

**CITY OF LARAMIE, WYOMING  
CITY COUNCIL OPEN HOUSE MINUTES  
LINCOLN COMMUNITY CENTER, 365 W GRAND AVE, LARAMIE, WY 82070**

**MARCH 26, 2026**

The Open House began at 6:02 p.m.

Council present: William Bowling, Jim Fried, Matt Lockhart, Brandon Newman, Erin O'Doherty, Melanie Vigil, Micah Richardson, and Sharon Cumbie. Absent: Joe Shumway.

Staff present: Todd Feezer, City Manager; and Nancy Bartholomew, City Clerk.

**1. West Side Blight Designation**

The City Council received many questions and comments related to the proposed West Side Blight Designation that is being considered by City Council. The item was postponed on March 17, 2026 to be heard at the Regular Meeting of City Council on April 7, 2026. Comments ranged in nature from concerns related to protecting the river and animals, historic buildings, and wondering why this property was chosen to support for affordable housing options in Laramie. The City Council engaged in conversation with constituents and answering questions.

This item will be considered at the Regular Meeting of City Council on April 7, 2026.

Work Session adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Approved:

  
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Nancy Bartholomew  
City Clerk, CMC

3/31/26  
Date

