

Bluff Town Council Public Hearing **DRAFT** Minutes –
Proposed Amendments to the FY2026 Budget
Tuesday, April 7, 2026, at 4:00 pm MDT

In Person

Bluff Community Center Building
190 N 3rd E Street, Bluff, UT 84512

Virtual Meeting

via Zoom: <https://zoom.us/j/92499673928>
via Phone: 7193594580, 92499673928#

4:04pm Meeting Called to Order and Roll Call

Town Council: Mayor Josh Ewing, Jennifer Davila, Gary Haws (excused absence), Britt Hornsby, Spencer Wade
Staff: Erin Nelson, Malia Collins

1. **Opening comments on the proposed amendments to the FY2026 Budget (4:04pm):** Nelson explained this budget ends June 2026. Two drafts on Public Notice tab of town website, 3/20 and 4/7. Before it passes, actuals will be reflected. (1) Projected increase in tax revenue, February report not in yet. (2) Roads Dept adjustments which reflects in the Total Revenues. (3) Administrative Costs, to include Election Expenses (\$3,419). (4) Roads Department increased due to received matching grants. (5) Parks/Facilities – net decrease as roof replacement/solar project on BCC will not occur FY2026. (6) Cemetery – admin time (clerk & legal fees) not accounted on this line item but is recorded for grant reporting (7) Special Revenue Fund – CCC grants/project

2. **Public Comment Period (4:10pm):**

Linda Sosa – Reviewed budget and stated it is looking good. Reviewing revenues and curious about the EMS Fund Raiser. Noted that line item 3802.2 Private/Public Safety which reflects the amount raised. If a fundraiser is specific for a specific group from the public, it needs to go to those who the funds were raised for. Since it was donations, it cannot be changed. Sosa expressed concern that if line item titles are changed in the budget, the public will lose faith in where their money is going.

Public Comment period is until Friday, April 17, 2026 at 5:00pm to submit public comments. May be submitted via email, letter or dropped off in person. All information is on town website.

3. **Close public hearing & return to Regular Meeting (4:15pm).** Ewing called vote to close the public hearing, all in favor, returned to regular meeting.

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Minute Taker: Malia Collins

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