



City of Farmers Branch Action Meeting Minutes City Council

Farmers Branch City Hall
13000 Wm Dodson Pkwy
Farmers Branch, TX 75234

Saturday, July 11, 2026

5:00 PM

Council Chambers

The full video of this meeting is available on the City website at <https://farmersbranch.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>.

Council Present: Mayor Terry Lynne, Mayor Pro Tem David Reid, Deputy Mayor Pro Tem Roger Neal, Councilwoman Lupe Gonzalez, Councilwoman Tina Bennett-Burton, Councilwoman Elizabeth Villafranca

City Staff Present: City Manager Ben Williamson, Deputy City Manager Jawaria Tareen, Director of Administrative Services Stacy Henderson, Senior Management Analyst Erin Flores, and other City staff

CALL TO ORDER – SPECIAL CALLED MEETING (5:00 P.M.)

Mayor Lynne called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

- Jaime Rivas, 2808 Millwood Drive, Farmers Branch, Texas, expressed support for Councilwoman Gonzalez.
- Sara Rivas, 2808 Millwood Drive, Farmers Branch, Texas, spoke in support of Councilwoman Gonzalez.
- Nanci Williams, 2959 Amber Lane, Farmers Branch, Texas, expressed support for Councilwoman Gonzalez.
- Calcy Root, 3650 Janlyn Lane, Farmers Branch, Texas, spoke in support of Councilwoman Gonzalez.
- Esmer Sepulveda, 1425 Tanglewood Lane, Garland, Texas, spoke in support of Councilwoman Gonzalez.
- Robin Rose, 2979 Meadow Green Drive, Farmers Branch, Texas, expressed support for Councilwoman Gonzalez.
- Jill Haden, 3320 Rolling Knoll Drive, Farmers Branch, Texas, spoke in support of Councilwoman Gonzalez.
- Cindy Parrott, 1037 Cherrywood Lane, Carrollton, Texas, spoke in support of Councilwoman Gonzalez.
- Belinda Bernal, 3451 Rockmartin Drive, Farmers Branch, Texas, spoke in support of Councilwoman Gonzalez.
- Susana Herrera, 2572 Valwood Parkway, Farmers Branch, Texas, spoke in support of Councilwoman Gonzalez.
- Cynthia Godwin, 2128 Springwood Drive, Carrollton, Texas, spoke in support of Councilwoman Gonzalez.
- Dalilah Torres, 230 South MacArthur Boulevard #802, Coppell, Texas, spoke in support of Councilwoman Gonzalez.
- Stacy Tibbets, 14072 Stardust Lane, Farmers Branch, Texas, encouraged Council Members to work through their differences.
- Rick Johnson, Harlee Drive, Farmers Branch, Texas, expressed concerns regarding the ethics complaint process, and encouraged greater cooperation among elected officials.
- Rori Harrington, 3331 Veronica Drive, Farmers Branch, Texas, spoke in support of Councilwoman Gonzalez.
- Rebecca Jimenez, 2524 Fieldale Drive, Farmers Branch, Texas, spoke in support of Councilwoman Gonzalez.

City Council convened in closed Executive Session at 5:46 p.m.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

- C.1 The City Council will convene into a closed Executive Session pursuant to Section 551.074, Personnel, and Section 551.071, Consultation with Attorney, of the Texas Government Code to consider and deliberate, and to seek legal advice from the City Attorney, regarding a complaint alleging a violation of the City's Code of Ethics and an investigating attorney's report against Councilmember for District 1, pursuant to Section 2-284 of the City's Code, filed June 8, 2026.**

Mayor Lynne reconvened from Executive Session to the Special Called Meeting in Open Session at 6:54 p.m.

TAKE ANY ACTION AS NECESSARY AS A RESULT OF THE CLOSED EXECUTIVE SESSION

No action was taken as a result of Executive Session.

Mayor Lynne announced that a public hearing regarding the ethics complaint would be scheduled at a future date.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the City Council, Mayor Lynne adjourned the meeting at 6:54 p.m.

Interim City Secretary Stacy Henderson, TRMC

Mayor Terry Lynne