

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
LONDON, KENTUCKY

Held
July 7, 2025

A Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of London, Kentucky, was held on Jul 07, 2025, at 5:30 PM at the City Council Chambers, London, KY. Mayor Randall Weddle presided, and the following duly qualified and acting members of the City Council were:

Present:	Remote:	Absent:
Councilperson Anthony Ortega		
Councilperson Justin Young		
Councilperson Jim Baker		
Councilperson Stacy Bengé		
Councilperson Kelly Greene		
Councilperson Judd Weaver		

City Attorney Larry G. Bryson was present.
Council Attorney Conrad Cessna was present.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Randall Weddle at 5:30 PM

Opening Remarks

Council to hear from Somerset Community College

A motion was made to grant SCC the property for their new building.

A motion was made by Councilperson Stacy Bengé and seconded by Councilperson Kelly Greene to

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Anthony Ortega	Yes
Councilperson Justin Young	Yes
Councilperson Jim Baker	Yes
Councilperson Stacy Bengé	Yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene	Yes
Councilperson Judd Weaver	Yes
Mayor Randall Weddle	Did Not Vote

Council to hear from Chris Robinson-Tourism.

The loan was discussed with Council along with the insurance claims pending from the tornado damage.

No Motion Was Made

No vote took Place.

Council to hear from Kim Collier- World Chicken Festival.

Discussion on use of gravel lot owned by tourism.

No Motion Was Made

No vote took Place.

Council to hear from Small Business Administration (SBA).

Update on recovery.

No Motion Was Made

No vote took Place.

Approve minutes from June 2, 2025, June 9, 2025, and June 16, 2025 council meetings.

A motion was made by Councilperson Kelly Greene and seconded by Councilperson Justin Young to Approve

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Anthony Ortega	Yes
Councilperson Justin Young	Yes
Councilperson Jim Baker	Yes
Councilperson Stacy Bengé	Yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene	Yes
Councilperson Judd Weaver	Yes
Mayor Randall Weddle	Did Not Vote

First Reading of Ordinance 2025-04 (Development)

A subcommittee will be created and appointed by the Mayor.

A motion was made by Councilperson Stacy Bengé and seconded by Councilperson Justin Young to Table for September meeting.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Anthony Ortega	Yes
Councilperson Justin Young	Yes
Councilperson Jim Baker	Yes
Councilperson Stacy Bengé	Yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene	Yes

Councilperson Judd Weaver Yes
Mayor Randall Weddle Did Not Vote

First Reading of Ordinance 2025-05 (Bullying)

City Attorney Larry G. Bryson and Council Attorney Conrad Cessna are to meet over ordinance.

No Motion Was Made

No vote took Place.

First Reading of Ordinance 2025-06 (Elected Officials)

Councilperson Ortega moved to vote on not accepting the ordinance.

A motion was made by Councilperson Anthony Ortega and seconded by Councilperson Kelly Greene to reject the ordinance.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Anthony Ortega Yes
Councilperson Justin Young Yes
Councilperson Jim Baker No
Councilperson Stacy Benge Yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene Yes
Councilperson Judd Weaver Yes
Mayor Randall Weddle Did Not Vote

Ethics Board Appointments

Dwight Larkey and Heather Dyche- Table for the next meeting.

No Motion Was Made

No vote took Place.

Public Works

Subcommittee made up of Councilperson's Weaver, Benge, and Baker to meet with Public Works Director.

A motion was made by Councilperson Justin Young and seconded by Councilperson Anthony Ortega to approve the state's offer.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Anthony Ortega Yes
Councilperson Justin Young Yes

Councilperson Jim Baker	Yes
Councilperson Stacy Benge	Yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene	Yes
Councilperson Judd Weaver	Yes
Mayor Randall Weddle	Did Not Vote

City Plaza

Place new members on subcommittee. Councilperson Young and Weaver were added.

No Motion Was Made

No vote took Place.

Discussion on acting Clerk and acting Chief of Police.

Mayor to post positions.

No Motion Was Made

No vote took Place.

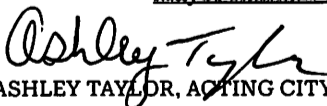
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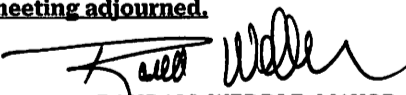
A motion was made by Councilperson Anthony Ortega and seconded by Councilperson Judd Weaver to Adjourn

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Anthony Ortega	Yes
Councilperson Justin Young	Yes
Councilperson Jim Baker	Yes
Councilperson Stacy Benge	Yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene	Yes
Councilperson Judd Weaver	Yes
Mayor Randall Weddle	Did Not Vote

Mayor Randall Weddle declared the meeting adjourned.


ASHLEY TAYLOR, ACTING CITY CLERK


RANDALL WEDDLE, MAYOR