

**MINUTES**  
**Stevenson City Council**  
**Special Budget Meeting**  
**Tuesday, November 12, 2025**

**6:00 PM**

Attending: **Mayor Scott Anderson; Councilmembers Lucy Lauser, Michael Johnson, Dave Cox, Chuck Oldfield.** Councilmember Pat Rice attended via the remote link.

Staff: **City Administrator Wesley Wootten, Ray Broughton, Stevenson Fire Chief, Jayne Borden, City Finance Director, Cody Rosander, Stevenson Public Works Director**

**1. CALL TO ORDER/PRESENTATION TO THE FLAG:** Mayor Anderson called the special meeting to order at 6 p.m. He explained the purpose of the meeting was to reflect budget priorities in keeping with the city's strategic plan.

**2. PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

**None received**

**3. CHANGES TO THE AGENDA:**

**No changes were made.**

**4. COUNCIL BUSINESS**

**a) Council Discussion - 2026 Budget Priorities** - Council discussed its priorities for the 2026 budget.

- Establish a storm water district
- Use funding to maintain city parks and landscape strips
- Make entrances to Stevenson enticing
- Code enforcement to enforce nuisance complaints
- Affordable housing - pre-approved plans
- Developer support
- CHIP Housing program
- Engage Planning Commission to review codes for tiny home construction
- Infrastructure-water sources
- Replacement of AC water lines/older valves
- Improvements to the GIS program
- Training for staff
- Pedestrian safety/sidewalks

**5. ADDITIONAL PUBLIC COMMENT:** *[This is an opportunity for members of the audience to address the Council for items discussed at the meeting.]*

**None provided.**

**6. ADJOURNMENT** - Mayor Anderson adjourned the meeting at 7:15.