

MINUTES
MARION CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING
CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS
MONDAY, JUNE 22, 2026 AT 5:30 P.M.

MAYOR/COUNCILMEMBERS PRESENT:

Mayor Ashley Brady	Councilman Fred Gause
Councilman Ronald Atkinson	Mayor Pro Tem Emerson Hunt
Councilman Michael Baker	Councilwoman Tassie Lewis
Councilman Donny Gerald	

STAFF PRESENT:

Alan Ammons, City Administrator
City Treasurer Patricia Brown
City Clerk Lakesha Shannon

1. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Ashley Brady.

2. CAPITAL SALES TAX PROJECTS

Council discussed the following Capital Sales Tax Projects:

➤ CD Joyner Auditorium & Annex	\$1,205,000
➤ Opera House	\$850,000
➤ Grice's Recreation Center	\$215,000
➤ Watsonia Recreation Center	\$215,000
➤ African American Park	\$150,000
➤ Fire Station 15	\$150,000
➤ Pickleball Courts (Withlacoochee Park)	\$500,000

These items total \$3.285 million dollars and will be included on the election ballot November 2026.

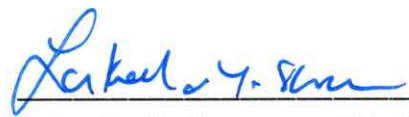
A motion was made by Mayor Ashley Brady, seconded by Councilman Donny Gerald to approve the capital sales project list as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

5. ADJOURNMENT

Hearing no further business, ***a motion was made by Councilman Michael Baker, seconded by Councilman Fred Gause to adjourn. The motion carried unanimously.***



Mayor Ashley Brady



Lakesha Y. Shannon, City Clerk