Town of Farmington
Regular Town Council Meeting
September 21st, 2026 – 6:00 PM

Open Regular Town Council Meeting:
Farmington's September 21st, 2026, Regular Town Council Meeting was called to order at 6:00pm

Roll Call:
Council members: Lavon Walser, Rudy Goossen, Adrian Green, and Jason Brausen

Visitors:
Lyle Wagner

Citizen Comments:
Lyle Wagner was cleaning out his dad's property, Jerry Wagner, and found an old Farmington Highschool basketball jersey. Lyle believes it to be from around 1957. The jersey belonged to Jerry back when he was in school. Lyle put the jersey in a shadowbox and would like to donate it to the town. The town accepted the jersey and will hang it up in the town hall conference room.

Approval of the Consent Agenda:
- Check Register from August 25th through September 21st, 2026, $13,406.37 including claims of $6,360.35 and payroll of $7,046.02.
- Minutes from August 24th, 2026, Regular Town Council Meeting.
- August 2026 Treasurer's Report.

Jason Brausen **MOVED** to approve August 24th, 2026, Regular Town Council meeting consent agenda. Lavon Walser **seconded the motion, and the motion was carried unanimously.**

Old Business:

New Business:

Maintenance Comments:
Council member Lavon let everyone know that a pickleball ball net and rackets and soccer nets and a soccer ball were purchased for the town and are in the park for everyone to enjoy.

Council Comments:
Council member Jason stated that he thinks that we may have missed our window to work on cleaning the creek out this season because the creek is starting to fill with water. Lavon and Jason had done some work on it earlier and got it cleaned up a little bit and got a big log moved out of the center that should help with the flow of the creek. Lavon stated that she put a camera up down in the creek and it does not look like there are any beavers there as of now but there are a few racoons hanging out by the creek. Council member Rudy asked if Casey from Pine Creek Conservation District every came out to look. Lavon let him know that he had come out and said that should start working on cleaning up the creek but that some areas a biologist with Fish and Game might say that we will need permits for it. Casey was going to work with Fish and Game to get a permit for us for the removal of the beaver dam. Jason stated that it would also be nice to get some equipment to help with the clean up and removal of logs and overgrowth in the creek bed.
The burn ban will be over by the 30th of September and can also start to burn the tall grass in the creek bed if that looks to be a good option.

Clerk/Treasurer Comments:
Jamie provided an updated Flood plain ordinance draft to the council to review and see what FEMA was having the town make changes to on the ordinance. Not all of the changes were complete yet and a final draft will be provided at the October meeting for council to adopt.

Mayor's Comments:

Mayor Gamez let everyone know that we are all set up for the GMA grant work to be completed in 2027. The grant money is for a little less than last year but other than that it is all about the same work as what was done in 2026. Last year the town was granted $10k and this year due to commerce cutbacks the town will be granted $9,800. Jason asked what the main point was of the town having to complete this work. Mayor Gamez let him know that the work will keep the town compliant with commerce and the state so that we are eligible to receive grants in the future if the town needs one.

Adrian Green **MOVED** to adjourn the meeting. Jason Brausen **seconded the motion, and the motion carried unanimously.** The meeting was adjourned at 6:19 pm.

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Mayor Josh Gamez

Attest: _____
Jamie Erickson, Clerk-Treasurer

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