



CITY COUNCIL

Tuesday, April 14, 2026 | 7:00 PM
Council Chamber- City Hall
900 Church Street
Lynchburg, VA 24504

AGENDA

I. Invocation

Vice Mayor Diemer

- ~~I.1. Pledge of Allegiance led by Scout Troop 180~~

II. Recognitions

- II.2. Public Safety Telecommunicators Week
II.3. Library 60th Anniversary

III. Consent Agenda

- ~~III.4. Consideration of approving minutes from the January 13, 2026 City Council meeting.~~
~~III.5. Consideration of approving minutes from the January 29, 2026 City Council meeting.~~
~~III.6. Consideration of approving minutes from the February 10, 2026 City Council meeting.~~
~~III.7. Consideration of approving minutes from the February 12, 2026 special called City Council meeting.~~
~~III.8. Consideration of approving minutes from the February 23, 2026 special called City Council meeting.~~
~~III.9. Consideration of approving minutes from the February 24, 2026 City Council meeting.~~
III.10. Consideration of adopting Ordinance #O-26-021 authorizing the sale and disposal of 147 Mill Ridge Road.
III.11. Consideration of adopting Resolution #R-26-022 reallocating funds to Lynchburg City Schools.
III.12. Consideration of adopting Resolution #R-26-026 authorizing the issuance cost for the General Obligation Public Improvement Bond issue 2026.

IV. Public Hearing

- IV.13. Consideration of adopting Resolution #R-26-027 amending the Future Land Use Map and adopting Ordinance #O-26-028 changing the zoning of a certain area located at 609 Dunbar Drive & 612 12th Street.
IV.14. Consideration of adopting Resolution #R-26-029 approving a Conditional Use Permit to allow the use of an existing residential dwelling as a group home for up to eight (8) individuals at 271 Riverside Drive.

V. Public Comment

- V.15. Hear from a citizen regarding "police cooperation with federal law enforcement agencies". (Peter Cefaratti)
- V.16. Hear from a group representative regarding "offering support to our firefighters and leadership". (Kathleen Bush) (Auxiliary Firefighter Wives)
- V.17. Hear from a group representative regarding "I'm Sorry". (Greg Berry) (Lynchburg Guardians)
- V.18. Hear from a group representative regarding "E.C. Glass/School Board". (Virginia Haske) (Lexington Drive Families)
- V.19. Hear from a citizen regarding "misinformation about the proposed Constitutional amendment". (Jeff Rosner)
- V.20. Hear from a citizen regarding "why I am afraid to attend City Council meetings". (Susan Stengel)
- V.21. Hear from a group representative regarding "collective bargaining". (Brooke Carson) (Lynchburg Education Association)
- V.22. Hear from a group representative regarding "local & regional law enforcement". (Gary Taylor) (Citizens for a Better Lynchburg)
- V.23. Hear from a group representative regarding "resignation of Dr. Dani Rule". (Kay Vaughan) (Keep Dr. Rule at E.C. Glass)

VI. General Business

- VI.24. *Business Item Briefing*: Rezoning of 1516 Florida Avenue - Jubilee STEM Center Addition
- VI.25. *Business Item Briefing*: FY 2027 Community Development Advisory Committee recommendations for Community Development Block Grant and HOME Program Entitlement funds
- VI.26. Consideration of adopting Resolution #R-26-030 approving a Settlement Agreement and Release between the City of Lynchburg and Campbell County, Virginia.
- VI.27. Vice Mayor Diemer: Consideration of adopting Resolution #R-26-031 supporting the independent governance and traditions of the Virginia Military Institute (VMI).

VII. Closed Session

- VII.28. Consideration of a closed meeting, pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(7) of the Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended, to consult with legal counsel representing the City in connection with actual or probable litigation affecting the City, where such consultation or briefing in an open meeting would adversely affect the negotiating or litigating posture of the City; the subject of the closed meeting being connected to actual or probable litigation connected to (i) pending issues concerning a development in the City and (ii) a pending City law-enforcement lawsuit.
- VII.29. Consideration of a closed meeting to discuss appointments for vacancies to the following Boards and Commissions: Planning Commission and Blue Ridge Regional Jail Authority, pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A).(1) of the Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended.