CITY COUNCIL MEETING
OZARK, ALABAMA
TUESDAY, October 6, 2026

The City Council of the City of Ozark, Alabama, met in Regular Session in the Council Chamber of the Municipal Complex at 5:30 P.M. on Tuesday **October 6, 2026**. Upon roll call the following members were present:

Present:	Charles Ward, Mayor
	Winston T. Jackson, Council President, Place No. 3
	Bryan Macario, Councilmember, Place No. 1
	Les Perault, Councilmember, Place No. 2
	Caitlyn Cummings, Councilmember, Place No. 5
Absent:	Brenda Simechak, Councilmember, Place No. 4

Also present: Chris Peters, who acted as clerk of the meeting, Chief Michael Bryan, Heather Cohen, Joseph McNabb, and Joe Adams.

City Clerk, Chris Peters, gave the prayer followed by Mayor Ward leading everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Council having read the minutes from the Regular Council Meeting held on **September 15, 2026** President Jackson asked the wishes of the Council. Councilmember Perault made a motion to approve the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held on **September 15, 2026** which motion was seconded by Councilmember Cummings. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

Council President Jackson advised the Council that it was time to set the Agenda. Councilmember Cummings made a motion to set the Agenda as presented, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Perault. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

Councilmember Cummings made a motion to approve the First and Second Reading Application 160 – Special Retail – More Than 30 Days; Applicant: Rax Country LLC; Trade Name: The Warehouse, 141 N. East Ave., Ozark, AL 36360, Owner: Kelli P. McQueen, 112 Woodland Circle, Troy, AL 36081., which motion was seconded by Councilmember Macario. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

Councilmember Macario introduced a Resolution to apply for State Matching Funds for an Airport Improvement Project for the Ozark Municipal Airport and moved for its adoption which motion was seconded by Councilmember Perault. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

Councilmember Perault introduced a Resolution Authorizing the City of Ozark to Submit an Application to ALDOT for Intersection Improvements along US Hwy 231 and AL 27 and moved for its adoption which motion was seconded by Councilmember Macario. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

Councilmember Cummings made a motion to Accept and Authorize an Alabama Humanities Alliance Grant in the amount of $2,500.00, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Macario. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

Councilmember Cummings made a motion to Approve the proposed 2027 Holiday Schedule, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Perault. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

Councilmember Macario made a motion to Approve the Bid Award for Street Paving Project to Wiregrass Construction Inc. in the amount of $523,744.80, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Perault. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

Councilmember Perault made a motion to Re-Appoint Charles Veneziano to the Historic Preservation Commission Board, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Macario. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

Councilmember Cummings made a motion to Appoint Joseph Newman to the Board of Zoning and Adjustments, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Perault. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

Councilmember Cummings made a motion to Appoint Roderick Swanson to the Ozark-Dale County Public Library, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Macario. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

Council President Jackson advised the Council that a Court Report and Financial Report were in their packets for review.

With there being no further business to come before this Regular Council Meeting of **October 6, 2026** Councilmember Cummings made a motion to adjourn, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Perault. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

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Council President

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City Clerk