

## Upland Town Council Minutes: September 2, 2025

### Opening Remarks :

The Town Council of the Town of Upland met in a regular session on September 2, 2025 following the Unsafe Building Meeting. The meeting was called to order at 6:35 PM by Council President, Shawn Sizemore.

In attendance were Shawn Sizemore, Brad Yordy, Amy McCrea, Michael Harbin, and Heath Slain.

### Opening Business:

August 5, 2025 meeting minutes were presented for approval. Motion made by Brad Yordy to accept the minutes, seconded by Heath Slain. Approved by a vote of 3-0, 2 abstained.

August 19, 2025 meeting minutes were presented for approval. Motion made by Amy McCrea to accept the minutes, seconded by Brad Yordy. Approved by a vote of 4-0, 1 abstained.

### ❖ Department Reports:

❖ **Upland Police Department, Marshal Andy Cassidy - Not Present**

❖ **Upland Volunteer Fire Department - Not Present**

❖ **Upland Clerk-Treasurer, Mary Fletcher**

- Clerk-Treasurer Fletcher presented the July, 2025 financial reports for approval. A motion was made by Michael Harbin to approve the APV Register, Allowance Docket, Fund Report and Appropriation Report for July, 2025, seconded by Heath Slain. Approved by a vote of 5-0
- The Public Hearing for the 2026 Budget will be held on September 16 and the adoption hearing will be October 7.
- The Audit Exit Conference is scheduled for September 10, 2025 at 10:00AM.
- Thank you to OTU, Upland Community Market, Upland Lions Club and our residents for making Labor Day Weekend so successful.
- The October 21, 2025 meeting will be cancelled. Jonathan and Mary will be at the AIM Conference.

❖ **Upland Town Manager, Jonathan Perez**

- Mr. Perez reported that Labor Day Weekend was successful despite the current construction.
- He requested an Executive Session for development updates.
- ESG is working on bids for proposed projects. It does look like everything should be within budget.
- INDOT has delays but still feels they can complete the project within the window stated in the last meeting.
- There will be 3 road projects happening this fall before winter.

### Action Items:

- ❖ Ordinance 5-2025, An Ordinance Annexing Certain Real Estate, was read to the public and the public hearing was held. No comments or questions were given

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- by the public. A motion was made to approve the 1st reading of Ordinance 5-2025 by Michael Harbin, seconded by Heath Slain. Approved by a vote of 5-0.
- ❖ Resolution 6-2025, Fiscal Plan for Ordinance 5-2025 was read to the public. A motion was made to approve Resolution 6-2025 by Brad Yordy, seconded by Amy McCrea. Approved by a vote of 5-0.
  - ❖ Bob Jackson- Grant County Emergency Management, presented Resolution 7-2025, Adopting the Grant County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan. This plan must be adopted every 5 years. A motion was made to approve Resolution 7-2025 by Michael Harbin, seconded by Amy McCrea, Approved by a vote 5-0
  - ❖ Bob Jackson reminded the public that September is emergency preparedness month. Go to [Ready.gov](https://www.ready.gov) for a list of emergency plans.

**Public Comments:** NONE

**Council Reports:**

- ❖ **Heath Slain-** Thank you for Labor Day Events
- ❖ **Michael Harbin-** Thank you for Labor Day Events
- ❖ **Amy McCrea –** Thank you for Labor Day Events
- ❖ **Brad Yordy -** Nothing
- ❖ **Shawn Sizemore -** Nothing

**ADA/Title 6 Concerns:** Nothing to report

The meeting was adjourned at 7:00 PM

ATTEST:   
Mary Fletcher (Clerk Treasurer)

SIGNED   
PRESIDENT