

TOWN OF GORDONSVILLE

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John Potts, Mayor

The Gordonsville Town Council met in regular session on Monday, July 14, 2025 at 6:16 p.m.

Mayor Potts asked everyone to rise to recite the pledge of allegiance.

The Mayor asked Councilman Shane Smith to lead the meeting with a prayer.

Mayor Potts called the Council meeting to order. City Recorder Michael Ray showed the following members present with a roll call.

Vice-Mayor Williams	PRESENT
Councilwoman Bates	PRESENT
Councilman Pierce	PRESENT
Councilman Robinson	PRESENT
Councilman Smith	PRESENT

Mayor Potts opened the floor to the public for any comments on agenda items. No comments were made.

The following minutes were presented for consideration:

Public Hearing	June 9, 2025
Council Meeting	June 9, 2025

One correction was noted and corrected prior to the meeting regarding Councilman Smith's attendance at last month's meeting.

Police Chief Shannon Hunt was absent but provided his monthly report for the Police department. Mayor Potts presented the Chief's recommendation, Applicant A, for the filling of the open Full-Time Patrolman position. Councilman Smith made a motion to approve Applicant A with Councilwoman Bates seconding the motion. Roll call vote was as follows:

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Vice-Mayor Williams	Yay
Councilwoman Bates	Yay
Councilman Pierce	Yay
Councilman Robinson	Yay
Councilman Smith	Yay

The motion carried.

Fire Chief Daniel Lafevor provided his monthly report and advised the turnout gear ordered via the State Fire Marshal's grant is expected soon.

All Financial Statements were provided to council members. No comments or questions were made.

Ordinance 2025-06-09 ZA: An Ordinance to amend the Town of Gordonsville zoning ordinance for portions of the newly annexed property was presented for consideration on **second** reading. Councilman Robinson made a motion to approve on second reading with Councilwoman Bates seconding. Roll call vote was as follows:

Vice-Mayor Williams	Yay
Councilwoman Bates	Yay
Councilman Pierce	Yay
Councilman Robinson	Yay
Councilman Smith	Yay

The motion carried.

Mayor Potts addressed the water issues on Lisa Drive and advised that is didn't have to be engineered so the Town would begin looking into widening the ditches and laying down gravel to help the problem.

An amendment for the Town of Gordonsville Major Thoroughfare Plan was again presented for consideration of Rogers Road being changed to collector street. Vice-Mayor Williams made a motion to approve with Councilman

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Robinson seconding the motion to accept the amended plan. Roll call vote was as follows.

Vice-Mayor Williams	Yay
Councilwoman Bates	Yay
Councilman Pierce	Nay
Councilman Robinson	Yay
Councilman Smith	Yay

The motion carried.

Councilman Smith inquired as to where the Town was on the State's 10-year plan for the current traffic situation.

The draft fireworks Ordinance previously presented was submitted again for the Council's review to be considered at next month's meeting.

There was no old business to discuss.

There was no business for the Audit Committee.

With no other business to discuss, Councilman Smith made a motion to adjourn with Vice-Mayor Williams seconding. All were in favor.

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

Others in Attendance:

1. City Attorney Winkler
2. Smith County Insider
3. Fire Chief Daniel Lafevor
4. Drew Gentry

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Michael Ray, City Recorder