

**GRAND JUNCTION CITY COUNCIL
MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**City Hall Administration Conference Room
February 18, 2026**

Call to Order

Council President Kennedy called the Special Meeting of the Grand Junction City Council to order at 4:35 p.m. on the 18th day of February 2026.

Councilmembers Robert Ballard, Scott Beilfuss (via telephone), Laurel Lutz (via telephone), Jason Nguyen, Anna Stout (via telephone), Ben Van Dyke, and Council President Cody Kennedy were present.

Also present were City Manager Mike Bennett, Assistant City Attorney Jeremiah Boies, and Human Resources Director Shelley Caskey.

Executive Session

Councilmember Ballard moved, and Councilmember Van Dyke seconded to convene into ***EXECUTIVE SESSION TO DISCUSS PERSONNEL MATTERS UNDER AND PURSUANT TO SECTION 24-6-402(4)(f)(I) C.R.S. OF THE OPEN MEETINGS LAW PERTAINING TO COUNCIL PERFORMANCE REVIEW OF THE CITY MANAGER. THE CITY MANAGER HAS NOT REQUESTED DISCUSSION IN OPEN SESSION.***

It was a unanimous vote to convene into Executive Session for the purpose stated.

Upon completion of the Executive Session, Councilmember Nguyen moved, and Councilmember Van Dyke seconded to adjourn the Executive Session. The motion carried 7-0.

The Special Meeting was reconvened at 4:50 p.m.

Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:52 p.m.

Selestina Sandoval, MMC

City Clerk

