO ORDER

Councilmember Anne Moss, called this meeting of the City Council of Payson City, Utah, to order at 6:02 p.m. The meeting was properly noticed.

MOTION: Councilmember Hulet– To approve mayor pro tem Anne Moss. Motion seconded by Councilmember Rowley. A roll call vote was taken as follows and the motion carried.

Yes	-	Brian Hulet
Yes	-	Anne Moss
Yes	-	Bob Provstgaard
Yes	-	Ryan Rowley
Yes	-	Lacey Smith

B. PRAYER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

A prayer was offered by Councilmember Rowley.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Councilmember Hulet.

C. CONSENT AGENDA (6:05 p.m.)

1. Approval of January 12-13, 2026, City Council Retreat Minutes
2. Approval of January 21, 2026, City Council Meeting Minutes

MOTION: Councilmember Rowley– To approve the consent agenda. Motion seconded by Councilmember Smith. A roll call vote was taken as follows and the motion carried.

Yes	-	Brian Hulet
Yes	-	Anne Moss
Yes	-	Bob Provstgaard
Yes	-	Ryan Rowley
Yes	-	Lacee Smith

D. PETITIONS, REMONSTRANCES & COMMUNICATIONS

1. Payson City Victim Advocate Program Presentation (6:10 p.m.)

Ruthie Pedregon, the Payson City Victim Advocate, addressed the City Council and members of the public. Ruthie went over what the Payson City Victim Services Program offers to crime victims within the community. She also discussed the Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) funding program which covers approximately 40% of the city’s crime victim program. Ruthie went over the program’s victim-centered approach and core principles such as safety, empowerment, and collaboration as well as local resources for crime victims. The victim advocate program provides many key services to victims to help them through the criminal justice process. Ruthie thanked the city council and community for their support of the victim advocacy program.

Councilmember Hulet and Ruthie discussed the funding for the program which comes from both federal and state resources. Councilmember Rowley asked how Ruthie comes into contact with victims after calls. Ruthie discussed the police department’s process for response to victims. Councilmember Rowley thanked Ruthie for her service to the department to and to victims in the community. Councilmember Provstgaard asked about Ruthie’s workload and the possibility of support from volunteerism.

2. Public Forum (6:18 p.m.)

Raymond Patrolski, on behalf of Pioneer Valley Little League, addressed the council in the public forum. He promoted the little league program and stated that in 2026 the league will be more developed and will offer extensions to current city leagues.

Scott (no last name offered) attended the meeting to express concern about the skate park. He thanked the police for drug enforcement at the skate park. He expressed concern about families leaving the park because of other kids fighting. He also expressed concern about the garbage cans being full. He’s grateful that kids pick up the trash and put it in the cans, but the cans need to be emptied more regularly.

3. Staff and Council Reports (6:27 p.m.)

Staff Reports

POLICE – Chief Brad Bishop thanked Ruthie Pedregon for her presentation on the victim advocacy program and for her work in the police department.

ADMINISTRATION – Robert Mills reported on the upcoming Chamber Gala on February 5th. He updated the council on a building that will be removed near the Zions Bank.

FIRE AND AMBULANCE – Chief Spencer gave an update on Fire Station 92. He estimates that work will begin on the station in June of this year.

Council Reports

Councilmember Smith thanked staff for their support.

Councilmember Hulet reported on the upcoming Innovation Center Open House on February 12, 2026.

Councilmember Rowley reported that he toured the MTech building and was impressed by the programs that are offered there. He thanked the fire and police department for their work and response to members of the community.

Councilmember Provstgaard reported that he attended a ribbon cutting at Studio 22 last week. He discussed the need for legal counsel support for the South Utah Valley Municipal Water Agency.

Councilmember Moss thanked staff for their hard work and echoed Councilmember Rowley’s thoughts and expressed her gratitude to the city’s first responders.

E. ACTION ITEMS (6:35 p.m.)

1. Ordinance – Approval of Quit Claim Deed from Payson City to USA Bureau of Reclamation – tract(s) of land near Hidden Grove Estates Plat D open space (parcels 30:052:0092, 30:072:0039, 41:777:0030)

Staff Presentation: Travis Jockumsen reported on all of the ordinances being considered by the council on the agenda. Travis reported on the parcels that will go from the Bureau of Reclamation to Payson City and vice versa. Councilmember Hulet inquired about access to the trails in come areas. Travis indicated that the trails could be addressed with the Bureau as needed. Councilmember Rowley inquired about when the Bureau plans to start the pipeline. Travis indicated that it will likely be a few years as it’s a federal project that will require environmental study first.

MOTION: Councilmember Hulet – To approve the ordinance 02-04-2026-A Approval of Quit Claim Deed from Payson City to USA Bureau of Reclamation to include access to Payson City Trails. Motion seconded by Councilmember Provstgaard. A roll call vote was taken as follows and the motion carried.

Yes - Brian Hulet

Yes - Anne Moss
Yes - Bob Provstgaard
Yes - Ryan Rowley
Yes - Lacey Smith

2. Ordinance – Approval of Quit Claim Deed from USA Bureau of Reclamation to Payson City – tract(s) of land near Strawberry Highline canal, Payson View Estates Plats B, E, and F (parcels 30:053:0092, 30:072:0015, 49:384:0042, 49:416:0074, and 49:669:0300)

MOTION: Councilmember Rowley – To approve the ordinance 02-04-2026-B Approval of Quit Claim Deed from USA Bureau of Reclamation to Payson City. Motion seconded by Councilmember Provstgaard. A roll call vote was taken as follows and the motion carried.

Yes - Brian Hulet
Yes - Anne Moss
Yes - Bob Provstgaard
Yes - Ryan Rowley
Yes - Lacey Smith

3. Ordinance – Approval of Warranty Deed of platted sheets (parcel 08:145:0013)

MOTION: Councilmember Provstgaard – To approve the ordinance 02-04-2026-C Approval of Warranty Deed of platted sheets. Motion seconded by Councilmember Smith. A roll call vote was taken as follows and the motion carried.

Yes - Brian Hulet
Yes - Anne Moss
Yes - Bob Provstgaard
Yes - Ryan Rowley
Yes - Lacey Smith

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Councilmember Provstgaard – To adjourn. Motion seconded by Councilmember . Those voting yes: Brian Hulet, Anne Moss, Bob Provstgaard, Ryan Rowley, and Lacey Smith. The motion carried.

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

/s/ Amalie R. Ottley _____
Amalie R. Ottley, City Recorder