



City of Longview

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Agenda

City Council

*Mayor Erik Halvorson
Mayor Pro Tem Keith Young
Council Member Chris Bryant
Council Member Mike Claxton
Council Member Ruth Kendall
Council Member Kalei LaFave
Council Member Wayne Nichols*

Thursday, April 23, 2026

6:00 PM

2nd Floor, City Hall

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1. CALL TO ORDER

2. INVOCATION*/FLAG SALUTE

26-00183 CHAPLAIN BRIAN CUMMINGS, EVANGEL CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

3. ROLL CALL

4. WORKSHOP

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

26-00309 APRIL 9, 2026 REGULAR MEETING

6. CHANGES TO THE AGENDA

7. **PRESENTATIONS & AWARDS**
8. **CONSTITUENTS' COMMENTS - NON-AGENDA ITEMS (Thirty Minutes)**
9. **PUBLIC HEARINGS**
10. **CONSTITUENTS' COMMENTS - AGENDA ITEMS (Thirty Minutes)**
11. **BOARD & COMMISSION RECOMMENDATIONS**
 - 26-00361 REVENUE COMMITTEE REPORT ON HB 2015
12. **ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS**
13. **MAYOR'S REPORT**
 - 26-00348 RESOLUTION NO. 2618 - ESTABLISHING THE ORDER OF BUSINESS OF THE CITY COUNCIL, PROVIDING FOR THE EXPEDITIOUS CONDUCT OF CERTAIN ROUTINE MATTERS, AND REPEALING RESOLUTION NO. 2407

RECOMMENDED ACTION:
MOTION TO ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 2618
14. **COUNCILMEMBERS' REPORTS**
15. **CONSENT CALENDAR**
 - 26-00184 APPROVAL OF CLAIMS
 - 26-00277 RESOLUTION NO. 2614 - SURPLUS CITY PROPERTY/EQUIPMENT

RECOMMENDED ACTION:
MOTION TO ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 2514
 - 26-00310 RESOLUTION NO. 2615 - AMENDMENT TO THE PARKS, RECREATION, AND OPEN SPACE (PROS) PLAN

RECOMMENDED ACTION:
MOTION TO ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 2615
 - 26-00346 RESOLUTION NO. 2616 - 2025 BYRNE JUSTICE ASSISTANT GRANT (JAG) PROGRAM AWARD

RECOMMENDED ACTION:
MOTION TO ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 2616 - AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH COWLITZ COUNTY REGARDING THE 2025 BYRNE JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG) PROGRAM AWARD
 - 26-00345 RESOLUTION NO. 2617 - PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH STRUCTURED COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS, INC. FOR CYBERSECURITY SERVICES TO UPDATE THE CITY INCIDENT RESPONSE PLAN AND CONDUCT TWO TABLETOP EXERCISES, FUNDED BY THE 2024 STATE AND LOCAL CYBERSECURITY GRANT PROGRAM

RECOMMENDED ACTION:
MOTION TO ADOPT THE RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH STRUCTURED COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS, INC.

26-00356 RESOLUTION NO. 2620 - ACCEPTING THE 2025 ANNUAL REPORT FROM THE PDA

RECOMMENDED ACTION:
MOTION TO ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 2620

26-00357 SET A PUBLIC HEARING FOR PUBLIC COMMENT ON THE CITY'S ANNUAL ACTION PLAN ON MAY 28TH, 2026.

RECOMMENDED ACTION:
SET A PUBLIC HEARING FOR MAY 28TH, 2026.

16. **CITY MANAGER'S REPORT**

26-00328 HOPE VILLAGE FOLLOW-UP DISCUSSION

RECOMMENDED ACTION:
WHILE NO FORMAL ACTION IS REQUIRED, STAFF ARE SEEKING DIRECTION FROM COUNCIL SHOULD THEY WISH TO PROVIDE IT BASED ON THE INFORMATION PRESENTED

26-00358 STAFF UPDATE - COWLITZ COUNTY ANIMAL SHELTERING

RECOMMENDED ACTION:
RECEIVE UPDATE ON ANIMAL SHELTERING; PROVIDE DIRECTION TO STAFF TO INITIATE ZONING CODE UPDATE

17. **MISCELLANEOUS**

18. **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

19. **ADJOURNMENT**

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NEXT REGULAR COUNCIL MEETINGS:

THURSDAY, MAY 14, 2026 – 6:00 P.M.
THURSDAY, MAY 28, 2026 – 6:00 P.M.

NEXT SPECIAL COUNCIL WORKSHOP:

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2026 – 6:00 P.M. – FIRE/EMS LEVIES