

On Tuesday, February 24, 2026, at or before 4:59 p.m., agenda was posted at the front doors of City Hall, on the bulletin board in the lobby of City Hall, and on the City of Bethany website: cityofbethany.org.

MINUTES

BETHANY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2026
12:00 P.M.

BETHANY CITY HALL
6700 NW 36TH ST, BETHANY OK

MEMBERS PRESENT:	Brian Rooney	Chairman
	Lisa Looper	Vice Chair
	Joan Jenkinson	Secretary
	Joshua Young	Trustee

MEMBERS ABSENT:

OTHERS PRESENT:	Amanda Sandoval	Mayor
	Raquelynne Diaz	Community Development Assoc.
	(See Roster)	

Chairman Rooney called the Bethany Economic Development Authority meeting to order at 12:02 P.M.

ITEM NO. 1 on the agenda was **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE JANUARY 22, 2026, REGULAR BEDA MEETING.**

Motion was made by Jenkinson, seconded by Looper to approve the minutes from the January 22, 2026 Regular BEDA Meeting as presented. YES votes: Rooney, Looper, Jenkinson, and Young. NO votes: None. ABSTAIN votes: None. Motion passed.

ITEM NO. 2 on the agenda was **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE FEBRUARY 12, 2026, REGULAR BEDA MEETING.**

ITEM NO. 3 on the agenda was **MAYOR'S REPORT.**

ITEM NO. 4 on the agenda was **PRESENTATION FROM THE BETHANY IMPROVEMENT FOUNDATION ON THE 2026 ROUTE 66 FESTIVAL.**

No action taken.

ITEM NO. 5 on the agenda was **DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING THE LUNCH AND LEARN DATE OF MARCH 5.**

Motion was made by Rooney, seconded by Looper to approval of a Budget Amendment not to exceed \$2,000 to provide Community Development with the funds to pay intern position. YES votes: Stearman, Looper, and Rooney. NO votes: None. ABSTAIN votes: None. Motion passed

ITEM NO. 6 on the agenda was **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT REPORT FROM DIRECTOR BRETT CRECELIUS.**

Mr. Crecelius gave a report.

ITEM NO. 7 on the agenda was **CITY MANAGER'S REPORT.**

ITEM NO. 8 on the agenda was **ROUNDTABLE AND DISCUSSION.**

ITEM NO. 9 on the agenda was **NEW BUSINESS.** *(As defined by the Oklahoma Open Meeting Act § 311 (A) (9) as "matters not known about or which could not have reasonably been foreseen prior to the time of posting the agenda").*

ITEM NO. 10 on the agenda was **ADJOURN UNTIL MARCH 12, 2026.**

Chairman Rooney adjourned the Bethany Economic Development Authority meeting until March 12, 2026 at 12:13 P.M.

CITY CLERK

CHAIRMAN