

Meeting Minutes

City Council Special Meeting

February 26, 2026 | 4:00 p.m.
Council Chambers Conference Room
88 E. Chicago St., Chandler, AZ



Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Kevin Hartke at 4:00 p.m.

Roll Call

Council Attendance

Mayor Kevin Hartke
Councilmember Jane Poston
*Councilmember Christine Ellis
Councilmember Matt Orlando
*Councilmember OD Harris
Councilmember Jennifer Hawkins

Appointee Attendance

Kelly Schwab, City Attorney
Jennifer Ekblad, City Clerk

*Councilmember Ellis and Councilmember Harris attended virtually.

Absent

Vice Mayor Angel Encinas

City Staff Attendance

Tadd Wille, Assistant City Manager
Tawn Kao, Deputy City Attorney
Ruben Aranda, Assistant City Attorney
Dawn Lang, Deputy City Manager / Chief Financial Officer
Leah Powell, Deputy City Manager

Set an Executive Session

1. Litigation--A.R.S. Section 38-431.03(A)(3) and (A)(4) - Discussion and consultation with the City Attorney for legal advice and to consider its position and instruct its Attorneys regarding the City's position in pending or contemplated litigation or in settlement

