



**CITY OF ROYAL CITY
COUNCIL MINUTES
August 19, 2025**

The City Council of the City of Royal City, Grant County, Washington, met in regular session on August 19, 2025. The meeting was called to order at 7:04 pm by Mayor Christensen.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor Christensen, Councilmembers Garcia, Rodriguez and Piercy. **A motion was made to excuse Councilmembers Fanning and Kannelly, (m/s Garcia/Rodriguez), the motion carried.**

STAFF PRESENT: Finance Director Janice Flynn and Chief Rodriguez

PRESENTATIONS

- None
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PUBLIC COMMENT – Comments were received and summarized below

- None

CONSENT AGENDA: A motion was made to approve the consent agenda as presented. (m/s Garcia/Fanning), the motion carried.

Items on the Consent Agenda are as follows:

- Council Meeting Minutes from August 5, 2025
- Payroll 08/15/2025 in the amount of \$32,950.64
- Claims for 08/19/2025 #32169 – 32182 in the amount of \$51,619.21

PUBLIC HEARING

- None

ORDINANCES

- Ordinance #25-02 – Regarding Garbage Rates - **A motion was made to adopt Ordinance #25-02 replacing Appendix G of Chapter 5.04 of the Royal City Municipal Code, (m/s Garcia/Piercy), the motion carried.**

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RESOLUTIONS

- None

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STAFF REPORTS

Finance: The following was presented by Janice Flynn

- General Business

Police Department: The following was presented by Chief Rodriguez

- General business
- Computer services for the Police Dept through Grant County IT Services. There was discussion. Council approved Chief Rodriguez to move forward with gathering any additional information needed and drafting an ILA for review and signature.
- Officer Bronn will make a presentation regarding the Tactical Response Team at the 09/16/25 Council meeting.

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Public Works: PW Director Romero was not in attendance

- Council reviewed the Anderson Perry task order for preparing a bid package for miscellaneous payment repairs. There was discussion. **A motion was made to approve the Mayor to sign the task order with Anderson Perry & Associates for an amount not to exceed \$5,000.00.** (m/s Piercy/Rodriguez), the motion carried.

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Planning & Building:

- None

Legal:

- None

COUNCIL REPORT & COMMENTS –

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MAYOR’S REPORT & COMMENTS –

- Mayor Christensen presented salary comparisons and possible adjustments to Police Dept salaries. There was discussion. Council would like additional data

regarding revenue and expenses of the PD prior to making a final decision. Data will be gathered for consideration.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, a motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 8:20 pm. (Garcia), Motion carried unanimously.

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Michael Christensen, Mayor

ATTEST:

Janice Flynn, Finance Director