

LOCAL GOVERNMENT REVIEW
STUDY COMISSION MINUTES FOR March 26, 2025

MEMBERS PRESENT	The meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by commission chair Joe Morse. Others present were commissioners Mina Morse and Karen Redman, ex-officio Webb Mandeville and Secretary Cherrie McAlexander.
SIDELINE IN PERSON	NONE
PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS	NONE
MINUTES APPROVED	Mina Morse made a motion to approve the minutes of the February 19, 2025, meeting. Karen Redman seconded the motion. Joe Morse asked if there was any discussion, no discussion; all yea votes, motion passed.
UNFINISHED BUSINESS	NONE
NEW BUSINESS	Cherrie presented the commission with all the Community Input Surveys that had been returned to city hall along with a spreadsheet organizing all the responses. There were 163 surveys returned. The commission reviewed all the surveys and read all the comments. Mina stated that the complaints haven't changed much since she was on the council, pool and roads. Karen thanked Cherrie for doing all the work for the survey. Joe stated that the last question on the survey shocked him. Alot of people wanted to see a few changes in the local government but no one responded with what those changes should be. The survey showed that the majority of responses wanted partisan elections with districts. Mina stated after reading all the comments on the surveys that there really wasn't any change needed in the structure of the Local Government. After all the discussion about the surveys it was decided that there is no need for any change in the Local Government. April 10 th the commission will hear any public comment on the matter, after the public hearing Joe will begin writing the Tentative Final Report. It was decided that the next public hearing will be held at 6:45 pm on May 19 th at City Hall. This public hearing will be to hear any public comments on the Tentative Final Report. After that public hearing the Tentative Report will become the Final Report and will be recorded with the County Clerk.
COMMENTS NOT ON THE AGENDA	NONE
ANNOUCEMENTS	Cherrie reminded the commission of the Public Hearing on April 10 th at 6:00 pm.
ADJOURNMENT	Mina Morse made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 4:33 pm, seconded by Karen, all yeah votes. Meeting adjourned.

JOE MORSE, COMMISSION CHAIR

CHERRIE L MCALEXANDER, SECRETARY