

TOWN OF GREENWOOD
MINUTES OF THE WORK SESSION
OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN
Tuesday, August 19, 2025 - 6:00 PM

Present: Mayor Davis, Aldermen Clemons, Steele, Driggers and Larsen, Clerk Tiffany Searcy, Chief of Police Shayne Gibson and members of the public.

Absent: Alderman Adcock

Mayor Davis called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Alderman Steele led the invocation and pledge of allegiance.

Staff Reports: Chief Gibson reported 1) No use of force in May 2) New units are in and half of equipment installed 3) Policies and procedures are updated 4) Sen Presley office suggested requesting Capital Outlay grant funds to help with road repairs

Staff Reports: None

Mayor's Report: 1) Pickleball court is finished and net repaired 2) Pioneer Festival activities updated 3) Town Hall sign is not fully functional 4) Website is almost finished 5) Sept 6 we will have another community Bingo & Biscuits at 9am 6) Caddo Parish is under a burn ban, no outside burning allowed

Alderman Driggers is in the planning process of the 1st Responder's Banquet, tentatively on Nov 17th.

Approval of Minutes: Work Session July 22, 2025; there was no discussion from the board. Regular Session July 29, 2025; there was no discussion from the board.

Approval of Financials: July 2025; there was no discussion from the board.

1. Ordinance No. 9 of 2025

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE TO SUPPLEMENT THE CRIMINAL CODE FOR THE TOWN OF GREENWOOD, TO ADD AN ADDITIONAL OFFENSE TO THOSE ALREADY ADOPTED FOR THE PURPOSE OF REGULATING OR PROHIBITING CERTAIN DRUG ACTIVITIES; TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF SUCH REGULATIONS OR PROHIBITIONS; AND TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE TO WIT (To introduce and set for public hearing September 30, 2025 at 6:00 pm) Chief Gibson explained the need for this ordinance to bring Kratom possession thru Mayor's Court since the LA Legislature ban of distribution and possession of Kratom. There was a brief discussion.

Adjourn

There being no further business, on motion made by Alderman Larsen, seconded by Alderman Driggers, and approved by unanimous voice vote, the meeting was adjourned at 6:27 pm. Next meeting to be held on Tuesday, August 26, 2025 @ 6:00 p.m. for the Regular Session of the Board of Aldermen. All meetings held in the Town Hall Chambers.

s/s Tiffany Searcy, Town Clerk