

CITY OF LEBANON
CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION MINUTES
APRIL 13, 2026

BE IT REMEMBERED that the City Council of the City of Lebanon, Missouri, met in Work Session on April 13, 2026 at 6:00 PM in the Council Chambers at City Hall located at 401 South Jefferson.

Call to Order, Roll Call, and Declaration of Quorum

Upon roll call, the following officers were present: Mike Evans, Sheila Mitchell, Dan Mizell, Jeff Mutchler, Randy Wall, Chuck Jordan, Bob Garner, and Mayor Jared Carr. Absent: None.

A quorum was declared.

Staff members and others in attendance: City Administrator Troy Schulte, Public Works Director Richard Shockley, Police Chief Jerry Harrison, Fire Chief Sam Schneider, Human Resource Director Kathy Milliken, Facilities Director Shawn Williams, Assistant Public Works Director Mike Moore, Assistant Public Works Director Tammy Young, Electric Superintendent Travis Long, Code Administrator Christina Wagner, IT/Airport Director Jarrad Schomaker, Communications Manager Derek Gean, Deputy City Clerk Melissa Richardson, City Clerk Lacey Brackett, and Police Department Personnel.

Discussions and Presentations

Police Department Awards

Police Chief Jerry Harrison presented the Officer of the Year Award to Shea Dracoules, noting that he is recognized as a supportive teammate and a valuable asset to the department. Harrison added that Dracoules was selected by both his peers and leadership. He also presented the Employee of the Year Award to Angela Pollreisz, describing her as a trusted colleague who consistently demonstrates a strong team-oriented attitude

Lebanon/Laclede County Historical Museum and Society

President of the Lebanon/Laclede County Historical Museum and Society Noah Smothers shared updates on a historical preservation project currently underway. Smothers provided background on the historic Benton stagecoach log home, explaining that it was built by and housed one of the first families to settle in Laclede County.

Smothers said he would like the log home to become part of the Historic Route 66 experience and asked the City to consider locating it behind the Civic Center, on the backside stretching from Washington Street to Palmer Drive. He noted the structure could serve as both a visitor center and an educational facility that would promote local heritage awareness.

Smothers added that fundraising efforts are underway to cover the significant cost of relocating the cabin and asked the City to consider the request.

Mayor Carr stated the City would be willing to conduct a survey to determine whether the Civic

Center site would be a viable location for placement of the cabin.

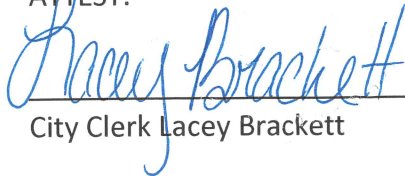
Round Table Discussion

Councilmember Dan Mizell inquired how the cabin project would align with the Lebanon 2040 Plan. City Administrator Troy Schulte responded that the plan includes very little related to historical preservation.

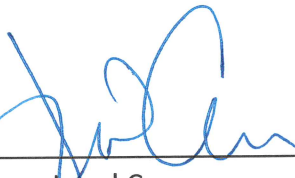
Adjournment

Mayor Carr declared the meeting adjourned at 6:32 p.m.

ATTEST:



City Clerk Lacey Brackett



Mayor Jared Carr

April 28, 2026

Minutes Approved