

CITY OF ALAMOGORDO, NEW MEXICO
CITY COMMISSION SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
5:30 PM, DONALD E. CARROLL COMMISSION CHAMBERS
March 17, 2026

SHARON MCDONALD, MAYOR
JOSHUA RARDIN, MAYOR PRO-TEM
BAXTER PATTILLO, COMMISSIONER
STEPHEN BURNETT, COMMISSIONER
WARREN ROBINSON, COMMISSIONER

AL HERNANDEZ, COMMISSIONER
MARK TAPLEY, COMMISSIONER
STEPHANIE HERNANDEZ, ACTING CITY
MANAGER
DARRELL MORI, CITY ATTORNEY
RACHEL HUGHS, CITY CLERK

CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

Mayor McDonald called the meeting to order at 5:30 PM. Roll Call was taken by the City Clerk. City Clerk Hughs announced there was a quorum present.

INVOCATION & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Invocation was given by Commissioner Robinson, and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Commissioner Patillo.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Commissioner Tapley moved to approve.
Commissioner Robinson seconded the motion.
Motion Passed with a vote of 7 - 0 - 0.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

1. Recess into Executive Closed Session in compliance with 10-15-1(H)(2) NMSA (as amended) to discuss: Limited Personnel Matters (Hiring of the City Manager). (Roll Call Vote Required)

Commissioner Robinson moved to Recess to Executive Session at 5:33 PM.
Commissioner Burnett seconded the motion.
Motion Passed with a vote of 7 - 0 - 0.

RECONVENE INTO OPEN SESSION

Commissioner Robinson moved to Reconvene into Open Session at 7:00 PM.
Commissioner Burnett seconded the motion.
Motion passed with a vote of 7 - 0 - 0.

2. Action, if any, related to Limited Personnel Matters. (Roll Call Vote Required)

Mayor McDonald said we have agreed to enter into contract negotiations with our legal counsel for the contract for the City Manager. Mayor Pro-Tem Rardin asked if a motion was needed for that. City Attorney Mori said no, that was just direction to give transparency. There is no action actually being taken.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Burnett moved to adjourn at 7:02 PM.
Commissioner Robinson seconded the motion.
Motion Passed with a vote of 7 - 0 - 0.

ATTEST:



Mayor Sharon McDonald

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City Clerk Rachel Hughs

(Prepared by Dylan Aleshire, Deputy Clerk)

Approved at the Regular Meeting held on March 24, 2026.

