

**SPECIAL CALLED COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA
APRIL 21, 2026
5:55 P.M.
BENTON CITY HALL
410 RIVER ST. BENTON, AR 72015**

- I. CALL TO ORDER Mayor Tom Farmer**
- II. INVOCATION Mayor Tom Farmer**
- III. PLEDGE Council Member Hart**
- IV. ROLL CALL City Clerk**
- V. STATEMENT OF FOIA COMPLIANCE & ROLL CALL City Clerk**

I affirm that I have not engaged in any prohibited discussion, deliberation, or polling regarding any item on this meeting’s agenda outside of a properly noticed and open meeting, in compliance with the Arkansas Freedom of Information Act, as amended by Act 505 of 2025.

- VI. INTERVIEW CANDIDATES FOR WARD 3 POSITION 1**
 - 1. Bret Stracener 6:00 p.m.**
 - 2. Chad Slaughter 6:20 p.m.**
 - 3. Kevin Simmons 6:40 p.m.**
 - 4. John Mark Pierce 7:00 p.m.**
 - Break 7:20 p.m.**
 - 5. Jerry Ponder 7:25 p.m.**
 - 6. Cindy Bowden 7:45 p.m.**
 - 7. Gary Garner 8:05 p.m.**
 - 8. Mary Grace Daughtrey 8:25 p.m.**

- VII. EXECUTIVE SESSION**
- VIII. RECONVENE WARD 3 POSTION 1 SELECTION**
- IX. ADJOURN**