



CITY COUNCIL PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING

April 21st, 2026 at 5:00 PM
Crete City Hall, 243 East 13th Street

MINUTES

Notice of the meeting was given by posting, the appointed method for giving notice as shown by the attached notice, at the following locations:

City Hall, 243 East 13th Street
Post Office, 1242 Linden Avenue
City Bank and Trust, 1135 Main Avenue

Advance notice of the meeting was also given to committee members. Pursuant to Section 84-1412(8) of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act, the City has posted a current copy of the Open meetings Act, Laws of the State of Nebraska, in the back of the council chambers. All proceedings shown were taken while the meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

1. Open Meeting

2. Roll Call

Anthony Fitzgerald: Present
Dan Papik: Present
Dale Strehle: Present

Present: 3.

3. Items of Business

3.A. Consider removing parking on Main Ave

City Administrator, Tom Ourada, discussed how the following items are some requests from the state.

3.B. Consider Resolution No. 2026-05 authorizing the prohibition of parking along the north half of Main Ave between 12th and 13th Street for the duration of the state of Nebraska detour.

City Administrator, Tom Ourada, explained that the state is requiring the prohibition of parking along the north half of Main between 12th and 13th Street, as discussed previously.

Recommendation was made to the City Council to adopt Resolution No. 2026-05,

authorizing the prohibition of parking along the north half of Main Ave between 12th and 13th Street for the duration of the State of Nebraska detour. Carried with a motion by Anthony Fitzgerald and a second by Dan Papik.

Anthony Fitzgerald: Aye, Dan Papik: Aye, Dale Strehle: Aye
Aye: 3, No: 0

3.C. Consider Resolution No. 2026-06 authorizing the City to change street parking along the east side of Main Ave between 10th and 11th Street to angle parking stalls at 30 degrees

City Administrator, Tom Ourada, had previously discussed this, and committee members see no issue with angling the stalls to 30 degrees.

Recommendation was made to the City Council to adopt Resolution No. 2026-06 authorizing the City to change street parking along the east side of Main Ave between 10th and 11th Street to angle parking stalls at 30 degrees. Carried with a motion by Anthony Fitzgerald and a second by Dan Papik.

Anthony Fitzgerald: Aye, Dan Papik: Aye, Dale Strehle: Aye
Aye: 3, No: 0

3.D. Consider Resolution No. 2026-07 authorizing the City to restrict street parking along the north half of the east side of Norman Ave between 13th and 14th Street between 8am and 5pm

City Administrator, Tom Ourada, discussed how restricting parking in this area will help with semi-truck traffic coming in and out of Graincraft.

Recommendation was made to the City Council to adopt Resolution No. 2026-07, authorizing the City to restrict parking along the north half of the east side of Norman Ave between 13th and 14th Street between 8am and 5pm. Carried with a motion by Anthony Fitzgerald and a second by Dan Papik.

Anthony Fitzgerald: Aye, Dan Papik: Aye, Dale Strehle: Aye
Aye: 3, No: 0

3.E. Council vote supporting request from NDOT to removing the turn lane a block east and west of 13th and Main Ave

City Administrator, Tom Ourada, explained how the state is able to remove the turn lane as it is on the state highway, and the City can support the request.

Recommendation was made to the City Council to approve vote supporting request from NDOT to remove the turn lane a block east and west of 13th and Main Ave. Carried with a motion by Anthony Fitzgerald and a second by Dan Papik.

Anthony Fitzgerald: Aye, Dan Papik: Aye, Dale Strehle: Aye
Aye: 3, No: 0

4. Officers' Reports

5. Adjournment