

**City of Yuma**  
**City Council Minutes**  
**Hybrid Special Meeting**  
**Wednesday, February 26, 2025**  
**Meeting Location – City Hall, 320 South Main Street, Yuma, CO and virtual through Zoom**  
**Call to Order – 12:00 P.M.**

**Meeting called to order by Mayor McClung.**

**Members Present:** Baucke, Dischner, Frame, McClung, Shay. Benish and Diaz absent

**Staff Present:** Jerry Thompson, Ron Wills, Angela Cordell, Karma Wells.

**Public Hearings and Other New Business (Action Items)**

**A. Discussion on Playground and Splashpad**

Interim Manager Wells stated the newest quote for the playground and the pour in play surfacing is \$403,632.41. Discussion was held regarding the playground colors. Council's consensus is they are good with the playground and they prefer the green playground set. References were called and there were no bad comments in regards to the company that will be installing the playground. Further discussion was held in regards to getting rid of the old playground equipment. Council's consensus was to put this out as a first come first serve item for people to take and it would be coordinated through Ron Wills.

In regards to the splashpad, city staff would like to table this item for the time being. Staff is not comfortable moving forward with the quotes received and some uncertainties there may be. It was discussed to possibly wait until we have a pool architect on board to help review the splashpad placement and feasibility. Council's consensus was to table the item for the time being.

**B. Resolution #9, Series of 2025 – Construction Contract with GameTime.** This item will be at a future meeting.

**Additional Business**

Mayor McClung mentioned there has only been a response from one company on the RFP's for the swimming pool. Mayor McClung will try to call the companies to see if we will be getting any response.

The tree grant the City applied for and was awarded, we are probably not going to get due to the change in administration at the federal level. This creates an issue with the city for tree removal and planting. The city was donated several trees that must be picked by March 18<sup>th</sup> and they should be planted by the end of that week.

As part of the grant, the city was going to hire a tree steward, but this has been put on hold until we know for sure about the grant. Discussion was held on the trees. Council provided input on where to add more trees on City property and options of other entities that may be able to use the trees.

**Adjournment**

Dischner moved to adjourn. Second by Baucke. Question. 5 ayes. Motion carried.

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Tim McClung  
Mayor

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Karma Wells, CMC  
City Clerk/Treasurer