

MINUTES
GIG HARBOR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
Monday, April 27, 2026 – 5:30 p.m.
Council Chambers

CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL

Mayor Barber called the meeting to order at 5:31 p.m. Councilmembers Coronado, Ekberg, Martin, Rodenberg, Stone, and Tessicini were present. Councilmember Ammann arrived at 5:33 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

PRESENTATIONS

1. Mental Health Awareness Month Proclamation

CONSENT AGENDA

MOTION: Move to approve the consent agenda (Martin/Tessicini).

VOTE: Unanimously approved.

1. **Approval of Vouchers: AP check numbers 202200 thru 202316, PR check numbers 109130 thru 109142, and ACH payments in the amount of \$1,575,774.55**
2. **Approval of Payroll**
3. **Appointment of Robin Avni and Nora Eckstein and the Reappointment of Kris Robinson to the Arts Commission with Terms Expiring March 31, 2029**
4. **Interlocal Agreement with Pierce County for LS#5A Funding**
5. **Quit Claim Deed from Hunt Street Property from FISH Food Bank to City of Gig Harbor**
6. **Resolution 1357 Authorizing the Submittal of a PSAR Grant Application for the North Creek Culvert Replacement Project**
7. **Resolution 1358 Authorizing the Submittal of a BAFBRB Grant Application for the North Creek Culvert Replacement Project**

MAYOR'S REPORT

Mayor Barber spoke about on:

- The ribbon cutting for the sports fields at the Gig Harbor Sports Complex
- The 2026 Paddler's Cup
- The Unified Regional Approach to Homelessness meeting
- Her visit with Swift Water Elementary kindergarteners about recycling

CITY ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

City Administrator Katrina Knutson spoke on:

- The city received the quit claim deed for the Hunt Street property to be used for affordable housing

BUSINESS ITEMS

1. Resolution 1359 Setting a Public Hearing for Ardena Lane Non-User Statue Right of Way Vacation

MOTION: Adopt resolution 1359 setting public hearing and first reading of ordinance for a right-of-way vacation (Ekberg/Stone).

VOTE: Unanimously approved.

2. Senior Services Grant Award Recommendation

MOTION: Move to approve the staff recommended Senior Services Grant Awardees (Martin/Ekberg).

VOTE: Approved 6-0-1 with Rodenberg abstaining.

3. South Sound Military & Communities Partnership (SSMCP) Elected Official Council Appointee

MOTION: Move to appoint Julie Martin as the primary and Le Rodenberg as the alternate (Ekberg/Ammann).

VOTE: Unanimously approved.

STAFF REPORTS

1. Quarterly Finance & Budget Reports: Presented by Finance Director Scott Larson

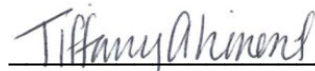
COUNCIL REPORTS/ COMMENTS

- Councilmember Stone mentioned an upcoming housing event
- Councilmember Martin spoke on the sports fields ribbon cutting

ANNOUNCEMENT OF UPCOMING MEETINGS

1. Upcoming City Meetings

ADJOURN The meeting adjourned at 6:21 p.m.



Tiffany Aliment, CMC
City Clerk