

City of Wellsville
411 Main
Wellsville, KS 6092

The regular meeting of the Wellsville City Council was held on Wednesday, November 12th 2025 at 6:00 p.m. in the meeting room located at 411 Main. Councilmen present were Chuck Rutledge, Scott Hutchinson, Luke Henry, Cory Cunningham and Nichole Pruitt. Department heads present were City Superintendent Darien Kerr, Chief Hackler, Building and codes official Pat Burton and Guy Price.

The pledge of alliance and invocation were given.

Mayor Lytle called the meeting to order.

Councilman Rutledge moved to approve the consent agenda. Councilman Cunningham seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

Terry McJilton who lives at 305 Pendleton spoke to council about the water way behind Pendleton. Mr. McJilton asked if the City could knock down all the limbs and trees to clean that water way out. Superintendent Kerr said that the City does not own that and we cleaned it up 3 years ago and told everyone that it was now their responsibility.

County Commissioner Don Stottlemire gave the county report. They removed the time capsule from the court house from 130 years ago and it will be opened December 4th at 3:00 p.m. in the old court room.

Paul Bean with the FCDC gave the housing market report.

The appointment to the open position of the City Fire board position was brought before council. Blake Meyer has put in his letter of interest for that position.

Councilman Hutchinson moved to appoint Blake Meyer to the City at large Fire Board position. Councilman Henry seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

City Superintendent Darien Kerr gave the Public works report. Darien said he got bids on the settees for East Village.

Chief Hackler gave the Police Department report.

Building and Codes official Pat Burton gave the Planning report. Pat said we should have the first 10 buildings going up very soon in the East Village development.

Councilman Rutledge moved to go into executive session at 6:16 p.m. to discuss data relating to financial affairs or trade secrets of corporations, partnerships, trusts, and individual proprietorships; the open meeting will resume in the City Council chambers at 6:27 p.m., Councilman Cory Cunningham seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

Chief Hackler, Darien Kerr and Tammy Jones were asked to stay.

Councilman Hutchinson moved to come out of executive session. Councilman Cunningham seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

No motions were made and only the above mentioned item was discussed.

Councilman Hutchinson moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilwoman Pruitt seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

Meeting adjourned at 6:29 p.m.

City Clerk
Tammy Jones