

**MINUTES OF SOLID WASTE AUTHORITY MEETING  
MARCH 17, 2026**

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Chairman and Trustees of the Clinton Solid Waste Authority City of Clinton, Oklahoma, Custer County, held in the City Council Room, City Hall on Tuesday, March 17, 2026, at 5:30 p.m. A notice of this meeting with agenda was posted on the bulletin board in the lobby of Clinton City Hall on March 13, 2026, at 3:00 p.m.

Chairman David Berrong called the meeting to order at 5:33 p.m. with the following present:

**CHAIRMAN:** David Berrong

**TRUSTEES:** Erin Adams, Arthur Lloyd

**TRUSTEES ABSENT:** Ernesto Villanueva, Ernie Dowdell,

**MANAGER:** Robert Johnston

**CITY TREASURER:** Debra Blanchard

**CITY ATTORNEY:** Ryan Meacham (absent)

**CITY CLERK:** Amy Jones

**NEWS MEDIA:** Mike Smith, Sean Stephens, Kyra Huckabay

**OTHERS:** Gene McCullough, Brooks Red, Anne Lambeth, Jason Lambeth, Kaleigh Wilson, Austin Thompson, Staci Laughlin, Dan Tharp, Troy and Christine Calvert, Riley Bryson, Brent Hester, Bruce and Judy Lamborn, and others.

Troy Calvert opened the meeting with prayer and Mayor Berrong led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 2: CONSENT AGENDA**

A. Minutes of Regular Meeting of March 3, 2026

Motion was made by Trustee Lloyd and seconded by Trustee Adams that the Consent Agenda Items be approved.

Chairman Berrong put the motion to a roll call vote:

Aye: Adams, Lloyd, Berrong

Nay: None

Chairman declared the motion carried.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 3 DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING:**

A. **“Consent to Assignment of Solid Waste Agreement” from Allied Waste Systems, Inc.**

Manager Johnston explained that Allied Waste Systems, Inc. dba Republic Services has recently reached an agreement with Veteran Waste Solutions, Inc (VWS) to operate Republic's Services transfer station in Weatherford, Oklahoma. A "Consent to Assignment of Solid Waste Agreement" has been submitted by Republic for City Attorney Meacham's review. Meacham reviewed the document and found it to be satisfactory. VWS Sales Manager Staci Laughlin was present to answer any questions.

Motion was made by Trustee Adams and seconded by Trustee Lloyd to approve the "Consent to Assignment of Solid Waste Agreement" from Allied Waste Systems, Inc.

Chairman put the motion to a roll call vote:

Aye: Adams, Lloyd, Berrong

Nay: None

Chairman declared the motion carried.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 4 NEW BUSINESS (If any pursuant to Section 311.9 of the Oklahoma Open Meeting Act.)**

None

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 5: TRUSTEE REPORT**

None

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 6: MANAGER'S REPORT**

None

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 7: ADJOURNMENT**

Moved by Trustee Lloyd seconded by Trustee Adams to adjourn the meeting.

Chairman put the motion to a roll call vote:

Aye: Adams, Lloyd, Berrong

Nay: None

Chairman declared the meeting adjourned at 5:35 p.m.

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Date Approved

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David D. Berrong, Chair