

**CITY OF TRENTON  
FEBRUARY 24, 2026  
6:00 PM  
TRENTON CITY HALL**

Mayor Burriss called the regular scheduled meeting to order. Those present were Alderman Graves, Wade, Alderwomen Holt, Jones, and Elam. City employees were Ricky Bailey, Phil Hickerson, Joe Wamble, Anthony Shostrand, Terry Brown, Bill Cusson, Jeff Mueller, and Danielle Dixon. Visitors present were Gary Paschall, Jim Hesse, and Darryl Word.

Alderwoman Jones led the invocation with the Pledge of Allegiance to follow.

Alderwoman Jones made a motion to approve the minutes of the February 24, 2026 council meeting. Alderwoman Elam seconded the motion. The motion carried by voice vote.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**JIM HESSE WITH GIBSON COUNTY HABITAT FOR HUMANITY**

Jim Hesse stated that Gibson County Habitat for Humanity is applying for a THDA Grant to build single stand-alone homes in the Gibson County area. He asked the city council to help him with this by writing a letter of recommendation. If approved he plans to build 8 – 12 homes within the Gibson County area. He also stated that these homes will be located within the city limits to therefore provide the city with an economical benefit.

He is also applying for a SHOP (Self-Help Homeownership Opportunity Program) Grant which gives them money to buy property lots. He asked the council if they have any available lots that he could build the houses on once he was approved for the grant. Mayor stated he would love to write a recommendation letter and would check for available property within the city.

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budgets are due by this Friday, February 27<sup>th</sup>.

He said there will be a Zoning and Appeals Meeting on March 17<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am to discuss the plans to build a Silver Living House at 306 West 1<sup>st</sup> Street in Trenton, TN.


Next city council meeting will be March 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm.

Alderwoman Elam made a motion to adjourn at 6:40 pm. Alderwoman Holt seconded the motion. The motion carried by voice vote.



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Tony Burriss, Mayor



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Danielle Dixon, City Recorder