

**SPECIAL MEETING  
LINN VALLEY CITY COUNCIL  
MAY 1, 2024  
6:00 pm**

The Governing Body of the City of Linn Valley met in a special session on Wednesday May 1. 2024, at 6:00pm with the following individuals present: Lew Donelson, Mayor; John Weers, Dan Donham, Michael Hemphill, Robert Suppenbach, and Richard Gravelle, Council Members; Corey Murrison, Director of Public Safety and Karen Siffring.

Mayor Donelson called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

The meeting agenda: Discussion of the 2025 budget.

A Budget spreadsheet was presented to the City Council for review. The meeting with the County Clerk has not been scheduled. It was noted that the first check for the Firetruck Sales Tax should be received in July.

Discussion was held on hiring a water operator or contracting with Page Enterprises to be the city's water operator. Director Murrison was questioned on personnel needs in 2025. COLA increases were discussed. The council asked to add another part-time employee for building and codes.

Councilman Weers inquired as to when the payments to La Cygne for water were to start, the contract with La Cygne will be reviewed.

Karen Siffring presented two ideas to the council for funding the new City Hall. They discussed several ideas and options.

With no further questions or discussions about the proposed budget, Councilman Hemphill made a motion to adjourn the Budget workshop meeting. Councilman Suppenbach seconded the motion, and the motion passed 5-0. Meeting adjourned at 7:27pm

Submitted by:  
Mendi Cyr  
City Clerk