

The Seymour Board of Aldermen met for a regular meeting at 6:00 pm on Thursday, March 26, 2026, in the Seymour City Hall Board Room, 123 West Market Street.

At 6:00 p.m. Mayor Alicia Hagen called the meeting to order.

Roll call: Jim Ashley, Doug Denney, Bub Wallace, Dan Wehmer. There is a quorum.

Also, present was City Administrator Hillary Elliott, Police Chief Steven Pogue, Fire Chief David Smith, City Clerk Leslie Houk.

Old Business

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Ashley/Denney to approve the minutes. Ayes: Ashley, Denney, Wallace. Nays: none. Abstain: Wehmer.

New Business

Approval of Bills

A motion was made by Wallace/Wehmer to approve the bills. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

Citizen Comments

Johanna Morris asked for clarification of agenda item open session after closed if the public is allowed to attend this portion of the meeting. Yes, they are.

Street Paving Bids

Three bids were received for paving the City Hall alley, Davis St., South B St., Cantrell St., and Scott St. APAC 166,400.00, Coltrane Asphalt 203,614.55, Emery Sapp 226,531.00. A motion was made by Ashley/Wehmer to approve APAC's bid. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

N. Commercial Street Parking

Alderman Bub Wallace would like no parking on street signs on North Commercial. If a vehicle is parked on the street, it is difficult for an emergency vehicle or a school bus to get through. A motion was made by Denney/Wallace to amend the parking prohibited ordinance to include North Commercial and have the ordinance on the next agenda. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

Sewer Service Line Maintenance Discussion

City Administrator Hillary Elliott handed out a draft ordinance for sewer service line maintenance. The current ordinance is not clear who is responsible for the sewer line from the main to the property. A motion was made by Wehmer/Denney to have the draft ordinance on the next agenda. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

Library Board Appointment

Mayor Alicia Hagen would like to appoint Kaley Julian to replace Tammy Helms. A motion was made by Denney/Wallace to approve Mayor Hagen's appointment. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

Department Reports

See Report.

Fire Report

See Report.

Police Report

See Report.

City Administrator Report

City Administrator Hillary Elliott would like to update the International Building Codes to 2024. The city is currently using 2012 International Building Codes and 1996 National Electrical Code. A motion was made by Ashley/Wehmer to update to the 2024 International Building Codes, 2026 National Electrical Code and have the ordinances on the next agenda as a consent agenda. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

Administrator Elliott requested quotes for 1,000 feet of underground wire. Fletcher Reinhardt 2,930.00, Harry Cooper 3,005.71. A motion was made by Wallace/Denney to approve Fletcher Reinhardt's quote. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

The inspection was completed at 216 Summit. The report will be sent to the City Attorney. A house on Clinton is falling in. Someone local has bought the property and will be tearing it down.

Aldermen's Report

Alderman Bub Wallace has issues with a volunteer fireman exceeding state allowed ten miles over speed limit. Alderman Wallace has spoke with Fire Chief David Smith and it is being addressed.

Alderman Doug Denney has been contacted about the locate flags along Water Street. Administrator Elliott said the flags can be removed.

Mayor Report

Mayor Alicia Hagen received a call about an RV across from the flower shop. Administrator Elliott said there is a camper there, but no one is living in it.

Mayor Hagen received a call about an RV at Wayne Worden's property. Administrator Elliott said there is no one living in it.

Helen Mallory would like it to be known she is not in favor of city trash. Marsha Kastning would like it to be known she is in favor of city trash.

The town hall meeting on Senate Bill 3 is March 31st at 6:00 p.m. at the Owen Theatre.

There is a meeting March 27th with the budget committee on the overpass.

At 6:50 p.m. a motion was made by Wallace/Denney to go into executive session. Ayes: all. Nays: none. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman Doug Denney-yes. Alderman Bub Wallace-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

The reason for the executive session is pursuant to section 610.021 (2) (3) Real Estate & Personnel.

At 7:50 p.m. a motion was made by Wallace/Wehmer to adjourn. Ayes: all. Nays: none. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman Doug Denney-yes. Alderman Bub Wallace-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

Mayor Alicia Hagen

City Clerk Leslie Houk