

City of St. Robert
Board of Alderman Meeting
St. Robert Municipal Chambers
March 04, 2026
5:00 P.M.

Present: Mayor James Breckinridge
Alderman Glen Askeland
Alderman Linda Daniels
Alderman Michael Hanks
Alderman Reggie Hall
Alderman John Moore
Alderman Michael Myers (Web-Ex)
Alderman Walter Reese
Alderman Charles Slider

Absent:

Legal Attending:

Staff Attending: City Administrator, Anita Ivey
Assistant City Administrator, Mark Parker
Human Resources, Dana Walker

1. CALL THE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING TO ORDER AND CERTIFY THE QUORUM
At 5:00 p.m., Mayor James Breckinridge called the regular council meeting to order and certified the quorum.

2. CONSENT AGENDA:

Alderman Linda Daniels read the Treasurer's Report.

Motion by Alderman Slider and seconded by Alderman Askeland, Board of Alderman meeting minutes dated 01/06/2026, the Treasurer's Report, and Payment of Bills.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

3. OLD/NEW BUSINESS:

3.1 March, 2026 Employee Recognition: Chris Dumas

3.2 March, 2026 Business of the Month: Carnivors Steakhouse

3.3 KPM Audit Review – 2025; John Cummings

3.4 AN ORDINANCE APPOINTING LAUBER MUNICIPAL LAW AS ATTORNEY FOR THE CITY OF ST ROBERT

Motion by Alderman Hall and seconded by Alderman Reese to approve Bill #26-012 on the first reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Moore and seconded by Alderman Hanks to approve Bill #26-012 on the second reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Reese and seconded by Alderman Hall to approve Ordinance #4226 on the final reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

3.5 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT AUTHORIZING ATTORNEY HENRY SURKAMP TO ACT AS MUNICIPAL PROSECUTOR FOR THE CITY OF ST ROBERT

Motion by Alderman Hall and seconded by Alderman Moore to approve Bill #26-013 on the first reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Hanks and seconded by Alderman Daniels to approve Bill #26-013 on the second reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Askeland and seconded by Alderman Hall to approve Ordinance #4227 on the final reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye

	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

3.6 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO ENTER INTO A PUBLIC DONATION AGREEMENT WITH MARIES COUNTY BANCORP INC FOR THE DONATION OF LAND TO THE CITY

Motion by Alderman Reese and seconded by Alderman Moore to approve Bill #26-014 on the first reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Askeland and seconded by Alderman Daniels to approve Bill #26-014 on the second reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Slider and seconded by Alderman Askeland to approve Ordinance #4228 on the final reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

3.7 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF OF POLICE OF THE CITY OF ST ROBERT TO APPLY TO THE TRAFFIC AND HIGHWAY SAFETY DIVISION OF THE MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR A DWI ENFORCEMENT GRANT

Motion by Alderman Askeland and seconded by Alderman Hall to approve Bill #26-015 on the first reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Moore and seconded by Alderman Hall to approve Bill #26-015 on the second reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye

	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Reese and seconded by Alderman Askeland to approve Ordinance #4229 on the final reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

3.8 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF OF POLICE OF THE CITY OF ST ROBERT TO APPLY TO THE TRAFFIC AND HIGHWAY SAFETY DIVISION OF THE MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR A HAZARDOUS MOVING VIOLATION ENFORCEMENT GRANT

Motion by Alderman Slider and seconded by Alderman Askeland to approve Bill #26-016 on the first reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Reese and seconded by Alderman Moore to approve Bill #26-016 on the second reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Hall and seconded by Alderman Moore to approve Ordinance #4230 on the final reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

3.9 APPROVE LIQUOR LICENSE FOR MARIAH'S FULL CIRCLE (DBA OB'S)

Motion by Alderman Askeland and seconded by Alderman Moore to approve the liquor license for Mariah's Full Circle (DBA OB'S)

Vote:			
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	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

3.10 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ST ROBERT, MISSOURI, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO APPOINT SUCCESSOR DIRECTORS TO THE LIBERTY COMMONS COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

Motion by Alderman Askeland and seconded by Alderman Moore to approve the resolution.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

4. COMMENTS BY THE ALDERMEN:

Alderman Askeland

- Thank you to the police and fire departments for their hard work.
- Congratulations to Chris Dumas – Employee Recognition

Alderman Daniels

- No Comment(s)

Alderman Hall

- No Comment(s)

Alderman Hanks

- Received a compliment about the professionalism in the front office in handling a utility bill issue. Employees go above and beyond.

Alderman Moore

- Welcome to the new city attorney.

Alderman Myers

- No Comment(s)

Alderman Reese

- Appreciates the work that Chris Dumas does. Good job!

Alderman Slider

- Complimented the employees in City Hall front office for professionalism and good attitudes. Received a compliment from a neighbor about good customer service.

5. COMMENTS BY THE ADMINISTRATION:

5.1 Police Chief; Curtis Curenton

- The City of St. Robert has seen a declining crime rate over the last decade.

cademy is now on site through Lincoln University in Jefferson City, MO. City of St. Robert police officers are participating in instruction. This will definitely help future recruitment potential.

- Attended funeral service in Ozark Missouri for two Christian County officers that passed away.
- The City is committed to supporting the police department and is very supportive of the department's needs.

5.2 Fire Department; Jordan Light

- Everything is going well at the Fire Department.
- Continuing with inspections and training
- Responded to structure fire in Waynesville
- Ran the typical 100 calls for the month

5.3 Park Superintendent; Travis Brooks

- Outdoor main pump is fixed and good to go for Tiger Typhoon
- Working on Kickin' It Route 66 BBQ
- Easter Egg Hunt will be held on the golf course on 04/04/2026
- Started swimming lessons
- Volleyball is ending this week
- Soccer will start at the end of the month

5.4 WSR Sports; Kindra Bruce - Absent

- No Comment(s)

5.5 Transfer Station Manager, Ricky Zeigenbein

- February, 2026 Tonnage Report
 - 3,254 tons
 - Average of 171 tons per day
- Transfer station was closed on 02/26/26-02/27/26 due to high volume
- We now have trucks to haul to Hartville
- A few mechanical issues needed fixed on trucks
- Maintenance on trailers (change tires, brakes, arm assemblies, etc.)

5.6 FLW Sanitation Manager; Jason Veasman

- January, 2026 – 573.23 tons of trash (18% recycle rate)
- February, 2026 – 763.10 tons of trash (21% recycle rate)

5.7 Public Works Director; Steve Long

- Back truck had internal engine filter – had to be towed to Springfield for repair
- Waynesville backed us up while our truck was down.
- Fire extinguisher maintenance completed for City
- Archer is trying to get in touch with vendor that supplied aeration equipment at treatment plant. Guides for hoses/blowers are needed.
- A couple of water main breaks were corrected.
- Lift station on Deborah Avenue went down – took a couple of hours to correct.
- Working on installation of Ball Field lights

5.8 IT Manager; Don Coplin

- Security software has started sending out random phishing emails to City employees.
- Training modules are also being sent to employees.

5.9 Tom's Computer;

- New audio/video equipment appears to be working well in Council Chambers
- Working on streaming Council Meetings which will allow greater accessibility and archiving of City meetings.

5.10 Assistant City Administrator; Mark Parker

- Transition of Tyler Time & Attendance is very time consuming but is coming along.
- Provided manager training for Tyler Time & Attendance.
- Working on transitioning Fire Department to Tyler.
- Very busy with Tyler meetings, training, and transition.
- Busy working on Route 66 BBQ

5.11 Human Resources; Dana Walker

- The last few weeks have been very busy with Tyler.
- Busy with HR duties supporting our employees & working with Department Heads with questions/concerns regarding employee issues.
- Several interviews to schedule and perform
- Working hard to make sure Tiger Typhoon is staffed and ready to open

5.12 Finance Officer; Edna Givins

- February, 2026 Financial Summary Report:
 - General Sales Tax increased 6.24% over 2025
 - Amount Received: \$324,418.00
 - Actual increase amount: \$19,000.00
 - Direct result of \$32,441,863 of reported sales for December, 2025
 - Online Use Sales Tax increased 2.6% over 2025
 - Amount Received: \$53,762.00
 - Actual increase amount: \$1,082.00
 - Direct results of \$2,633,988.00 of reported taxable sales
 - Ending Balance in Operating Checking Account: \$3.1 Million Dollars

5.13 City Administrator; Anita Ivey

- Thank you to Mark Parker for taking lead on Tyler Time & Attendance
- March 09, 2026 MoDot will have ADA projects on Z Hwy.
- Household Hazardous Waste Collection to be held from 9:00AM – 12:00PM at the St. Robert Community Center on 04/18/26.
- Airport Committee met – new terminal is 60% completed
- Thank you to the Board of Aldermen for helping with the interview/selection process for the new City Attorney.

5.14 City Attorney; Nathan Nickolaus

- Happy to be onboard and looking forward to working with the City of St. Robert

6. COMMENTS BY THE MAYOR:

- The Next Regular Board of Aldermen Meeting will be April 01, 2026 at 5:00 PM
- Deadline to register to vote on the 04/07/2026 Municipal Election is one week away.
- The City was proactive about communicating with residents about the increased utility rates as result of the winter storm. Thank you to residents of St. Robert that were positive and receptive to our efforts.

7. VOTE TO CLOSE MEETING & GO INTO CLOSED SESSION:

MEETING IS BEING CLOSED PURSUANT TO MISSOURI LAW CHAPTER 610.021 TO

7.1 LEGAL - SECTION 1
 7.2 REAL ESTATE- SECTION 2
 7.3 PERSONNEL - SECTION 3

Motion by Alderman Askeland and seconded by Alderman Daniels to adjourn the Regular Council Meeting & go into Closed Session at 6:53 PM.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Myers, and seconded by Alderman Sider to close, Closed Session & Open the Regular Council Meeting at 7:21 PM.

Vote:			
Askeland	Aye	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

8.1 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE PURCHASE OF A 2021 INTERNATIONAL LT625 TRACTOR TRUCK FROM RUSH

Motion by Alderman Daniels and seconded by Alderman Hanks to approve Bill #26-0017 on the first reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	<i>Abstain</i>	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Daniels and seconded by Alderman Askeland to approve Bill #26-017 on the second reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	<i>Abstain</i>	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Slider and seconded by Alderman Reese to approve Ordinance #4231 on the final reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	<i>Abstain</i>	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye

	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

8.2 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE PURCHASE OF A 2021 FREIGHTLINER PT126DC TRACTOR TRUCK FROM PREMIER TRUCK GROUP

Motion by Alderman Daniels and seconded by Alderman Myers to approve Bill #26-0018 on the first reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	<i>Abstain</i>	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Reese and seconded by Alderman Hall to approve Bill #26-018 on the second reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	<i>Abstain</i>	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Slider and seconded by Alderman Moore to approve Ordinance #4232 on the final reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	<i>Abstain</i>	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

8.3 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY OF ST ROBERT MANNING CHART

Motion by Alderman Daniels and seconded by Alderman Myers to approve Bill #26-0019 on the first reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	<i>Abstain</i>	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Reese and seconded by Alderman Hall to approve Bill #26-019 on the second reading.

Vote:			
Askeland	<i>Abstain</i>	Moore	Aye

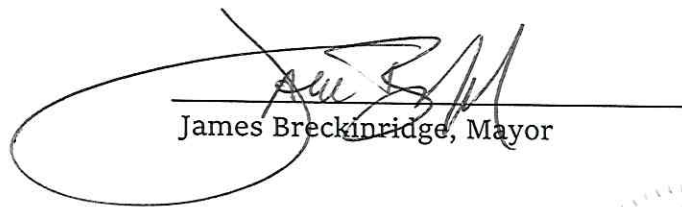
	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Myers and seconded by Alderman Hanks to approve Ordinance #4233 on the final reading.

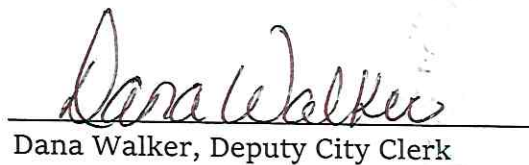
Vote:			
Askeland	<i>Abstain</i>	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			

Motion by Alderman Moore, and seconded by Alderman Myers to close Regular Council Meeting & Adjourn at 7:27 PM.

Vote:			
Askeland	<i>Abstain</i>	Moore	Aye
Daniels	Aye	Myers	Aye
Hall	Aye	Reese	Aye
Hanks	Aye	Slider	Aye
Motion carried.			


James Breckinridge, Mayor

Attest:


Dana Walker, Deputy City Clerk