

CITY OF CLARKSDALE

CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

June 18, 2025

The monthly meeting of the Clarksdale City Council was called to order at 6:30 pm. Members present were: Mayor Natascha Hays, Aldermen Christy Keesaman, Zech Hays, Joe Earhart, and Todd Throckmorton. None were absent. City Officers present were City Clerk Tina Good, and Treasurer Brenda Kennedy. Maintenance/Water/Sewer Supervisor Alex Pfouts was absent. No visitors. Roll call was noted, and quorum was announced by the clerk.

Comments from visitors - None.

Notices and Communications: – The City’s MO-Kan representative changed from Ward Good to Todd Throckmorton.

Reading of Minutes: The minutes of May 20, 2025 regular session was distributed by the city clerk prior to the meeting. Alderman Throckmorton moved to accept the minutes. Alderman C Keesaman seconded, and the motion passed with all approving votes.

Presentation of Bills for Approval: The bills were distributed by the city clerk prior to the meeting. Alderman Throckmorton moved to pay the bills. Alderman Z Hayes seconded, and the motion passed with all approving votes.

Consent Agenda: The water/sewer report, water report /clerical, grant report, and the treasurer's report were all distributed prior to the meeting. Alderman Earhart motioned to accept the consent agenda. Alderman Z. Hays seconded, and it passed with all Ayes.

CAF - No meeting in June or July. Next meeting will be Aug 12th, 2025 to start working on Trunk-or-Treat.

Street Report: We will get a demonstration by Rock Asphalt. Their material has 3 year warranty, seems to stick better in pot-holes than cold-patch but used like cold-patch.

Event Committee – Trunk-or Treat, Oct 25, 2025

Resolutions/Proclamations: None

Bills Requiring Second and Final Reading: None

Introduction and First Reading of Bills: Bill 2025-2

OLD OR UNFINISHED BUSINESS: SS4A suggested possible projects: numbers for houses, reduce speed on HWY P coming into town, sidewalks to and around parks, bicycle lanes.

NEW BUSINESS – A motion was made by Alderman Earhart to pass the proposed budget. Alderman Z. Hayes seconded, and the motion passed with all Ayes.

AgriLand presented several options for gas next year in a letter. They were shared and Alderman Earhart made the motion to go with the pay ahead option. Alderman Z Hays seconded and motion passed with all Ayes.

We need to add sand to our ball field soil because a soil sample showed it was needed.

Lawson's turned a renewal request for their Liquor License. Alderman Z. Hays made a motion to approve it. Alderman Earhart seconded the motion and it passed with all Ayes.

Yard waste site needs rock. Alderman Earhart made the motion to buy 4 loads of rock, Alderman Z. Hays seconded and motion passed with all Ayes.

Closed Session - None

Adjournment – Alderman Earhart made a motion to adjourn at 7:21 pm. Alderman C. Keesaman seconded, and motion passed with all approving Ayes.

Respectfully submitted,

Approved by:

Tina Good,
City Clerk

Natasha Hays
Mayor