



MEETING MINUTES
Town Council
Tuesday, September 9, 2025
Public Meeting Room / Eagle Town Hall
200 Broadway Eagle, CO

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TOWN COUNCIL MEETING ACCESS INFORMATION AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION *This was an in-person meeting using Teams.*

CALL TO ORDER - 6:05 PM

Mayor Turnipseed called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m.

ROLL CALL

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT

Mikel Kerst, Scott Turnipseed, Ellen Bodenhemier,
Geoffrey Grimmer, Jamie Woodworth Foral, Bryan
Woods

COUNCIL MEMBERS ABSENT

STAFF PRESENT

Larry Pardee, Town Manager
Melissa Daruna, Assistant Town Manager
Richard Peterson-Cremer, Town Attorney
Camille Deering, Town Clerk
Rachel Tand, Finance Director/Treasurer
Carrie Buhlman, Police Chief
Tom Gosiorowski, Public Works Director
Peyton Heitzman, Community Development Director
Lynette Horan, Human Resources Manager
Molly Furtado, Special Events Manager
Sydney Dynek, Planner
Jessica Lake, Senior Planner
Kira Koppel, Sustainability Specialist
Alex Smiley, Open Space & Trails Manager
Ryan Goebel, IT Analyst
Kevin Aoki, Information Technology Manager
Nikki Davis, Economic Development & Housing Specialist
Ashley Lafleur, Communications Specialist

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

There were no changes to the agenda.

MOTION: Council Member Bryan Woods motioned to approve the adoption of the agenda. The motion was seconded and passed with a vote of 6 in favor (Grimmer, Woods, Bodenhemier, Kerst, Turnipseed, Woodworth Foral) and 0 opposed.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Mayor Turnipseed opened Public Comment for items not on tonight's agenda, there was no public comment.

CONSENT AGENDA

MOTION: Council Member Bryan Woods motioned to approve the Consent Agenda. The motion was seconded and passed with a vote of 6 in favor (Grimmer, Woods, Bodenheimier, Kerst, Turnipseed, Woodworth Foral) and 0 opposed.

1. Town Council Meeting 8.26.2025 Minutes
2. Bill Pay

STAFF REPORTS

1. Town Manager Update
2. Department Update

BUSINESS ITEMS

1. Resolution 63, Series 2025, "A Resolution of the Town Council of the Town of Eagle, Colorado, To Appoint One Vacancy on the Town of Eagle Planning and Zoning Commission."

The council appointed Andrew Atkins to fill a vacancy on the Town of Eagle Planning and Zoning Commission, following Andrew's remarks about his background and willingness to serve.

MOTION: Council Member Bryan Woods motioned to approve Resolution 63, Series 2025, "A Resolution of the Town Council of the Town of Eagle, Colorado, To Appoint One Vacancy on the Town of Eagle Planning and Zoning Commission." The motion was seconded and passed with a vote of 6 in favor (Grimmer, Woods, Bodenheimier, Kerst, Turnipseed, Woodworth Foral) and 0 opposed.

2. Ordinance 8, Series 2025, "An Ordinance of the Town Council of the Town of Eagle, Colorado, Setting the Effective Date of Ordinance No.6, Series 2025.

Mayor Turnipseed opened the floor for public comment on the issue.

- Ed Oiler, Eagle Business Owner, spoke against the flavored tobacco ban, arguing that such products constitute 70% of his tobacco sales, have helped people quit smoking, and that banning them would not prevent youth access due to online availability.

Mayor Turnipseed closed public comment, and Council made no further comment before approving Ordinance 08, Series 2025, setting the effective date for the previously passed flavored tobacco ordinance to January 1, 2026.

MOTION: Council Member Bryan Woods motioned to approve the Ordinance 8, Series 2025, "An Ordinance of the Town Council of the Town of Eagle, Colorado, Setting the Effective Date of

Ordinance No.6, Series 2025. The motion was seconded and passed with a vote of 4 in favor (Grimmer, Woods, Bodenhemier, Woddworth Foral) and 2 opposed (Kerst, Turnipseed).

3. **IMPACT Accelerator Regional Grant Application Letter of Support**

Town of Eagle Sustainability Specialist Kira Koppel presented the Impact Accelerator Regional Grant Application, led by CORE and the City of Aspen. The council approved a letter of support to secure funding for regional net-zero initiatives.

MOTION: Council Member Bryan Woods motioned to approve and sign the letter of support. The motion was seconded and passed with a vote of 5 in favor (Grimmer, Woods, Bodenhemier, Kerst, Turnipseed) and 1 opposed (Woodworth Foral).

4. **Community Sustainability Project Funding Recommendations**

Town of Eagle Sustainability Specialist Kira Koppel and the Sustainability Action Committee presented recommendations for allocating \$15,000 in community sustainability funding, with the council approving support for residential curbside compost outreach and energy efficiency rebates, supplemented by the Palmer Fund.

Council Member Grimmer remained present but recused himself from the discussion and vote due to his work with the Palmer Fund.

MOTION: Council Member Bryan Woods motioned to approve the Sustainability Action Committee's recommendations and direct staff to proceed with awarding dollars in accordance with the recommendations. The motion was seconded and passed with a vote of 5 in favor (Woods, Bodenhemier, Kerst, Turnipseed, Woodworth Foral) and 0 opposed.

COUNCIL DISCUSSION AND FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Council members shared updates on upcoming meetings, local projects, and committee activities, including the I-70 Eagle Airport Interchange Project, OSRAC discussions on e-bikes and creek restoration, and the Transit Authority's 10-year plan adoption.

EXECUTIVE SESSION - 6:31 PM

MOTION: Council Member Scott Turnipseed motioned to enter into Executive Session at 6:31 p.m. to receive legal advice from the Town attorney and special counsel pursuant to CRS 24-6-402(4)(b) and to determine positions relative to matters that may be subject to negotiations, develop a strategy for negotiations, and/or instruct negotiators pursuant CRS 24-6-402(4)(e) regarding the Eagle Meadows Annexation, and adjourn the meeting at the end of the Executive Session. The motion was seconded and passed with a vote of 6 in favor (Grimmer, Woods, Bodenhemier, Kerst, Turnipseed, Woodworth Foral) and 0 opposed.

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Date: 9/23/25

Scott Turnipseed, Mayor

Camille Deering, Town Clerk

