

**City of Rocky Top
Public Hearing October 16, 2025**

The City Council of Rocky Top, Tennessee, met at City Hall at 5:15 p.m., October 16, 2025, for a Public Hearing, with Mayor Kerry Templin presiding.

Citizens in Attendance

Kerry Templin
Jeff Gilliam
Richard Duff
Mike Ellis
Amanda Daugherty
Carolyn Templin
Stephanie Mojica
Christina Duff

Discussion of:

- The City of Rocky Top intends to file an application for financial assistance for a sludge press with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Rural Development. This scope of work covers the supply, installation, testing, commissioning, and/or operation of a sludge press system for the treatment of sludge generated from wastewater treatment processes. The sludge press is intended to reduce water content, minimize sludge volume, and facilitate handling, disposal, or further processing.

There was no public comment on the intent to apply.

Councilman Joe Tackett made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Vice-Mayor Jeff Gilliam. Motion carried. The public hearing was adjourned at 5:40 pm.

Kerry Templin, Mayor

Amanda Daugherty, City Recorder