

MINUTES OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

OF THE LA SALLE CITY COUNCIL

Monday, January 19, 2026

6:00 p.m. – City Hall Council Chambers

CALL TO ORDER

Alderman Jeppson called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present: Aldermen Demes, Reynolds, Jeppson, Herndon, and Crane

Excused Absence: Chairman Ptak, Aldermen Thompson and Lavieri

Moved by Alderman Crane and seconded by Alderman Herndon to allow Alderman Lavieri to attend the meeting remotely because of personal illness.

ROLL CALL

AYES: Aldermen Demes, Ptak, Reynolds, Lavieri, Jeppson, Herndon, Crane

NAYS: NONE **Absent:** NONE **Abstain:** NONE

Voice vote, all ayes. Motion is carried.

ROLL CALL

Present: Aldermen Demes, Reynolds, Lavieri, Jeppson, Herndon, and Crane

Excused Absence: Chairman Ptak, Aldermen Thompson

Others Present: Deputy Clerk Brent Bader, Finance Director John Duncan, Economic Development Director Curt Bedei, City Engineer Brian Brown, Fire Chief Jerry Janick,

A quorum was present.

Moved by Alderman Herndon and seconded by Alderman Reynolds to appoint Alderman Jeppson Chairman Pro-tem of the meeting.

Voice vote, all ayes. Motion is carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Moved by Alderman Reynolds and seconded by Alderman Demes to approve the minutes of the Finance Committee meeting from the January 5, 2026, meeting.

Voice vote, all ayes. Motion carried.

DISCUSSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Finance Director John Duncan explained that the purpose of the following motion is to open the bidding process for City-Wide grounds maintenance. Several additional locations were added to the list of properties to ascertain specific costs for mowing each of them.

Moved by Alderman Crane and seconded by Alderman Herndon to recommend to the Council to approve of bidding City-Wide grounds maintenance and related matters.

Voice vote, all ayes. Motion carried.

COMMENTS

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Alderman Reynolds and seconded by Alderman Demes to adjourn the meeting.

Voice vote, all ayes. Motion carried.

Chairman Pro-tem Jeppson adjourned the meeting at 6:06 p.m.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Liz Bishop". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Liz Bishop, City Clerk