

# TOWN OF GORDONSVILLE

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*John Potts, Mayor*

The Gordonsville Town Council met in regular session on Monday, January 12, 2026 at 6:15 p.m.

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

The Mayor led 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	ABSENT

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:**

<b>Public Hearing</b>	<b>December 8, 2025</b>
<b>Council Meeting</b>	<b>December 8, 2025</b>

No additions or corrections were noted. The minutes were approved as written.

Police Chief Shannon Hunt provided his monthly report. He advised that the department had been busy.

Fire Chief Daniel Lafevor provided his monthly report.

The monthly financial reports were presented. No comments or questions were presented. The City Recorder advised the first draft of the annual

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financial audit had been received and everything looked good. A copy of the final draft was requested to be forwarded to the Council.

**Resolution 2026-01-12: A Resolution of the Town of Gordonsville, Tennessee to declare certain property owned by the city to be surplus to the city's needs and directing disposal of same** was presented for consideration. Vice-Mayor Williams made a motion to approve with Councilman Pierce seconding. The roll call vote was as follows:

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

The motion carried.

Under old business, City Attorney Winkler addressed the topic of the Town's FCC Radio Frequency. It was recently discovered that the County is currently using the frequency assigned to the Town of Gordonsville. The Attorney met with County officials to provide answers to questions posed during last month's Council meeting.

- The cost would be \$875.00 and would be covered by the County and could be done at a later date.
- It is unlikely, but not impossible, that the license application could be denied by the FCC.
- The Town will have one year from the time the frequency is obtained to begin using it or risk losing the license.

Mr. Winkler asked that at an agenda item be added under new business for next month to discuss applying for the new frequency.

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There was no business for the Audit Committee.

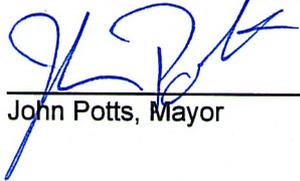
With no other business to discuss, Councilwoman Bates made a motion to adjourn with Councilman Robinson seconding. All were in favor.

The Council meeting adjourned at 6:26 p.m.

**Others in Attendance:**

1. City Attorney Winkler
2. Fire Chief Daniel Lafavor
3. Police Chief Shannon Hunt
4. WWTP Supervisor Drew Gentry
5. Smith County Insider
6. Bob Lynch with PE Partners

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Michael Ray, City Recorder