

The Alvin Senior Citizens Board
Meeting Minutes
January 12, 2026

1. Call to Order - Meeting was called to order at 9:00am.
2. Roll Call - Chair Burkey absent. All other Board Members present. Michelle Nesrsta, Parks & Recreation Superintendent, and Marla Grigsby, Manager Senior Center, present.
3. Re-Organize Board - Member Green made a motion to nominate Member Burkey for Chair. Member Hockin seconded. All members approved. Member Burkey is the Chair. Member Hockin made a motion to nominate Member Shepherd for Vice Chair and Historian. Member Williams seconded. All members approved. Member Shepherd is the Vice Chair and Historian. Member Altus made a motion to nominate Member Ansley for Secretary. Member Williams seconded. All members approved. Member Ansley is the Secretary. It was mentioned that in 2029 Members Burkey, Shepherd and Ansley will not be able to sit on the Board due to term limits.
4. Review Code of Conduct for Elected and Appointed Officials - This was done with Sara when appointment was renewed.
5. Approval of Minutes for December 8, 2025 - Member Hockin made a motion to approve the minutes. Member Altus seconded the motion. All members present approved the minutes.
6. Petitions/Requests from the Public - None
7. Board Chair Report -
 - a. Chair Burkey was absent.
8. Recreation Superintendent Report -
 - a. Budget is coming back around. Manager Griggs and Superintendent Nesrsta will review the new master plan. The next 2 meetings we will discuss new budget items. The sliding glass door in the west end is problematic with new lock system. Repairs are retrofitted. This door will become a double door with push button. The east end door in Actions had the motherboard replaced but that wasn't the problem. A new motor has been ordered and it will take 2 weeks. The Board Room lights were changed from yellow lights to bright lights. Superintendent Nesrsta will talk to Javier about increasing the lighting.
 - b. Work is to begin today, January 12. There will be just 1 badge if someone is a member of both the Senior Center and the Rec Center. The paint color that will be used is what is current. The paint matches the tile and countertops. Need a neutral color for events. Member Ansley asked for the exercise room outage be kept to a minimum.
9. Senior Center Manager Report -

- a. Actions will be in the west end while the wiring for the new lock system is being done. Burgers & Bingo has been rescheduled. Jammers and Monday night quilting will be in the exercise room. Tuesday TOPS will be in the board room. All other craft-room activities for this week have been cancelled. Members have been texted, emailed and called. Cancellations are being limited.
 - b. The camera system has facial recognition. Public entry will be the sliding doors and east end. These doors will be unlocked 7:30am - 4:30pm. After hours programs will require a badge. New light fixtures on the Sealy side have been installed to make it brighter. The ice room now has a lock for health protocol.
10. Items of Community Interest -
 - a. Member Shepherd - There will be a MLK parade on January 12. It starts at 10am in Stanton's parking lot.
 - b. Member Green - There has been a good response on plastic bags. The Food Pantry is very appreciative.
 - c. Member Williams - Inquired about the electrical outlet with the note on it. It has been like that for a while now. A work order has been put in.
 - d. Member Hockin - The relocating of the war memorial and bench to the Senior Center has been approved to be permanent. Karaoke is going well.
 - e. Manager Grigsby - Chair Burkey arranged for the plants that are in good condition at City Hall to be moved to the Senior Center.
11. Adjournment - The meeting was adjourned at 10:14 am.