

The Alvin Senior Citizens Board
Meeting Minutes
March 9, 2026

1. Call to Order – Meeting was called to order at 9:00am.
2. Roll Call – All Board Members present. Marla Grigsby, Manager Senior Center, present. Michelle Nesrsta, Parks & Recreation Superintendent, absent.
3. Approval of Minutes for February 9, 2026 – Member Hockin made a motion to approve the minutes. Member Shepherd seconded the motion. All members present approved the minutes.
4. Petitions/Requests from the Public – None
5. Board Chair Report –
 - a. Chair Burkey has received complements regarding the war memorial and bench. He has sent out emails to remind vendors of the Veterans Fair. Bobby Taylor will be helping with the Police Academy being held March 24 – 26. He spoke to Dan Kelinske about the shrubs at City Hall. Manager Grigsby needs to flag the shrubs she wants moved to the Senior Center
6. Recreation Superintendent Report – Absent
7. Senior Center Manager Report –
 - a. Only 8 people have signed up for the Police Academy. April 23 is the volunteer appreciation lunch. Guests only, no plus one.
 - b. Manager Grigsby is having issues with getting replacement emblems for the Wall of Honor. Orders have been canceled and the cost has gone up. A 3-piece artwork has been ordered. The picnic table from outside the exercise room has been moved over to where the war memorial is located. There is a delay in the switch over to the magnetic doors. Company is holding the last door install until they receive next payment. The sliding door in the west end will not be done due to age of door. This door will be replaced next budget season. The air returns have been cleaned and painted, and the stained ceiling tiles have been replaced. 300 lanyards have been ordered. They are maroon with orange (yellow jacket) with lettering that says Alvin Senior Center on one side and We Love Our Seniors on the other side.
 - c. The Senior Center will be closed on April 3 for Good Friday.
8. Items of Community Interest
 - a. Chair Burkey – David Fritz from INEOS has moved to a new facility. His replacement, Palamo, will call bingo and bring pizza on March 20 in Action. INEOS will be planting and laying mulch at The Cottage on March 27. Kathy Brady is the heart Center. Her sister Carol is doing well. Is there interest in going to visit other senior centers? The Alvin ISD 100 year anniversary exhibit at the museum ends March 25. The next exhibit will be a Lego movie theme. The

museum is working on an AI exhibit where you sit in a buggy and Alvin Morgan drives you through old town Alvin.

- b. Member Green – Thanked Manager Grigsby for getting the table moved. He contacted a person who has a relative on the war memorial. He suggested the newspaper be contacted for a picture to be taken. Also, suggested a dedication by the city during the Veterans Fair.
 - c. Manager Grigsby – The city now has Veterans Day as a holiday so the Senior Center will be closed. The Senior Center will still have the veteran's breakfast. It will be November 10 this year.
 - d. Member Shepherd – The school exhibit at the museum is fantastic. The 2025 history book is completed and is here to look at.
9. Adjournment – The meeting was adjourned at 9:41 am.