

CITY OF ANGUS REGULAR MEETING February 10, 2026

Mayor Julie Humphries called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Present for the meeting at roll call were Julie Humphries, Eben Stover, Ken Cook, Becky Henderson, and Jerry Newsom. Dylan Tidwell was absent.

Invocation was led by Kim Newsom.

Mayor Humphries stated that she would entertain a motion to approve the minutes of the January 13th, 2026 regular meeting. Jerry Newsom made a motion to approve the minutes. Motion was seconded by Eben Stover. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Mayor Humphries stated that she would entertain a motion to approve the financial report for January 2026. Ken Cook made a motion to approve the financial report for January 2026. Motion was seconded by Becky Henderson. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Angus VFD Report

Kim Newsom reported that they weren't as busy during the ice storm as expected, which is a good thing. Our insurance company VFIS has given us a grant for a set of airbags that can be used to stabilize vehicles. The airbags are a beginner set.

We have submitted TFS grant paperwork for reimbursement for the side by side we purchased. They will come out and inspect it and then reimburse us the money we spent on the side by side.

We received about \$29,000 total for 2025 from SureFire for filing the insurance reports for accidents we worked.

Sewer Report

Reported that we have a plumber coming to fix the line in the sewer plant on Wednesday 2/11/2026, so the plant will be shut down while repairs are being made. Weekly sampling has been put off until Friday.

Police Report

Council reviewed the report.

DPS office has installed Flock Cameras on Hwy 14, but the City of Richland police department does not have access to that data.

AGENDA ITEMS:

Old Business

- **ITEM # 1** – CONSIDER FOR APPROVAL A SUBDIVISION PLAT FOR CIRILO ROSALES #85858 & #85857. TAKE ACTION IF NECESSARY.

Becky Henderson made a motion to approve a subdivision plat for Cirilo Rosales #85858 & #85857. Motion was seconded by Jerry Newsom. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

We can approve the plat, but they will need to contact Angus Water Supply to have them run a study to make sure there is adequate water supply for the subdivision. The subdivision is zoned residential, with no mobile homes allowed in this subdivision. Owners of each 1 acre lot will have to have septic systems installed when they build homes. Permits with the City of Angus will be required for all new home builds in this subdivision.

- **ITEM # 2** – Reset a date for a Budget Workshop and a public hearing for the 2026-2027 Budget for the City of Angus. Take action if necessary.

Jerry Newsom made a motion to reset a date for a Budget Workshop on February 17, 2026 at 7pm. Motion was seconded by Becky Henderson. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

New Business

- **ITEM # 1** – Discuss entering into a new interlocal agreement with the City of Richland that will provide 30 hours per month of police service for a new rate of \$4000 per month. Take action if necessary.

Becky Henderson made a motion to approve with a change in the contract to a minimum of 35 hours per month of police service for a new rate of \$4000 per month. Motion was seconded by Ken Cook. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Chief Robinson stated that Richland and Angus have been in a interlocal agreement for 8 years now. Started in 2014 for \$1000 a month for 20 hours of service, and was raised to \$1500 a month for 30 hours in 2018, so we have not increased the monthly fee in quite some time. We enjoy the partnership and provide traffic violations, answer 911 calls and make arrests in the City of Angus.

With the rising increase in our software costs, vehicle maintenance, fuel for squad cars and officer rates is why we are needing to increase the monthly rate to \$4000. Richland police are patrolling the Angus neighborhoods more.

Eben Stover asked how many officers do they currently have. Chief Robinson stated that they currently have 3 full time officers and are looking to hire 1 more. Chief wants to have 2 officers

working each 12 hour shift, and has a solid group of officers at this time that he hopes to keep for many years to come. They have 5 police vehicles in service at this time.

This new interlocal agreement covers 7 days, when the previous agreements only covered 6 days. On paper we have agreed to 30 monthly hours, but we actually cover more hours than that. Becky Henderson asked for an increase in monthly hours to justify the increase to \$4000 a month from \$1500 which is about 150% cost increase to the City of Angus. Chief will present the hourly increase to the City of Richland and get back to us before being approved at the March council meeting.

Chief Robinson stated that Angus has more stretch of highway than Richland, so our officers make more stops in Angus than they do in Richland.

Ken Cook stated that this interlocal agreement is a benefit to the City of Angus, especially when we need the police for code enforcement within the City of Angus.

- **ITEM # 2** – Dylan Tidwell to resign as alderman, and Mayor to appoint new alderman. Take action if necessary.

Becky Henderson made a motion to table Dylan Tidwell's resignation since he did not attend the meeting. Motion was seconded by Jerry Newsom. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Motion to Adjourn

Jerry Newsom made a motion to adjourn. Motion was seconded by Becky Henderson. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Meeting adjourned at 8:08 p.m.



Julie Humphries, Mayor
City of Angus

I certify that this is a correct copy of the minutes of the February 10, 2026 Council Meeting.



Richelle Perry, City Secretary
City of Angus