

Lynn Town Council

August 5, 2026

Minutes

Barbara called the meeting to order at 5:00pm.

In attendance was Barbara Johnson (President), Arthur Kirtley (Council Member), Robert Hutchens (Council Member), Suzan Myers (attorney), Michael Straley III (Clerk), Travis Jones (Marshal), Michael Haney (Waste & Water Superintendent), Jonathan Nicholson (Fire Chief), Daniel Fry (Reserve)

This was followed by the pledge to the flag, the Lord's prayer and a moment of silence for Brad Fisher.

Robert made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 1, 2026, meeting. Arthur second the motion. motion carried all in favor.

Arthur made a motion to approve claims. Robert seconded the motion. Motion carried all in favor.

Robert made a motion to approve BONY transfers. Arthur seconded the motion. Motion carried all in favor.

Robert made a motion to approve water transfer. Arthur seconded the motion. Motion carried all in favor.

Barbara called for council information. There was none.

Barbara called for Attorney information. She said there was a Resolution 2026-4 dealing with Water adjustments. Michael read Resolution 2026-4. Arthur made a motion to adopt resolution 2026-4. Robert seconded the motion. Motion carried all in favor.

Barbara called for Employee information. Michael Haney stated he had to call for an emergency electrician on Saturday due to the floods it caused an issue with the pumps. He stated Sunday we had a water main break. He also stated a fire hydrant was hit by a vehicle on Garfield and would need fixed as well.

Travis stated that he wanted to thank the board and community for their support during this time. He stated that he was in idle mode for now and was only doing Admin work. He stated Daniel Fry would need sworn in as a Reserve under the new marshal. He stated he still needed to inventory Brad's truck and then would like for the truck to set at Daniels house in case he needed him for a call. He stated he would start mowing this week. Travis said that a previous board had agreed for a police and fire memorial to be placed in the front yard. They had approved that the town would move the flagpole to the center of the yard. He stated he had people willing to fund the memorials. Brad Fisher would be on the police, and Ron Stephen would be on the fire. Arthur made a motion for the town to move the flagpole. Robert seconded the motion. Motion carried all in favor.

Travis asked that 68-L1 be retired unless Brad's children would join the police dept and want to use it. Arthur made a motion to retire 68-L1. Robert seconded the motion. Motion carried all in favor.

Barbara read a letter prepared by Jonathan as well as Michael requesting that the remaining sick, vacation, fire pay be paid out to Jeanette. Travis stated there would be one more payroll for OPO but hasn't received the information on that yet.

Arthur made a motion to pay Brad's remaining pay. Robert seconded the motion. Motion carried all in favor.

Michael Haney stated that the concrete for the tower had been fixed as well as the light. Michael Straley stated we were still waiting for the inspection report before we would sign off on competition.

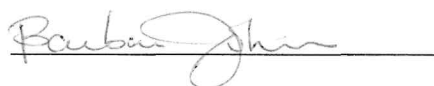
Barbara called for clerk information. Michael stated we had recently switched from Comcast to Parallax for our phone system and it would save the town \$150 a month. The new sign is expected to be here at the end of August or first of September. Michael stated within the next couple of weeks the town will be doing some network upgrades to help with better security.

Barbara called for old business. There was none.

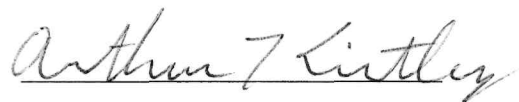
Barbara called for new business. Arthur made a motion to approve Travis Jones as Temporary Marshal. Robert seconded the motion. Motion carried all in favor.

Barbara called for citizen comments. Brad Rhoades stated he didn't agree with the Resolution that was passed dealing with water adjustments. He stated that he had a leak and we adjusted it and it was because our meter was broken. Michael stated the meter was not broken that the meters don't speed up they would slow down if anything. He stated that we can send his meter off to be tested to see if it is not working correctly, but it would be at his cost. Michael Haney stated he would get a readout of the meter to see what was going on.

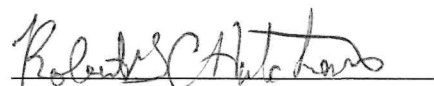
Robert made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Arthur second the motion. Motion carried all in favor.



Barbara Johnson, President



Arthur Kirtley, Council Member



Robert Hutchens, Council Member



Michael L Straley III, Clerk Treasurer