

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL
OF FOREMAN, ARKANSAS
April 20, 2026**

The City Council of Foreman, Arkansas met in regular session April 20th, 2026, in the Foreman Community Center. The following were present: Mayor Bill Harp, Council members Joyce Green, Alana Cody, Tommy McDonald, Joe Green, Treasurer Ashley Osborne, Recorder Michelle Harp.

ABSENT: Jacqueline Wiseman, Mike McKee

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Harp, followed by prayer from Council Member Joyce Green. This was followed by the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance.

REVIEW & APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The April minutes were reviewed and approved by the Council with a motion by McDonald and seconded by Joyce Green. Motion carried.

REVIEW & APPROVAL OF FINANCIALS:

The financials for March were reviewed and approved by the Council with a motion by McDonald and seconded by Cody. Motion Carried.

CITIZEN'S COMMENTS:

Elbert Bradley presented an update on the Food Box that Kiwana's would like to put up at the old park.

Forrest Vertz petitioned the council to vacate a road/easement. City Attorney Bishop advised the city to put up flags to show what they would like the city line to be and what Vertz's next step would be: revise petition, new assessment, and advertise for public hearing.

OLD BUSINESS:

The council discussed the Fire Dept. wanting a credit card. A motion was made to obtain them one by Joe Green and second by McDonald. Motion carried.

The mayor asked the council about getting gravel for 4th St instead of grading. The mayor will ask county how much would be needed.

NEW BUSINESS:

The council approved to add Kristan Chapa and Courtney Mauger to all bank accounts at all banks as signers and remove Ashley Osborne and Kathy (Kimberly) Cleghorn from all accounts at all banks. A motion was made by McDonald and seconded by Joe Green. Motion carried.

Ashley presented the information on the Trauma Assistance program. A motion was made by McDonald and seconded by Joyce Green to approve the city participating in the program. Motion carried.

INDIVIDUAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Mrs. Green expressed concern about bicycles riding behind parked cars.

McDonald wants to put up signs in front of the basketball courts that advise "no vehicles beyond this point".

The mayor advised about needing a security fence around the sewer pond.

ADJOURNMENT:

A motion was made by Council Member McDonald, seconded by Council Member Cody to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 5:28 p.m.


Michelle Harp, Recorder


William Harp, Mayor