

City of Brighton

500 S. 4th Avenue
Brighton, CO 80601



Meeting Minutes - Draft

Tuesday, May 5, 2026

6:00 PM

Amended

Council Chambers

City Council

MAYOR - GREGORY MILLS

MAYOR PRO TEM - PETER PADILLA

COUNCIL MEMBERS:

*MELINDA CARBAJAL, RHIANON COLLINS,
CHRIS FIEDLER, TOM GREEN, JIM SNYDER,
ANN TADDEO, LLOYD WORTH*

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Mills called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

A. Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag

Councilmember Worth led the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag.

B. Roll Call

Present: 7 - Mayor Mills, Mayor Pro Tem Padilla, Councilmember Collins, Councilmember Fiedler, Councilmember Snyder, Councilmember Taddeo, and Councilmember Worth

Absent: 2 - Councilmember Carbajal, and Councilmember Green

2. CONSENT AGENDA

A. Approval of the April 7, 2026, City Council Minutes

B. A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO, RE-APPOINTING JOHNNY C. BARAJAS THE PRESIDING MUNICIPAL JUDGE, SETTING COMPENSATION, AND APPOINTING JOHNNY C. BARAJAS AS HEARING OFFICER, LIQUOR AUTHORITY, AND MARIJUANA AUTHORITY

Resolution No. 2026-40

C. A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO, APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT WITH D2C ARCHITECTS, INC. FOR THE MUNICIPAL SERVICE CENTER DESIGN PROJECT FOR THE TOTAL CONTRACT AMOUNT OF ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED NINE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY-ONE DOLLARS (\$1,509,561), AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE AMENDMENT ON BEHALF OF THE CITY

Resolution No. 2026-41

D. A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO, APPOINTING JEREMY HAMMEN AS AN AT-LARGE MEMBER OF THE PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD WITH A TERM TO JANUARY 2030

Resolution No. 2026-42

E. A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO, APPOINTING JAN PAWLOWSKI AS AN AT-LARGE MEMBER OF THE PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD TO FILL AN UNEXPIRED TERM TO JANUARY 2028

Resolution No. 2026-43

Motion by Councilmember Snyder, seconded by Councilmember Worth, to approve the Consent Agenda as presented. Motion passed by the following vote:

Aye: 7 - Mayor Mills, Mayor Pro Tem Padilla, Councilmember Collins, Councilmember Fiedler, Councilmember Snyder, Councilmember Taddeo, and Councilmember Worth

Absent: 2 - Councilmember Carbajal, and Councilmember Green

3. APPROVAL OF REGULAR AGENDA

Motion by Councilmember Snyder, seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Padilla, to approve the Regular Agenda as presented. Motion passed by the following vote:

Aye: 7 - Mayor Mills, Mayor Pro Tem Padilla, Councilmember Collins, Councilmember Fiedler, Councilmember Snyder, Councilmember Taddeo, and Councilmember Worth

Absent: 2 - Councilmember Carbajal, and Councilmember Green

4. CEREMONIES

A. Swearing In of New Board and Commission Members

City Clerk Natalie Hoel swore in the new Board and Commission members.

B. Recognition of the Brighton Employee Charities Scholarship Recipients

Deputy City Clerk Erin Kelm and Executive Assistant Sheryl Johnson introduced the Brighton Employee Charities Scholarship recipients.

C. National Day of Prayer Proclamation

Councilmember Snyder read the Proclamation into the record.

D. Early Care and Education Provider Appreciation Day Proclamation

Councilmember Taddeo read the Proclamation into the record.

E. Kids to Parks Day Proclamation

Councilmember Collins read the Proclamation into the record.

F. Elks National Youth Week Proclamation

Councilmember Worth read the Proclamation into the record.

5. PUBLIC INVITED TO BE HEARD ON MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA (Speakers limited to three minutes)

Tom Lampo spoke during public comment.

6. PUBLIC HEARINGS

7. ORDINANCES FOR INITIAL CONSIDERATION

8. ORDINANCES FOR FINAL CONSIDERATION

9. RESOLUTIONS

A. A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO, APPROVING THE 2026 TRANSPORTATION MASTER PLAN

Mayor Mills read the title of the Resolution into the record.

Public Works Director Greg Labrie presented the Transportation Master Plan (TMP) Update. The foundation of the update builds on the 2016 Transportation Master Plan, the Land Use & Development Code amendments, Vision Zero, and the city's adopted Bicycle, Pedestrian and Multi-Modal plans. The Transportation Master Plan is a long-range, flexible planning guide that will direct long-term investments. Significant growth and the adoption of new standards have driven the need to update the TMP.

Motion by Councilmember Taddeo, seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Padilla, to approve Resolution 2026-44. Motion passed by the following vote:

Aye: 7 - Mayor Mills, Mayor Pro Tem Padilla, Councilmember Collins, Councilmember Fiedler, Councilmember Snyder, Councilmember Taddeo, and Councilmember Worth

Absent: 2 - Councilmember Carbajal, and Councilmember Green

10. UTILITIES BUSINESS ITEMS

11. GENERAL BUSINESS

12. REPORTS

A. By the Mayor

Mayor Mills attended the Economic Development Corporation Development Summit, the ADCOG meeting, the Chamber After Hours event, the Arbor Day tree planting at Bromley East Charter School, the Day at the Farm event, the Honor event in Fort Lupton, and the retirement celebration of a Brighton High School teacher.

B. By Department Directors

Chief of Police Matt Domenico announced that Detective Valerie Rolfe received the 2026 Outstanding Law Enforcement Service Award.

C. By the City Attorney

D. By the City Manager

City Manager Michael Martinez presented the Board & Commission Vacancy update.

E. By City Council

Councilmember Fiedler attended the Lochbuie Sewer Board meeting.

Mayor Pro Tem Padilla attended the Lochbuie Sewer Board meeting, the Volunteer Recognition event at the Sue Corbett Active Adult Center at Eagle View, and announced that the Ravenfield groundbreaking is May 27th.

Councilmember Taddeo attended the Economic Development Corporation Development Summit.

Councilmember Worth attended the ADCOG dinner, the Economic Development Corporation Development Summit, the Sustainability Advisory Board meeting, the Volunteer Recognition event at the Sue Corbett Active Adult Center at Eagle View, the Highway 7 Coalition meeting, the CASA Light of Hope event, the Youth Commission meeting, and the SPEAK walk.

13. EXECUTIVE SESSION

14. ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Mills adjourned the meeting at 6:55 p.m.

CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO

Gregory Mills, Mayor

ATTEST:

Natalie Hoel, City Clerk

Approval Date