

**TONOPAH TOWN BOARD**  
**April 8, 2026**  
**MEETING MINUTES**  
**Tonopah Convention Center**  
**301 Brougner Avenue, Tonopah, NV 89049**  
**6:00 p.m.**

Chairman Don Kaminski brought the April 8, 2026 Tonopah Town Board meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. and led in the Pledge of Allegiance

Present:

Vice-Chairman Joni Eastley

Clerk Marc Grigory

Member Douglas Baker

Member Steven Stringer

15 others attended

1. Public Comment

Via phone - Cindy Kaminski, she had two comments; letters from TPU about water samples and the compensation study.

Bethany Jayne: Certain vendors will be at the Convention Center. Food trucks will be at food truck alley.

2. Approval of agenda

Approved as submitted.

3. Consent Agenda:

a. Approval of invoices for payment

b. Approval of department budget reports for March

c. Approval of minutes: March 11 & March 25, 2026

d. Approval of 5/8 room tax grant request from Central Nevada Racing Association in the amount of \$4,500 to help promote the 2026 Tonopah Speedway Poker Run  
Steve Stringer disclosed this is his item and doesn't gain.

Member Stringer disclosed that item D was his and that he's a member of the Speedway but does not gain financially from this request.

Vice Chair Eastley moved to approve the consent agenda with a second from Clerk Grigory. No further discussion and the motion carried 5-0.

4. Department Managers' and Town Board Members' Comments

Reports submitted via email.

Mr. Westerlund addressed the water sample letters that went out from TPU.

5. Discussion, deliberation and possible action to adopt the Town of Tonopah Workers' Compensation Policy and Procedures

Approved by POOL/PACT and the Davies group.

Clerk Grigory moved to adopt the Town of Tonopah Workers' Compensation Policy and Procedures with a second from Member Stringer. No further discussion and the motion carried 5-0.

6. Discussion, deliberation and possible action to approve, amend and approve or reject the FY26/27 Tonopah PSST – Fire Spending Plan in the amount of \$272,544.30

Chief Yeager addressed the Board and went over some of the items in his spending plan. Clerk Grigory moved to approve the amended amount of \$202,544.30 for the FY26/27 Tonopah PSST – Fire Spending Plan with a second by Member Stringer. No further discussion and the motion carried 5-0.

7. Discussion, deliberation, and possible action to approve Fiscal Year 26/27 Town of Tonopah tentative budget to be filed with the Department of Taxation

The following email was read by Mr. Westerlund. Salary increases will be on a future agenda for further discussion and possible decision.

Hi Joe

As a follow up to our phone call concerning the salary and wage survey that was completed for the Town, I think some additional information could be considered. The Town does have a strong fund balance in the Town General Fund today. However, I suggest that increases in wages include projections on the financial impact 5 to 10 years into the future. Some of our audit clients in recent years have given significant raises based on conditions on the "day" the decision was made. Now they are dealing with problems that they failed to include in their decision process.

I think it is important to gather as much information as you can from local governments that have a population base similar to Tonopah. Comparisons to metro areas like Las Vegas can be helpful, but cost of living varies from location to location. Employee benefits including retirement (PERS) and health insurance continue to increase. As you know PERS is based on salary and wages paid to employees. The PERS rates have increased approximately 2% every two years.

Another item to consider is the fact that not all employees are paid out of the general fund of the Town. Utility employees are paid based on fees paid by users of the utilities. The fund balances in the utility funds are high due to the significant investments in the utility systems. Raising utility rates to pay higher wages to utility employees need some extra attention. As you know, I am not against raises. Cost of living increases are necessary to retain and attract "skilled" labor. I just think some projections and more information will help make good decisions...

Dan

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Vice Chair Eastley moved to approve Fiscal Year 26/27 Town of Tonopah tentative budget to be filed with the Department of Taxation with a second from Member Stringer. No further discussion and the motion carried 5-0.

8. Discussion, deliberation, and possible action to set the date, time and location to hold a Public Hearing for Fiscal Year 26/27 Town of Tonopah tentative budget

Vice Chair Eastley moved to set the date, time and location to hold a Public Hearing for Fiscal Year 26/27 Town of Tonopah tentative budget as 6:00 p.m. on May 27, 2026 at the Tonopah Convention Center with a second from Member Baker. No further discussion and the motion carried 5-0.

9. Public Comment

Cindy Kaminski stated that the signs at Joe Friel Complex need replacing as well as the surrounding area needs to be cleaned up.

10. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 6:39 p.m.

**TONOPAH LIBRARY DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

**April 8, 2026**

**MEETING MINUTES**

**Tonopah Convention Center**

**301 Brougner Avenue, Tonopah, NV 89049**

**6:00 p.m.**

Chairman Don Kaminski brought the April 8, 2026 Tonopah Library District Board of Trustees meeting to order at 6:39 p.m.

Present:

Vice-Chairman Douglas Baker

Clerk Marc Grigory

Trustee Joni Eastley

Trustee Steven Stringer

15 others attended

1. Public Comment

None.

2. Approval of agenda

Approved as submitted.

3. Consent Agenda:

a. Approval of invoices for payment

b. Approval of library budget report for March

c. Approval of minutes: March 11 & March 25, 2026

Clerk Grigory moved to approve the consent agenda with a second by Vice Chairman Baker. No further discussion and the motion carried 5-0.

4. Managers' and Library Board Members' Comments

Jessyka Boteler: spring reading program started. Little Learners' Group is bringing in people. The number of adult patrons is down.

5. Discussion, deliberation, and possible action to approve Fiscal Year 26/27 Tonopah Library District Board of Trustees tentative budget to be filed with the Department of Taxation.

Trustee Eastley moved to approve Fiscal Year 26/27 Tonopah Library District Board of Trustees tentative budget to be filed with the Department of Taxation with a second from Trustee Stringer. No further discussion and the motion carried 5-0.

6. Discussion, deliberation, and possible action to set the date, time and location to hold a Public Hearing for Fiscal Year 26/27 Tonopah Library District Board of Trustees tentative budget.

Trustee Eastley moved to set the date, time and location to hold a Public Hearing for Fiscal Year 26/27 Tonopah Library District Board of Trustees tentative budget as 6:00 p.m. on May 27, 2026 at the Tonopah Convention Center with a second from Clerk Grigory. No further discussion and the motion carried 5-0.

7. Public Comment

None.

8. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 6:47 p.m.

Town of Tonopah & Tonopah Library District Board of Trustees  
Invoices, Vouchers, Journal Entries, & Minutes

  
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**Don Kaminski Chair/Chair**

  
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**Joni Eastley Vice Chair/Trustee**

  
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**Marc Grigory Clerk/Clerk**

  
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**Steven Stringer Member/Trustee**

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**Douglas Baker Member/Vice Chair**

APPROVED ON MAY 13, 2026:

**Invoices: \$ 137,058.87**

**Journal Entries: \$2793.90-----security deposits applied to final charges on accounts**

**Minutes: April 3, 8, 22 - 2026**

**APPROVAL OF INVOICES RECEIVED IN APRIL AND MAY 2026 NOT ON THE LIST FROM THE FOLLOWING VENDORS (TO AVOID POSSIBLE LATE FEES OR RECEIVED AFTER THE LIST WAS PRINTED): PURCHASE POWER/PITNEY BOWES, REBEL OIL, FLYER'S, STEVE'S AUTO PART, CENTRAL NEVADA HARDWARE, RALEY'S, FRONTIER, NV ENERGY, TONOPAH PUBLIC UTILITIES, BLACKBURN PEST CONTROL, MIMOWORKS, SUBURBAN PROPANE, AMAZON, OPI, SILVER STATE LABS, OASIS ONLINE CONSULTING - - -BANK OF AMERICA STATEMENTS FOR JESSYKA BOTELER AND MIKE SAIN**

Prepared by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Jennifer Mills

Vendor	Invoice #	Dept to Charge	Total
PARKSON	51045366	TPU	\$ 1,754.65
WESTERN NV SUPPLY	12203362	TPU	\$ 5,638.24
WESTERN NV SUPPLY	12218304	TPU	\$ 170.46
WESTERN NV SUPPLY	12219714	TPU	\$ 176.08
WESTERN NV SUPPLY	12116112	TPU	\$ 90.60
WESTERN NV SUPPLY	12225094	TPU	\$ 550.24
WESTERN NV SUPPLY	12225950	TPU	\$ 87.44
<b>SUPPLIES FOR TPU/PARKS</b>			
PAPE MACHINERY	8002621	RISK MGT FUND	\$ 9,974.85
<b>REPAIRS TO SKID STEER</b>			
FIREHOUSE INNOVATIONS	2503	TVFDPST	\$ 12,915.00
PAPE MACHINERY	16816083	TOT	\$ 88.09
<b>BOUGEE BOHO TEE'S</b>	<b>202618</b>	<b>TOT MAINT</b>	<b>\$ 403.00</b>
<b>MAINT HOODIES/SHIRTS</b>			
BETHANY JAYNE	042826BJ	CC	\$ 80.00
BETHANY JAYNE	043026BJ	TOUR	\$ 1,227.67
BETHANY JAYNE	042426BJ	TOUR	\$ 72.00
BETHANY JAYNE	042426BJ	TOUR	\$ 478.05
BETHANY JAYNE	FB	TOUR	\$ 670.23
ESRI	900221538	TPU	\$ 700.00
FARMER BRO'S	91358049	CC	\$ 708.24
DUSTIN CHASTAIN	042926DC	TVFD	\$ 243.44
<b>FUEL REIMBURSEMENT</b>			
TONOPAH TOWN	0430LIB	LIB	\$ 375.25
INLAND SUPPLY	1117245	CC	\$ 162.73
QUILL	48535241	TOT/TPU	\$ 193.17
QUILL	48555031	TOT/TPU	\$ 27.16
QUILL	48758498	TOT	\$ 40.45
QUILL	48743193	TOT	\$ 128.39
QUILL	48677039	TOT/TPU	\$ 394.35
QUILL	48660038	TPU	\$ 24.82
TOWN PETTY CASH	MAR-MAY26	TBD	\$ 128.36
CONVENTION CENTER PETTY CASH	MAR-APR26	CC	\$ 122.33
GERALD YEAGER	MAY26	TVFD	\$ 1,000.00
TONOPAH VOL FIRE DEPT	RRMAY26	TVFD	\$ 2,000.00
<b>THESE MAIL OUT AT THE END OF MAY</b>			
SPECIALTY WELDING	69605	TPU	\$ 21.15
LAS VEGAS REV JOURNAL	831461	TOT/CC	\$ 581.00
0862130 CORP	49906	TPU	\$ 65.00
JIMMY MCCORMICK	49905	TPU	\$ 54.95
BEST IN THE DESERT LLC	49892	TPU	\$ 2,092.94
HAAKER	33627	TPU	\$ (51.44)
GALLI'S LOCKS	050126	TPU	\$ 100.00
BDG AUTOMOTIVE	1034	TOT/TPU	\$ 112.00
BDG AUTOMOTIVE	1035	TOT/TPU	\$ 343.00
GREAT BASIN COLLEGE	COBB	TOT ADMIN	\$ 1,000.00
COLUMBIA COLLEGE	BLACKBURN	TOT ADMIN	\$ 1,000.00
UNIV OF NORTHWESTERN OHIO	JEFFREY	TOT ADMIN	\$ 1,000.00
UNIV OF NEVADA RENO	STROZZI	TOT ADMIN	\$ 500.00
UNIV OF NEVADA RENO	ANDERSON	TOT ADMIN	\$ 1,000.00
<b>THESE ARE FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP</b>			
<b>RECIPIENTS</b>			
CHARTER ADVERTISING	12352	TOUR	\$ 1,440.00
LIBRARY PETTY CASH	LIBPETTYAPR26	LIB	\$ 100.66
FIRETRUCKS UNLIMITED	6745	TVFD	\$ 3,600.00
DOI BLM	2026031078	TPU	\$ 13,268.50
CORE CONSTRUCTION	49937	TPU	\$ 947.55
SHAW ENG	187936	TPU	\$ 3,370.00

INLAND SUPPLY	1117388	CC	\$ 99.86
JORDAN JANSSON	49935	TPU	\$ 52.95
THATCHER CO	2026400101692	POOL	\$ 1,207.34
ROBERT HERREN	050626RH	TPU	\$ 42.00
QUILL	48743193	TOT/TPU	\$ 128.39
QUILL	48758498	TOT/TPU	\$ 40.45
WESTERN NV SUPPLY	12238937	PARK	\$ 428.52
SPOHN RANCH (FINAL PMT-SKATE PARK)	TT004	PARK	\$ 53,625.00
JOE DEBOER	29953	TPU	\$ 95.00
PAPE MACHINERY	16854509	TOT	\$ 723.12
NYE CO SNR NUTRITION	4069	TOT	\$ 1,700.00
NYE CO SNR NUTRITION	4057	TOT	\$ 1,700.00
NYE CO SNR NUTRITION	4061	TOT	\$ 1,700.00
GLASS ROOTS CONST	49958	TPU	\$ 2,645.64
NYE CO SNR NUTRITION	4064	TOT	\$ 1,700.00
<b>May 13, 2026</b>			
<b>REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY</b>			
<b>TONOPAH TOWN &amp; LIBRARY BOARDS</b>			
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 137,058.87</b>