

**CITY COMMISSION SPECIAL BUDGET WORKSHOP MEETING MINUTES
CITY OF TRUTH OR CONSEQUENCES, NEW MEXICO
CITY COMMISSION CHAMBERS, 405 W. 3RD St.
TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 2026**

A. CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Rolf Hechler at 9:00 a.m., who presided and Angela A. Torres, City Clerk-Treasurer, acted as Secretary of the meeting.

B. INTRODUCTION:

1. ROLL CALL:

Upon calling the roll, the following Commissioners were reported present.

Hon. Rolf Hechler, Mayor
Hon. Destiny Mitchell, Mayor Pro-Tem
Hon. Amanda Forrister Commissioner was absent
Hon. Ingo Hoepfner, Commissioner
Hon. Chaz Glines, Commissioner

Also Present: Gary Whitehead, City Manager
Traci Alvarez, Assistant City Manager
Angela A. Torres, City Clerk-Treasurer
Jocelyn Holguin, Chief Financial Officer
City Department Heads and Admins
Subrecipient Applicants

There being a quorum present, the Commission proceeded with the business at hand.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Mayor Hechler called for Commissioner Hoepfner to lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Mayor Pro-Tem Mitchell made a motion to approve the agenda as submitted. Commissioner Hoepfner seconded the motion. Roll call was taken by the Clerk-Treasurer. Motion carried unanimously.

C. WORKSHOP

1. Workshop regarding the City of Truth or Consequences Preliminary Budget.

The Commission and city staff reviewed the interim budget as follows:

- Electric Department: 503
- Solid Waste: 101-1011-216
- Solid Waste: 505
- Water: 504
- Waste Water: 506
- Service Center: 600
- Community Services: 101-1013
- Library: 101-1016-294
- Animal Shelter: 101-1006
- Golf Course: 508
- Parks & Recreation: 101-1009
- Pool: 295
- Facility Management: 101-1014
- Veterans Wall: 303
- Cemetery: 501
- Lodgers Tax Subrecipient Applicants
- Police Department 101-1007
- Animal Control; 101-1008
- Corrections: 201
- LEPF: 211
- PD GRT: 296
- PD Donations: 298
- NMDOT: 299
- Clerk: 101-1001
- Veterans Wall: 293
- Utilities: 502
- Community Development: 101-1010
- Airport: 509
- Finance/IT/Human Resources: 101-1004
- Manager/Lodgers Tax/Clerk: 101-1003
- Governing Body: 101-1000
- Hospital GRT
- Util & Ins: 101-1018
- Cannabis: 280
- Fire: 101-1005
- Fire: 209
- Lodgers Tax Community Request
- General Fund Revenue: 101-1099

CITY COMMISSION APRIL 14, 2026 REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

- Senior Grants: 304
- CI Gen: 305
- R&R Airport: 312
- CDBG: 314
- CI Reserve: 315
- USDA: 320
- BOSW: 321
- Road Projects: 340
- NMFA Projects: 360
- Water Trust Board (WTB) Projects: 370
- Other State Funded Projects: 380

Copy of interim budget is located on the City Website at www.torcnm.gov

D. ADJOURNMENT:

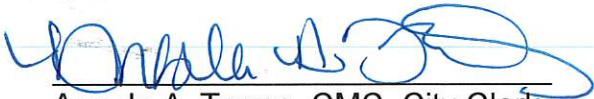
Mayor Hechler adjourned the meeting at 4:46 p.m.

Passed and Approved this 13th day of May 2026.



Rolf Hechler, Mayor

ATTEST:



Angela A. Torres, CMC, City Clerk

