

City of New Plymouth Council Meeting

January 5, 2026

The New Plymouth City Council held a regular meeting at 215 N Plymouth Ave, New Plymouth, Idaho.

Mayor Ron Martinez called the meeting to order at 6:00p.m.

Mayor led the **Pledge of Allegiance**

Council Present: Councilor Josh Davis, Councilor Michael Hughes, Councilor Wayde James

Council by Phone: None

Council Absent: Council-President Evans

Staff Present: Marianne Gatchell- Clerk, Stephanie Johnson – Treasurer, Melanie Cope – Librarian, Public Works Superintendent – Beau Ziemer, Andy Gehrke – City Engineer

Staff by Phone:

Staff Absent:

Declaration of Conflicts of Interest: None

Declaration of Council Members' Discussion Outside an Open Meeting: None

Approval of Minutes – Councilor Davis **MOVED TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF DECEMBER 15, 2025.** Seconded by Hughes. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

Approval of Payables – Councilor Davis **MOVED TO APPROVE THE PAYABLES OF \$43,760.67.** Seconded by Councilor James. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

Intermission: Took a moment to thank our former Councilor and Mayor for their service as well as welcoming our new Councilors and Mayor.

Elected Officials:

Mayor Tyson Flannery sworn in.

Councilors Wayde James, Ron Martinez, and Mike Ware sworn in.

Nomination of Council-President Councilor Martinez nominated Councilor James for Council-President. Councilor Davis seconded the nomination. Councilor Martinez **MOVED TO APPROVE THE NOMINATION OF COUNCILOR WAYDE JAMES AS COUNCIL-PRESIDENT.** Seconded by Councilor Davis

Council-President James **MOVED TO ADJOURN.** Seconded by Councilor Ware. **Motion Carried by voice vote.**

Meeting Adjourned 6:27p.m.

Mayor Tyson Flannery

Marianne Gatchell, City Clerk