Sutton Town Council
July 23, 2026, 6:00 pm - Regular Meeting Agenda
Council Chambers, Sutton Municipal Building

1. Call to Order Start Time: 6:00 PM

The meeting was opened by Mayor Carolyn Hoover

Pledge of Allegiance by all attendees

A Moment of Silence for the Flood Victums.

Roll Call	Present	Absent		Present	Absent
Mayor - Carolyn Hoover	___X____	_____	Recorder - Debbie Pierson	___X___	_____
Anita Lambert	__ X____	_ _____	Darrell Pierson	___X___	_____
Thomas Gates	___X____	_____	Tia Mullins	___X___	_____
Justin Hill	___X____	_____			

A Quorum was Present throughout the meeting.

2. Appointment of the City Attorney

Councilman Thomas Gates: I motion that we appoint Sam Harold as the Town of Sutton Attorney.

Councilman Tia Mullins: I second the motion.

All in favor say 'Aye' 6 Those opposed say 'No' 0 The Ayes have it. Motion carried

3. Financial Reports and Topics

a. FY 2026 Expenses/Revenue and noteworthy items.

b. FY 2027 Budget and Budget Revisions and noteworthy items.

Councilman Thomas Gates: I make a motion to approve the revision to the budget for Fy 2027.

Councilman Tia Mullins: I second the motion.

All in favor say 'Aye' 6 Those opposed say 'No' 0 The Ayes have it. Motion carried

c. Stage Revision Costs Over $4,000 with a check of $500 From the SCDC.

Councilman Thomas Gates: I motion that we halt the construction of the state, until we get a requisition of all the material and await a bldg. plan submitted.

Councilman Justin Hill: I second the motion.

All in favor say 'Aye' 6 Those opposed say 'No' 0 The Ayes have it. Motion carried

EXECUTIVE SESSION – 6:31 PM – 6-9a4

Councilman Thomas Gates: I motion that we go into Executive session 6.9a4

Councilman Tia Mullins: I second the motion.

All in favor say 'Aye' 6 Those opposed say 'No' 0 The Ayes have it. Motion carried

END EXECUTIVE SESSION – 7:13 PM 6-9a3

Councilman Tia Mullins: I motion that we Raise the Town Clerk / Police Administrative Assistant salary to $19.00 effective July 27, 2026.

Councilman Justin Hill: I second the motion.

All in favor say 'Aye' 5 Those opposed say 'No' 0 The Ayes have it. Motion carried

Councilman Tomas Gates recused himself.

a. Mayor and Recorder and Council Raises - Small town comparisons

Councilman Thomas Gates: I motion that we Table the Mayor, Council, Recorder Raises until later this FY

Councilman Tia Mullins: I second the motion.

All in favor say 'Aye' 6 Those opposed say 'No' 0 The Ayes have it. Motion carried

b. Town contribution to employee retirement

Councilman Thomas Gates: I motion to approve the Town contribution to employee retirement, price matching to a maximum of $10.00 per pay period, by-weekly.

Councilman Justin Hill: I second the motion.

All in favor say 'Aye' 6 Those opposed say 'No' 0 The Ayes have it. Motion carried

c. Air Quality Sensor Resolution.

Councilman Thomas Gates: I motion that the approve the air quality sensor to be installed as in the Guidelines in the Resolution #9.

Councilman Darrell Pierson: I second the motion.

All in favor say 'Aye' 6 Those opposed say 'No' 0 The Ayes have it. Motion carried

d. Town Survey

The Lawyer, Sam Harold, is looking into this.

4. New Business

Building Permit

Councilman Thomas Gates: I motion that we approve the building permit for Arwanna Burroughs with contractor Jane Lee Enterprises.

Councilman Justin Hill: I second the motion.

All in favor say 'Aye' 6 Those opposed say 'No' 0 The Ayes have it. Motion carried

5. Citizen's Concerns

6. Special Committees - Ordinances – Councilman Tia Mullins

1st Reading of Chapter 8 Ordinance No. 8-605a and 8-605b amendment regarding multi-use bldgs.

Councilman Tia Mullins: I motion that we table the amendment of Chapter 8, 8-605a and 8-605b

Councilman Thomas Gates: I second the motion.

All in favor say 'Aye' 6 Those opposed say 'No' 0 The Ayes have it. Motion carried

7. Adjourn Time: 7:25 PM

Councilman Thomas Gates: I motion that we Adjourn

Councilman Justin Hill: I second the motion.

All in favor say 'Aye' 6 Those opposed say 'No' 0 The Ayes have it. Motion carried