Electric Committee Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, October 28, 2026
6:00 PM – 8:23 PM

Present: Gayle Glumac, Larry Brooks, RJ Lindemann, Mike Swick, Joshua Kuhl, Eric Blake, Maggie McDonald, Amy Tarr, Brenda Phillips, Matt Tarr, Raymond Reynolds, Tim Huber and Luke Johnson

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM.

- The City Council continued discussions with Norris Electric regarding the potential sale of the Newton Electric Department. No decisions were reached, as the Council needs additional time to review the financials and consider its options. Maintenance responsibilities and shared service agreements were also discussed.

Tim Huber and Jake Johnson left the meeting at 6:58 PM.

- The committee began discussions with Ameren last week regarding the city's Wholesale Distribution System and proposed new charges. Additional discussions will be held.
- The Council reviewed the proposed Small Wireless Distribution Service Ordinance. Revisions to the language will be made in preparation for a future vote.
- Matt discussed quotes for proposed work in the Industrial Park.
- Matt will coordinate with the engineers to discuss future lighting improvements on the Square following construction of the courthouse.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:23 PM.

Submitted by:
Gayle Glumac – Chairman