

AGENDA
May 18, 2026
REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF ELLIS
City Hall – Council Meeting Room

BILLS ORDINANCE REVIEW WORK SESSION BEGINS AT 6:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL AND MEETING CALL TO ORDER AT 6:30 P.M.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

AMENDMENTS TO AGENDA (if needed)

1) CONSENT AGENDA (Enc)

- a) Minutes from Regular Meeting on May 4, 2026.
- b) Bills Ordinance #2237.

(Council will review for approval under one motion under the consent agenda. By majority vote of the governing body, any item may be removed from the consent agenda and considered separately)

PUBLIC COMMENTS

(Each speaker will be limited to five minutes. If several people from the group wish to speak on same subject, the group must appoint a spokesperson. ALL comments from public on agenda items must be during Public Comment. Once council begins their business meeting, no more comments from public will be allowed.)

2) PRESENTATIONS OF AWARDS, PROCLAMATIONS, REQUESTS & PETITIONS (HEARINGS)

- a) Proclamation for National Public Works Week May 17 – 23, 2026
- b) 2026 Budget Request – Options, Domestic and Sexual Violence Services – Jennifer Hecker
- c) 2026 Budget Request – Walter P. Chrysler Boyhood Home & Museum – Karen Day
- d) 2026 Budget Request – Grow Hays – David Clingan

3) SPECIAL ORDER

- a) Fire Department Report – Chief Dustin
- b) Consider Approval of Renewal of Employee Health Insurance Policies – Lori Miller, Heartland Retirement & Benefits Consulting, LLC, & Jeremy McGuire, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Kansas

4) UNFINISHED BUSINESS

5) NEW BUSINESS

- a) Discuss Traffic on Monroe Street – David Molstad
- b) Consider Approval of Fire Truck Repairs
- c) Consider Approval of Resolution No. 639 Allowing Discharge of Fireworks
- d) Consider Approval of Annual Preventive Maintenance for Ellis' Two Sirens
- e) Authorize Mayor to Sign KDOT Cost Share Grant Award Contract
- f) Authorize Mayor to Sign FY23 State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Letter, Procurement Attestation and Memorandum of Agreement
- g) Consider Approval of Noise Permit Application – Walter P. Chrysler Boyhood Home & Museum
- h) Consider Approval of Tourism Committee's Recommendation for Welcome Banners
- i) Consider Approval of the Roster of Committee Appointments

6) REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

- a) Administrative
 - 1) Public Works
 - (1) Department Update
 - 2) Police
 - (1) Department Update
 - (2) Mid-Month Incident Report for May

- 3) City Clerk
 - (1) Minutes from Committee Meetings
 - (2) Department Update
- 4) Attorney
 - (1) Update on Trego Well Water Line Project
 - (2) Update on West 2nd Street Easements
- 5) Mayor Updates and Announcements

7) EXECUTIVE SESSIONS

8) ADJOURNMENT

AGENDA GUIDELINES:

Public must have councilmember or mayor sponsor any item they wish to have put on the agenda. The public MAY NOT have staff put items on the agenda. The deadline for agenda items is 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday preceding the scheduled meeting.

BILLS ORDINANCE:

The deadline for accounts payable items is 5:00 p.m. Tuesday preceding the scheduled meeting.

IO-Information Only
DA-Discussion/Action Item
Enc-Enclosure