

**City of Trinidad**

**Minutes**

**Thursday August 21, 2025**

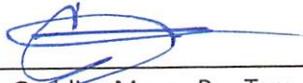
A special session of the governing body of the City of Trinidad was held on the 21st of August 2025 beginning at 6:00 p.m. at the City Hall in Trinidad, Texas, at which time the following subjects were discussed:

1. **Call to order:** Mayor Pro Tem Clayton Gaddis called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.
2. **Roll call:** Members present, Velma Womack, Jeff McClintock, and Marie Bannister
3. **Invocation:** Invocation led by Mayor Pro Tem Clayton Gaddis
4. **Citizen Comments:** No citizen comments were given at this time.
5. Mayor Pro Tem Clayton Gaddis suspends item 7 to table the discussion of adopting a budget for fiscal year 2026
6. **Convene into Executive Session pursuant to Tex Gov't Code 551.074 to interview applicant for Chief of Police to discuss hiring chief of police.**
  - **Sean Foley**
  - **Charles Gregory**
  - **Raymond Wennerstrom**

All applicants interviewed were provided with ample time to discuss qualifications.

7. **Reconvene into regular session.** Mayor Pro Tem Clayton Gaddis makes a motion to consider directing the mayor pro tem to offer Charles Gregory the position of Chief of Police pending background check. Marie Bannister Seconds the motion. Motion Carried unanimously. 4-0
8. **Council Member inquiry time:** Pursuant to Tex. Gov. Code Sec. 551.042 the mayor or council members may inquire about a subject not specifically listed on this agenda. Responses are limited to a recitation of existing policy, or a statement of specific factual information given in response to the inquiry. No council member inquiry was given.
9. **Adjournment: Marie Banister** made the motion to adjourn. Velma Womack second the motion. The motion carried unanimously, and the meeting adjourned at 9:56 p.m.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

  
Clayton Gaddis, Mayor Pro Tem

Attest:   
Lindsey Patterson, City Secretary