



City of Bentonville

Bentonville Utility Board Meeting
Tuesday, August 18, 2026 – 11:30 am
Bentonville City Hall 305 SW “A” St.
City Council Chambers

Agenda & Minutes

Call to Order
Pledge of Allegiance
Attendance

Approval of Minutes: August 4, 2026

Motion to approve Ani Seconded Bill Approved 3-0

New Business

1. Ordinance Approving a Waiver of Bid for Purchase of 161 kV Breakers from GE Grid Solutions Ordinance*

Due to volatility in the electric industry, BEUD is waiving competitive bidding and entering into an agreement with GE Grid Solutions to purchase four (4) 161 kV breakers for future BEUD capital projects concerning substations for \$690,400.00 plus tax. Due to market volatility and lead times related to these products, it would be neither practical nor feasible to solicit competitive bids. A budget adjustment is needed.

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2. Resolution Authorizing a Recycling Partnership Grant Agreement Resolution

A Resolution entering into a grant agreement with the Recycling Partnership, Inc. to increase participation and capture of recyclable materials from the City's residential curbside collection program. Grant funds are not to exceed \$202,000.00. In addition to cash grants, there will be access to in-kind services up to \$125,000.00. The Recycling Partnership, Inc. will make all payments direct to vendors. No budget adjustment is needed.

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Adjournment 1153 am

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