



City of Broken Arrow
Meeting Agenda
Broken Arrow City Council

Mayor Debra Wimpee
Vice Mayor Johnnie Parks
Council Member Lisa Ford
Council Member Justin Green
Council Member David Pickel

Monday, August 3, 2026

5:30 PM

Council Chambers
220 South 1st Street
Broken Arrow, OK

NOTICE AND AGENDA FOR SPECIAL MEETING

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Roll Call**
- 3. Executive Session**

Executive Session for the purpose of confidential communications between the City Council, the City Manager, its attorneys including the City Attorney and any other pertinent staff members discussing, conferring on matters and possible action in open session pertaining to:

The investigation initiated by the U.S. Department of Justice concerning the City's zoning and land-use practices under the Religious Land Use and Institutionalized Persons Act of 2000 (RLUIPA), including matters relating to the rezoning request for the development of a mosque in south Broken Arrow; any potential or anticipated claims or litigation that may be filed by the applicant or other parties related thereto; and the retention and hiring of outside legal counsel to represent and defend the City in the DOJ investigation and any related litigation including any lawsuit filed by the applicant, under 25 O.S. § 307(B)(4).

In the opinion of the City Attorney, the Council is advised that the Executive Session is necessary to process the claims and litigation, and disclosure will seriously impair the ability of the public body to process the proceeding in the public interest. Moreover, that the Executive Session is necessary to protect the confidentiality of the investigation and potential litigation. After the conclusion of the confidential portion of executive session, the Council will reconvene in open meeting, and the final decision, if any, will be put to a vote.

- 4. Adjournment**

NOTICE:

Please note that all items on this agenda may be approved, denied, amended, postponed, acknowledged, affirmed or tabled.

If you wish to speak at this evening's meeting, please fill out a "Request to Speak" form. The forms are available from the City Clerk's table or at the entrance door. Please turn in your form prior to the start of the meeting. Topics are limited to items on the currently posted agenda, or relevant business.

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Exhibits, petitions, pictures, etc., shall be received and deposited in case files to be kept at the Broken Arrow City Hall. If you are a person with a disability and need some accommodation in order to participate in this meeting, please contact the City Clerk at 918-259-2400 Ext. 5418 to make arrangements.

21 O.S. Section 280 provides the following:

- A. It is unlawful for any person, alone or in concert with others and without authorization, to willfully disturb, interfere or disrupt state business or the business of any political subdivision, which includes publicly posted meetings, or any agency operations or any employee, agent, official or representative of the state or political subdivision.
- B. It is unlawful for any person who is without authority or who is causing any disturbance, interference or disruption to willfully refuse to disperse or leave any property, building or structure owned, leased or occupied by state officials or any political subdivision or its employees, agents or representatives or used in any manner to conduct state business or any political subdivision's business or operations after proper notice by a peace officer, sergeant-at-arms, or other security personnel.
- C. Any violation of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment in the county jail for a term of not more than one (1) year, by a fine not exceeding One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), or by both such fine and imprisonment.
- D. For purposes of this section, "disturb, interfere or disrupt" means any conduct that is violent, threatening, abusive, obscene, or that jeopardizes the safety of self or others.

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