



City Council
Thursday, March 13, 2025

AGENDA

AMENDED

Changes highlighted.

Council & Economic Development Authority Joint Closed Session - 4pm, New College Institute -- Gardner Board Room

- a. 2.2-3711 A(5) Discussion concerning a prospective business or industry or the expansion of an existing business or industry where no previous announcement has been made of the business' or industry's interest in locating or expanding its facilities in the community.
- b. 2.2-3711 A(3) and 2.2-3711 A(6) Discussion concerning items related to the discussion or consideration of the acquisition of real property for a public purpose, or of the disposition of publicly held real property, where discussion in an open meeting would adversely affect the bargaining position or negotiating strategy of the public body, as allowed.

City Council Closed Session - 5pm, New College Institute -- Gardner Board Room

- a. 2.2-3711 A (1) Discussion, consideration, or interviews of prospective candidates for employment; assignment, appointment, promotion, performance, demotion, salaries, disciplining, or resignation of specific public officers, appointees, or employees of any public body; In regards to the City Manager and City Attorney position.

Work Session - 6pm, Municipal Building -- Room 208

1. Briefings and Presentations

- a. Blue Ridge Outdoor Recreation & Park Design Plan
- b. Presentation of Park Improvement Study
- c. Human Resources Update

2. Discuss Consent Agenda Items

- a. Discuss and Consider Rescheduling April 8, 2025 City Council Meeting to April 1st 2025.
- b. Discuss and Consider February 25, 2025 City Council Meeting Minutes
- c. Discuss and Consider City Council Retreat Meeting Minutes

Regular Session - 7pm, Council Chambers

- 3. Call to Order**
- 4. Pledge to the American Flag**
- 5. Invocation**
- 6. Presentations and Proclamations**
 - a. Women's History Month Proclamation
 - b. Police Annual Report
- 7. Consent Agenda**
 - a. Discuss and Consider Rescheduling April 8th 2025 City Council Meeting to April 1st 2025.
 - b. Discuss and Consider February 25, 2025 City Council Meeting Minutes
 - c. Discuss and Consider City Council Retreat Meeting Minutes
- 8. Regular Agenda or New Business**
 - a. Discussion of 2025 Tax Rate
- 9. Take any action necessary as a result of the Executive Session.**
- 10. City Hall Reporting & Announcements**
 - a. Public Information Officer
- 11. Communications from Visitors / Business from the Floor**
 - a. Melody Cartwright
- 12. Comments by Members of City Council**
- 13. Comments by City Manager**
- 14. Adjournment**