



City of Hutto

Minutes

Charter Review Commission

Monday, May 4, 2026 at 6:30 PM

Executive Conference Room – 500 W. Live Oak Street

1. ESTABLISH QUORUM & CALL TO ORDER – 6:32 PM

Present: Nathaniel Turner, Rick Hudson, Debbie Holland, Tony Wertz, Perry Savard, James Weaver and Monekia Kea

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no speakers.

3. OTHER BUSINESS

- 3.1. Consideration and possible action on approval of April 20, 2026 Charter Review Commission meeting minutes.

Motion by Rick Hudson, second by James Weaver, to approve the minutes as presented. Motion passed 7:0.

- 3.2. Consideration and possible action on recommendations for Hutto Home Rule Charter Article 3 – The City Council.

3.04: Discussion regarding pay based on population, sales tax or ad valorem tax – an amount based on something rather than a flat amount.

3.06(c): Discussion regarding the holdover provision is not specifically mentioned.

3.12: Discussion regarding separating into two distinct statements.

3.10: Discussion regarding the state requirement for quorum and the City's.

Motion by James Weaver, second by Rick Hudson, to accept Article 3, with the following recommendations:

3.06(c) – include the holdover provision verbiage;

3.10 – decrease quorum requirement to 4 Councilmembers in accordance with State law;

*3.12 – separate into two distinct statements.
Motion passed 7:0.*

- 3.3. Consideration and possible action on recommendations for Hutto Home Rule Charter Article 5 – Nominations and Elections.

Motion by Rick Hudson, second by Nathaniel Turner, to accept Article 5 with no recommended changes. Motion passed 7:0.

- 3.4. Consideration and possible action on recommendations for Hutto Home Rule Charter Article 6 – Recall of Officers.

Motion by Rick Hudson, second by Debbie Holland, to accept Article 6 with no recommended changes with the exception of adding the “%” to Section 6.02.

- 3.5. Consideration and possible action on recommendations for Hutto Home Rule Charter Article 7 – Initiative and Referendum.

Motion by Rick Hudson, second by Tony Wertz, to accept Article 7 with no recommended changes. Motion passed 7:0.

- 3.6. Consideration and possible action on recommendations for Hutto Home Rule Charter Article 8 – Financial Administration.

Discussion regarding scrivener’s errors in 8.04(d)1 – missing “%” and section 8.06(a) “budget” misspelled.

Motion by Tony Wertz, second by Nathaniel Turner, to accept Article 8 with no recommended changes, with the exception of scrivener’s correction as discussed. Motion passed 7:0.

- 3.7. Consideration and possible action on recommendations for Hutto Home Rule Charter Article 9 – Taxation.

Motion by Rick Hudson, second by Monekia Kea, to accept Article 9 with no recommended changes. Motion passed 7:0.

- 3.8. Consideration and possible action on recommendations for Hutto Home Rule Charter Article 10 – Bonds.

Discussion regarding flow of text in Section 10.01(d). Staff will refer to Bond Counsel for advice.

Motion by Nathaniel Turner, second by James Weaver, to accept Article 10 with no recommended changes. Motion passed 7:0.

- 3.6. Review of possible Council Considerations for Charter Review.

There were no topics submitted by Councilmembers.

- 3.7. Review of possible Hutto Home Rule Charter items to bring in conformance with State law.


There were no items discussed for this agenda.

- 3.8. Members of the Commission may request topics for future agenda meetings. No member may discuss any of the requested subjects until such matter has been properly placed on the posted agenda.

Articles 11, 12, 13 and 14

4. ADJOURNMENT – 7:50 PM

ATTEST:



Laura Hallmark, City Secretary



FOR Perry Savard, Chair

