

AGENDA

**GALLUP CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING
TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 2026; 3:00 P.M.
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
GALLUP CITY HALL, 110 WEST AZTEC AVENUE**



Marc DePauli, Mayor

Linda Garcia, Councilor, Dist. 1
Sarah Piano, Councilor, Dist. 3

Sierra Yazzie Asamoah-Tutu, Councilor, Dist. 2
Ron Molina, Councilor, Dist. 4

Frank Chiapetti, City Manager
David Eason, City Attorney

A. Roll Call

B. Pledge Of Allegiance

The members of the body and the public are invited to recite the Pledge of Allegiance.

C. Discussion/Action Topics

1. 3:00 PM **Funding Request For A Fire Engine.**
The Fleet and Fire departments are requesting the transfer and use of \$800,000.00 to purchase a stock fire engine.

The proposed funding sources are as follows:

- \$200,000.00 from Fire Fund 209 (already allocated to project CP2502).
- \$600,000.00 from the Fund 375 fund balance (Vehicle Replacement Fund).

This request is urgent as Fire Engine 4 recently suffered a total engine failure and other mechanical issues, leading Fleet to red-tag the vehicle. This unit is essential to the fire department's daily operations.

Fiscal Impact: - \$200,000.00 from Fire Fund 209 (already allocated to

project CP2502). - \$600,000.00 from the Fund 375 fund balance (Vehicle Replacement Fund)

Recommendation: To approve the Transfer of funds

Speaker's Name Amanda Carey, Jon Pairette

Documents:

[HME STOCK 24310 CORE 22 PUMPER.PDF](#)

2. Approval Of Resolution No. R2026-6 To Accept NM Special Appropriation Grant Agreement No.25-ZJ5039 For The Wastewater Treatment Plant

Request to accept the Special Appropriation Grant Agreement for an award of \$3,000,000.00 through the NM Department of Finance & Administration with the City of Gallup to plan, design, construct and equip improvements to the wastewater treatment plant in Gallup in McKinley County.

Fiscal Impact: Budget adjustments in Revenue and Expenses for Wastewater Capital in the amount of \$3,000,000.

Recommendation: Approve Resolution No. R2026-6; approve requested revenue and expenditure budget in Fund 304

Speaker's Name Redd Gashytewa, Wastewater Superintendent/ Keegan Mackenzie-Chavez, City Project Manager

Documents:

[GALLUP 25-ZJ5039 - GA 1.2.2026.PDF](#)

[RESOLUTION R2026-6 SPECIALGA 25-ZJ5039.PDF](#)

D. Motion To Adjourn Into Closed Session For The Purpose Of Discussing Matters Subject To The Attorney-Client Privilege Pertaining To Threatened Or Pending Litigation In Which The City Is Or May Become A Participant And To Discuss The City's Acquisition Of Real Property, Pursuant To NMSA 1978 Section 10-15-1-(H)(7) And (8) Of The New Mexico Open Meetings Act

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