

MINUTES

COTTAGE GROVE CITY COUNCIL

August 20, 2025

COUNCIL CHAMBER
12800 RAVINE PARKWAY SOUTH

SPECIAL MEETING (CLOSED) – 6:00 P.M St Croix Room

1. CALL TO ORDER

The City Council of the City of Cottage Grove, Washington County, Minnesota, held a special meeting on August 20, 2025, at Cottage Grove City Hall, 12800 Ravine Parkway. Mayor Bailey called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Present: Mayor Bailey-Here; Council Member Garza- Here; Council Member Olsen-Here; Council Member Clausen-Absent.

Also Present: Jennifer Levitt, City Administrator; Ryan Burfeind, Public Works Director; Kori Land, City Attorney- LeVander Gillen & Miller; Brenda Malinowski, Finance Director.

2. Agenda

A. Closed Meeting – Discuss Public Infrastructure

Mayor Bailey asked for a motion to close the special meeting pursuant to Minn. Stat. 13D.05 subd. 2(a)(2) for active criminal investigative data and subd. 3(d) for security briefings and reports regarding public services, infrastructure, and facilities. Disclosure of the information discussed would pose a danger to public safety or compromise security procedures or response, therefore the meeting must be closed.

Motion by Council Member Olsen, seconded by Council Member Garza, to close the meeting at 6:00 p.m. Motion approved.

Motion by Council Member Thiede and seconded by Council Member Olsen to open the meeting at 6:53 p.m. Motion approved.

Minutes prepared by Tamara Anderson, City Clerk.