



**City of Azle
Regular Meeting Agenda
City Council**

505 W. Main Street
Azle, Texas 76020

May 12, 2026

6:00 PM

Council Chambers

Pursuant to Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code, the Council may convene into Executive Session(s) from time to time as deemed necessary during the meeting for any posted agenda item and may receive advice from its attorney as permitted by law.

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

This is an opportunity for the public to address the City Council on posted agenda items or non-agenda items. In order to address the Council, please complete a Speaker's Request Form and submit to the City Secretary prior to the start of the council meeting. All comments must be directed to the Presiding Officer, rather than an individual council member or city staff. All speakers must refrain from personal attacks toward any individual. Comments are limited to three (3) minutes and must pertain to the subject matter listed on the Speaker's Request Form. Speakers requiring the assistance of a translator shall be provided four (4) minutes. Council may not comment publicly on non-agenda items, but may direct the City Manager to resolve the matter or request the matter be placed on a future agenda. Public comments regarding non-agenda items shall not include any "deliberation" as defined by Chapter 551 of the Government Code, as now or hereafter amended. If you have a subject that may require City Council action, you may obtain a form from the City Secretary and request the item be placed on a future agenda.

PRESENTATION

1. Certificate of Election
Written Statement of Elected Officers and Oath of Office
Yael Hoffman, City Secretary

ACTION ITEMS

2. Consider any action approving Resolution No. 2026-07 canvassing the returns and declaring the results of the Special Election held on May 2, 2026.
Yael Hoffman, City Secretary
3. Consider any action on the election of the Mayor Pro Tem for a one-year term (2026-27).
Amber Beard, Interim City Manager
4. Consider any action authorizing the Interim City Manager to execute an economic development agreement between the City of Azle, the Board of Directors of the Municipal Development District (MDD), and the Azle Area Chamber of Commerce, for 256 W. Main Street, Azle, Texas.
Amber Beard, Interim City Manager

EXECUTIVE SESSION

- **551.074 PERSONNEL MATTERS**
 - Deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of City Manager.
- 5. Take any action pursuant to executive session.

ADJOURNMENT

I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify the above Agenda was posted at City Hall on May 6, 2026, at the City's official bulletin board and is readily accessible to the public at all times in accordance with V.T.C.A. Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Joel Hoffman". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a thin horizontal line.

Yael Hoffman, TRMC, MMC
City Secretary

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Presenter: Yael Hoffman, City Secretary

Agenda Item: Consider any action approving Resolution No. 2026-07 canvassing the returns and declaring the results of the Special Election held on May 2, 2026.

Background and Explanation:

Upon receiving the results from Tarrant and Parker County’s election administrations for the May 2, 2026, special election, the Council may consider approving Resolution No. 2026-07, canvassing and declaring the official election results.

Board/Commission/Committee Recommendation:

Staff Recommendation:

To approve.

Attachments:

1. Resolution 2026-07

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-07

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AZLE, TEXAS, CANVASSING THE RETURNS AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE SPECIAL ELECTION HELD ON MAY 2, 2026, TO REAUTHORIZE THE LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX IN THE CITY OF AZLE.

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2026-01 ordered a Special Election to be held on Saturday, May 2, 2026, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City of Azle, Texas, a proposition to reauthorize the local sales and use tax; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally conducted by the Tarrant County and Parker County Elections Administrators, as authorized by and in conformity with the election laws of the State of Texas and the City Charter; and

WHEREAS, the results of said election have been verified by the Tarrant County Elections Administrator, **Clint Ludwig**, and the Parker County Elections Administrator, **Crickett Miller**, and returned to the City Council; and

WHEREAS, it is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this resolution is adopted is open to the public and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AZLE, TEXAS:

Section 1.

That the official canvass of the Special Election held on May 2, 2026, reflects that the proposition received the following votes:

Proposition	For	Against
Street Maintenance Sales and Use Tax	184	55

Section 2.

That the City Council, acting as the canvassing board of the Special Election, has reviewed and verified the Official Cumulative Reports as presented by the Tarrant County Elections Administrator, **Clint Ludwig**, and the Parker County Elections Administrator, **Crickett Miller** (attached).

The proposition to reauthorize the street maintenance sales and use tax is hereby approved.

Section 3.

That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

PRESENTED AND PASSED this the 12th day of May 2026, by a vote of _____ ayes, _____ nays, and _____ abstentions, at a Special Meeting of the City Council of the City of Azle, Texas.

Randa Goode, Mayor

ATTEST:

Yael Hoffman, TMRC, MMC
City Secretary

City of Azle Cumulative Report

Tarrant County

Official Results

EN26

Joint General and Special Elections

Registered Voters
198 of 8271 = 2.39%

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Run Date 05/11/2026

5/2/2026

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City of Azle Proposition A

Choice	Party	Absentee Voting		Early Voting		Election Day Voting		Total	
For		44	88.00%	51	73.91%	59	74.68%	154	77.78%
Against		6	12.00%	18	26.09%	20	25.32%	44	22.22%
Cast Votes:		50	100.00%	69	100.00%	79	100.00%	198	100.00%
Undervotes:		0		0		0		0	
Overvotes:		0		0		0		0	

*** End of report ***

AZLE

Election 5.2.26

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Run Date 05/11/2026

PARKER COUNTY, TEXAS

GENERAL ELECTION

5/2/2026

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Official Results

Registered Voters

41 of 48212 = 0.09%

Precincts Reporting

59 of 59 = 100.00%

CITY OF AZLE PROPOSITION A

Choice	Party	Absentee Voting	Early Voting	Election Day Voting	Limited	Provisional	Total
FOR		12 100.00%	13 72.22%	5 45.45%	0 0.00%	0 0.00%	30 73.17%
AGAINST		0 0.00%	5 27.78%	6 54.55%	0 0.00%	0 0.00%	11 26.83%
Cast Votes:		12 100.00%	18 100.00%	11 100.00%	0 0.00%	0 0.00%	41 100.00%
Undervotes:		0	0	0	0	0	0
Overvotes:		0	0	0	0	0	0

*** End of report ***



Presenter: Amber Beard, Interim City Manager

Agenda Item: Consider any action authorizing the Interim City Manager to execute an economic development agreement between the City of Azle, the Board of Directors of the Municipal Development District (MDD), and the Azle Area Chamber of Commerce, for 256 W. Main Street, Azle, Texas.

Background and Explanation:

The Azle Chamber of Commerce seeks to construct a facility to house its operations on property located at 546 W. Main Street in Azle, Texas. This proposed economic development agreement is intended to promote economic development within the City by supporting the growth and expansion of business enterprises that create or retain primary jobs.

If approved by the City Council and the City of Azle Municipal Development District (MDD), the agreement would provide for a one-time financial incentive from the MDD to the Chamber, in consideration of the Chamber's capital investment in the project. The incentive would be applied toward the construction of the new facility, as outlined in the agreement.

Board/Commission/Committee Recommendation:

Staff Recommendation:

Attachments:

None