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City of Little Flock

City Council Agenda for Monday, April 20th, 2026

- Location and Time:** Benton County Sunshine School at 6:00 pm
- Participants:** Mayor Jeff Van Sickler, Wayne Hamilton, Robert Phillips, Ellen Leonard, Sherry Moncrief, Debb Formanek, Chris Cantwell and Richard Crow
- Optional:** City Attorney Shane Perry, Fire Chief Moose Dunavan, Street Superintendent Wes Usrey, Police Chief Joseph Powell, and Deputy Fire Chief Riley Heasley

Discussion:

1. Meeting called to order by Mayor Jeff Van Sickler
2. Invocation
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Roll Call
5. Action on Minutes
6. Approval of Treasurer's Report as of 03/31/2026 (attached)
 - General Fund Balance: \$4,183,741.54
 - Street Fund Balance: \$841,081.24
7. Unfinished Business
8. Public Comments
9. New Business
 - Resolution 2026-003 – Amending various 2026 Budgets & pay ranges for part-time police officers
10. Approval to pay bills over \$10K
11. Announcements
 - Status of FEMA / Cat E-Building
 - Remediated Cybersecurity Incident
 - Status of grant for Rustic Drive Dry-Creek Study
 - University of Central Arkansas Community Development Pipeline Program
12. Adjourn

Monday April 20, 2026

Location and Time: Sunshine School, Little Flock, AR at 6:00 pm
The City Council of Little Flock, Arkansas met in regular session on Monday, April 20, 2026 at 6:00 PM in the Sunshine School.

1. Meeting called to Order:

Mayor Jeff Van Sickler called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM.

2. Invocation & Pledge of Allegiance:

Rob Phillips gave the invocation and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

3. Roll Call:

Council Members present were Debb Formanek, Robert Phillips, Chris Cantwell, Wayne Hamilton, and Ellen Leonard. Council Member Sherry Moncrief, and Recorder/Treasurer Richard Crow were absent.

Others in attendance: Police Chief Joe Powell, Deputy Fire Chief Riley Heasley, Planning Commissioner Becky Featherston, and Planning Commissioner Kelly Horn

4. Action on Minutes:

Mayor Van Sickler asked if there were any changes or corrections to the March 2026 minutes. There were none.

Motion was made by Council Member Chris Cantwell to approve the minutes as presented. Second was made by Council Member Debb Formanek. **Motion passed unanimously**

5. Treasurers Report:

March 31, 2026 Treasurer's Report was provided.

General Fund Balance: \$ 4,183,741.54

Street Fund Balance: \$ 841,081.24

Council Member Wayne Hamilton made a motion to approve the Treasurers Report. A second was made by Ellen Leonard. **Motion passed unanimously.**

6. Unfinished Business:

There was none.

7. Public Comments

Connie Edris, 3900 McClure Dr., said that she was sad that the 1% sales tax proposal did not pass and also expressed concerns about speeding traffic on McClure. The mayor stated that he would present bringing the sales tax proposal back before council in the May meeting to be placed on the November ballot.

8. New Business

RESOLUTION 2026-003: AMENDING VARIOUS 2026 BUDGETS AND THE PART-TIME POLICE PAY RANGE

A motion was made by Wayne Hamilton to approve resolution 2026-003. A second was made by Ellen Leonard.

Vote:

Robert Phillips – Yes

Debb Formanek – Yes

Chris Cantwell – Yes

Sherry Moncrief – absent

Wayne Hamilton – Yes

Ellen Leonard – Yes

Motion passed.

9. Bills Over \$10,000

There were none.

10. Announcements:

- The last of the obligated Cat E (building) FEMA funds should arrive this week. The mayor is hopeful that an appeal will be made later in the week to seek additional funds.
- The mayor commended Stronghold Data for their handling of the recent cybersecurity incident & stated that everyone should have received an email with the details and asked that any questions be directed to him.
- The mayor announced that the grant submitted for the Rustic Drive dry-creek bed study was denied.
- The mayor announced that he was selected to participate in the University of Central Arkansas Community Development Pipeline Program through a grant from the Walton Foundation.

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11. Adjournment:

A motion was made by Debb Formanek to adjourn. A second was made by Chris Cantwell. Meeting adjourned at 6:11 pm.

Vote:

Robert Phillips – Yes

Debb Formanek – Yes

Chris Cantwell – Yes

Sherry Moncrief – absent

Wayne Hamilton – Yes

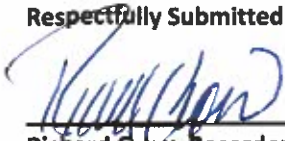
Ellen Leonard – Yes

Motion passed.

Passed and Approved this 18th day of May, 2026.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Approved by:



Richard Crow, Recorder/Treasurer
City of Little Flock, Arkansas



Jeff Van Sickler, Mayor
City of Little Flock, Arkansas



