City of Ormond Beach

City Commission Meeting

City Hall Commission Chambers

22 South Beach St., Ormond Beach FL 32174

May 5, 2026, 7:00 PM

Jason Leslie, Mayor
Lori Tolland, Zone 1
Travis Sargent, Zone 2
Kristin Deaton, Zone 3
Harold Briley, Zone 4

Minutes

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Leslie called the meeting to order at 07:00 PM.

Present: Mayor Jason Leslie, Commissioners Lori Tolland, Travis Sargent, Kristin Deaton, and Harold Briley, City Manager Joyce Shanahan, Deputy City Attorney Ann-Margret Emery, Assistant City Managers Claire Whitley and Shawn Finley, and City Clerk Susan Dauderis.

2. INVOCATION

Reverend Johanna Kiefner, Grace Lutheran Church, provided the invocation.

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Leslie led the Pledge of Allegiance.

4. PRESENTATIONS AND PROCLAMATIONS

A. Captain D.W. Smith

Captain D.W. Smith thanked the Commission, staff, co-workers, the community, and his family for their support over the years.

Mayor Leslie presented a proclamation to Captain Smith in honor of his retirement.

B. National Safe Boating Week

Mayor Leslie presented a proclamation to the members of the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 44 celebrating National Safe Boating Week.

5. AUDIENCE REMARKS - REGARDING ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA & ON THE CONSENT AGENDA

Ms. Jennifer Bright, PO Box 62, expressed concerns regarding the Andy Romano Beachfront Park projects and funds. She requested the Commission publish within 30 days an itemized year-by-year accounting of park revenues and expenditures since the park opening. She questioned the proposed paid parking program and requested the concessions contract for the park be placed on the next Commission agenda.

Mr. Damien Curry, 65 Seton Trail, stated he was running for Mayor and reviewed his history within the community.

Mr. Jim Bliss, 1 Glen Falls Drive, discussed the Falls Subdivision (Falls) and the lot rates within the community.

Ms. Christine Walsh, 81 Tropical Falls, expressed concerns regarding Ms. Coleen McMahon voicing concerns regarding the Falls via social media with disparaging comments. She stated Ms. McMahon initiated many inspections of the community from numerous entities and noted there were no major issues found. She voiced support for the community and leaders within the Falls.

Mr. Michael A. Blackard, 2 Ribbon Falls, stated there were over 20 individuals attending the meeting to voice similar concerns. He reviewed his history with the community and voiced concerns of what was being presented to the public by Ms. McMahon. He highlighted the management team and urged the Commission to help stop the negativity around the community.

Ms. Brenda Blackard, 2 Ribbon Falls, discussed her history in the Falls community. She reviewed the social media posts made by Ms. McMahon and provided details regarding the background on a couple of the posts.

Ms. Linda Melillo, 102 Misty Falls Drive, indicated there were protesters in front of the Falls community over the past weekend stemming from the social media posts and community investigations. She invited the Commission to visit the community to see the residents, conditions, and management team.

Ms. Theresa Chamberlan, 15 Windsor Falls Drive, expressed support of the Falls and the community, encouraging the Commission to visit.

Mr. Joseph P. Walsh, 45 Falls Way Drive, voiced the need for the negativity around the Falls to stop, noting the love the residents had for the community.

Ms. Katherine Vitale, 12 Rainbow Falls Drive, reviewed lot rent rates within the state, apartment rent rates, and section 8 waitlists. She stated Ms. McMahon wanted the Falls management team to lower the rental rates. She discussed the tax rate for seniors and inquired what the Commission planned to do to help the financial issues facing seniors.

Ms. Linda Sicotakis, 29 Falls Way, highlighted features of the Falls community.

Ms. Jo-Ann Carney, 60 Horseshoe Falls Drive, expressed support for her neighbors within the Falls, stating anyone unhappy with the Falls should move.

Mr. Bob Scanlon, 11 Dover Falls Road, voiced support of the Falls and discussed the bullying and negativity surrounding the neighborhood.

Mr. Robert Vitale, 12 Rainbow Falls Drive, stated he was a part of the security team within the Falls and noted the negativity from social media. He requested Ms. McMahon and others stop posting to social media.

Ms. Elaine Langley, 12 Misty Falls, voiced support of the Falls community and management team. She reviewed her history with the neighbors.

Commissioner Briley stated he saw the social media posts, noting he never heard complaints directly from the Falls residents.

Commissioner Deaton, Commissioner Tolland, and Mayor Leslie thanked the residents for speaking at the meeting.

Commissioner Tolland inquired if there was anything the city could do to assist with the harassment side of the issue; whereby, Ms. Joyce Shanahan, City Manager, explained the issues were private issues, noting the negativity around social media, and offered prayers to those affected.

Commissioner Sargent and Mayor Leslie discussed the negativity of social media.

Mayor Leslie encouraged the Commission to visit the Falls, noting he would like to visit the neighborhood.

Commissioner Briley reviewed the state legislation regarding rent control, noting it was very limited as to what local governments could do.

Mr. Donald Veal Cunningham, 19 North Younge Street, discussed property development rumors.

Ms. Connie Colby, 108 Roble Lane, stated her support and history with the Falls. She discussed a previously proposed Hand Avenue extension and requested staff look into the extension of Strickland Range Road instead of Hand Avenue.

Mr. Alan Burton, 915 Ocean Shore Boulevard, disclosed he was running for Zone 1 City Commissioner. He discussed putrefaction, Transform386 projects within the city, and flooding.

Ms. Jane Doe, no address, expressed concerns with the standards of how Commission meetings were run and requested one standard be held to all attendees.

Mr. Jerry Valcik, 236 Ormwood Drive, discussed emails he sent to the Commission and thanked them for their work in the community. He thanked Assistant City Manager Shawn Finley for his knowledge and work with the city's water. He reviewed his professional background related to reuse water. He questioned why the topic was popular and discussed the community's aquifer and city's water treatment. He suggested alternatives to "toilet-to-tap".

Ms. Amber Bobak, 397 Collins Street, expressed concerns regarding the increased traffic within the Central Park areas. She stated the need for traffic-calming throughout the city.

Ms. Missy Herrero, Rio Pinar, stated the city's Site Plan Review Committee was meeting on May 6, 2026, for the Tomoka Reserve development. She expressed concerns related to the traffic study completed by the applicant and compatibility with the surrounding neighborhood.

Ms. Michelle C. Zirkelbach, 328 River Bluff Drive, expressed concerns regarding the

Tomoka Reserve development and read an email she previously sent.

Mayor Leslie stated he would forward Ms. Zirkelbach's emails to staff and requested a follow-up response to her.

Ms. Marsha Blew, Honey Bear Path, expressed concerns regarding the Tomoka Reserve development. She requested the Commission look into the Falls and see the other side of the issues, noting there were always two sides to issues.

Ms. Suzanne Scheiber, 548 Sandy Oaks Boulevard, stated she was speaking on behalf of Dream Green Volusia. She expressed concerns regarding data centers and their impact on local infrastructure impacts.

Ms. Cat Pante, protected address, discussed treated wastewater and those who opposed "toilet-to-tap". She discussed water conservation and reducing water pollution. She urged the Commission to ban data centers.

Ms. Elena Krafft, 28 Old Canyon Lane, expressed concerns regarding the earlier City Commission Workshop, comments made by Commissioner Tolland regarding the voters, and noted "toilet-to-tap" was preventable. She encouraged the Commission to add the "toilet-to-tap" issue to the ballot in the 2026 election.

Ms. Darla Widnall, 7 Shawnee Trail, voiced concerns regarding the Tomoka Reserve development, including emergency routes, traffic, environmental permitting, and environmental impacts. She provided a map to the City Clerk regarding the emergency evacuation plan.

6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mayor Leslie advised the minutes from the April 7, 2026, and April 21, 2026, City Commission meetings were sent to the Commission for review and posted on the city's website for public viewing. He asked if there were any corrections, additions, or omissions. He stated, hearing no corrections, the minutes would stand approved as presented.

A. Minutes from City Commission meeting - April 7, 2026

Commissioner Briley moved, seconded by Commissioner Sargent, for approval of the April 7, 2026, City Commission meeting minutes.

Motion passed by voice vote.

B. Minutes from City Commission meeting - April 21, 2026

Commissioner Deaton moved, seconded by Commissioner Briley, for approval of the April 21, 2026, City Commission meeting minutes.

Motion passed by voice vote.

7. CONSENT AGENDA

Mayor Leslie advised the actions proposed for the items on the Consent Agenda were so stated on the agenda. He asked if any member of the Commission had questions or wished to discuss any items separately.

Commissioner Sargent and Commissioner Tolland requested Items 7A and 7B be pulled from the Consent Agenda.

Commissioner Briley moved, seconded by Commissioner Deaton, for approval of the Consent Agenda, absent Items 7A and 7B.

Call Vote:	Commissioner Tolland	Yes
	Commissioner Sargent	Yes
	Commissioner Deaton	Yes
	Commissioner Briley	Yes
Carried.	Mayor Leslie	Yes

C. Community Development Block Grant, FY 2026-27 Sanchez Park Improvements Application

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-59: A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ORMOND BEACH, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE COUNTY OF VOLUSIA UNDER THE FISCAL YEAR 2026/27 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM FOR FUNDING ASSISTANCE FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO SANCHEZ PARK; AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF ALL DOCUMENTS INCIDENTAL THERETO, INCLUDING ANY CONTRACT NECESSARY FOR THE CITY TO ACCEPT THE GRANT AWARD; AND SETTING FORTH AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

D. Community Development Block Grant, FY 2026-27 Forest Hills Blvd. Sidewalk Application

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-60: A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ORMOND BEACH, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE COUNTY OF VOLUSIA UNDER THE FISCAL YEAR 2026/27 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM FOR FUNDING ASSISTANCE FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE FOREST HILL BOULEVARD SIDEWALK; AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF ALL DOCUMENTS INCIDENTAL THERETO, INCLUDING ANY CONTRACT NECESSARY FOR THE CITY TO ACCEPT THE GRANT AWARD; AND SETTING FORTH AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

E. Bid Award - Service Line Inventory

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-61: A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING A BID FROM THE NEXT WAVE PLUMBING, LLC FOR CONSTRUCTION SERVICES REGARDING THE LEAD SERVICE LINE INVENTORY PROJECT, UNDER BID NO. 2026-14; AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A CONTRACT AND PAYMENT THEREFOR; REJECTING ALL OTHER BIDS; AND SETTING FORTH AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

F. Bid Award - Fires Station 93 Wind Wall and Pad Construction

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-62: A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING A BID FROM GREG REYNOLDS CONSTRUCTION, LLC FOR CONSTRUCTION SERVICES REGARDING THE FIRE STATION 93 WIND WALL AND PAD CONSTRUCTION PROJECT, UNDER

BID NO. 2026-19; AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A CONTRACT AND PAYMENT THEREFOR; REJECTING ALL OTHER BIDS; AND SETTING FORTH AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

G. Volusia County Schools SRO Agreement

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-63: A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A CONTRACT RENEWAL OF A SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF ORMOND BEACH AND THE SCHOOL BOARD OF VOLUSIA COUNTY; AND SETTING FORTH AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

H. **Disposition Item:** Auto Renewal - Debris Removal Contract

I. **Disposition Item:** Intent To Bid – Halifax River Utility Crossing

City Clerk Susan C. Dauderis read by legal title only:

A. Fortunato Park Pier and Gazebo Construction, Florida Inland Navigation District Grant

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-57: A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE FLORIDA INLAND NAVIGATION DISTRICT WATERWAYS ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM FOR FUNDING ASSISTANCE RELATIVE TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF A PIER AND GAZEBO AT FORTUNATO PARK; AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF ALL DOCUMENTS INCIDENTAL THERETO, INCLUDING ANY CONTRACT NECESSARY FOR THE CITY TO ACCEPT THE GRANT AWARD; AND SETTING FORTH AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Commissioner Briley moved, seconded by Commissioner Sargent, for approval of Resolution No. 2026-57, as read by title only.

Commissioner Sargent inquired if there were other funding sources to speed up the process, voicing concerns with the amount of time the piers for Items 7A and 7B were unusable.

Commissioner Briley asked if the pier for 7A could be funded with the Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA) funds; whereby, Ms. Shanahan stated she believed as it was a repair and not a new park, CRA funds could not be utilized for the project.

Commissioner Tolland questioned if the general funds could be used until grant money was received; whereby, Ms. Shanahan stated there was a chance the grant could not be received.

Commissioner Sargent expressed frustration with the delays caused by the grant processes.

Mayor Leslie questioned past grants; whereby, Mr. Finley clarified the past grants related to the two projects were for design and provided an update on the two projects. Mayor Leslie inquired about other grant possibilities; whereby, Ms. Shanahan stated she believed staff exhausted all grant opportunities, noting she could bring information back regarding the utilization of general funds.

Mayor Leslie and Commissioner Tolland suggested started the bid process to keep the project moving; whereby, Ms. Shanahan stated a project could not be started if there were grant funds involved, as they were typically not reimbursed.

Mr. Finley reviewed the timeline of the projects.

Commissioner Briley inquired if a grant from the Port Authority was applied for; whereby, Mr. Finley stated he did not believe the city looked at the Port Authority for grants.

Ms. Shanahan stated if the Commission desired, the items could be pulled from the Agenda to allow staff further time to review funding sources such as the Port Authority and utilization of general funds.

Mr. Finley suggested approving the grants, noting if the grants were approved before the project started, they could be utilized, otherwise staff could not accept the grants if approved and other funds were utilized.

Commissioner Sargent expressed the need for the project to keep moving forward; whereby, Mayor Leslie and Commissioner Tolland agreed.

Call Vote:	Commissioner Sargent	Yes
	Commissioner Deaton	Yes
	Commissioner Briley	Yes
	Commissioner Tolland	Yes
Carried.	Mayor Leslie	Yes

City Clerk Susan C. Dauderis read by legal title only:

B. Riviera Park Pier and Gazebo Construction, Florida Inland Navigation District Grant

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-58: A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE FLORIDA INLAND NAVIGATION DISTRICT WATERWAYS ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM FOR FUNDING ASSISTANCE RELATIVE TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF A PIER AND GAZEBO AT RIVIERA PARK; AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF ALL DOCUMENTS INCIDENTAL THERETO, INCLUDING ANY CONTRACT NECESSARY FOR THE CITY TO ACCEPT THE GRANT AWARD; AND SETTING FORTH AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Commissioner Sargent moved, seconded by Commissioner Deaton, for approval of Resolution No. 2026-58, as read by title only.

Call Vote:	Commissioner Deaton	Yes
	Commissioner Briley	Yes
	Commissioner Tolland	Yes
	Commissioner Sargent	Yes
Carried.	Mayor Leslie	Yes

<u>Commission Comments on the Consent Agenda</u>

Commissioner Briley thanked staff for Item 7D regarding the Community Development Block Grant for the Forest Hill Boulevard sidewalk project; whereby, Mayor Leslie echoed support.

8. PUBLIC HEARINGS

Mayor Leslie opened the Public Hearings.

City Clerk Susan C. Dauderis read by legal title only:

A. Ormond Crossings Central, Establishment of a Community Development District (CDD) (SECOND READING)

ORDINANCE NO. 2026-06: AN ORDINANCE GRANTING THE PETITION OF ORMOND CROSSING CENTRAL, LLC, FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 190, FLORIDA STATUTES; CREATING AND ESTABLISHING THE ORMOND CROSSINGS CENTRAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT; PROVIDING FOR NAME, POWERS, AND DUTIES; PROVIDING DESCRIPTION AND BOUNDARIES; PROVIDING INITIAL MEMBERS OF BOARD OF SUPERVISORS; PROVIDING SEVERABILITY; AND SETTING FORTH AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Mr. Jonathan Johnson, applicant representative, reviewed the history of the Community Development Districts (CDD) for Ormond Crossings and stated he would appreciate the Commission's support of the items.

Commissioner Deaton moved, seconded by Commissioner Sargent, for approval of Ordinance No. 2026-06, on second reading, as read by title only.

Mr. Burton expressed concerns regarding the Ormond Crossings development and recreation space. He requested the Commission consider adding recreation projects for the Ormond Crossing areas.

Call Vote:	Commissioner Briley	Yes
	Commissioner Tolland	Yes
	Commissioner Sargent	Yes
	Commissioner Deaton	Yes
Carried.	Mayor Leslie	Yes

City Clerk Susan C. Dauderis read by legal title only:

B. Ormond Crossings East, Establishment of a Community Development District (CDD) (SECOND READING)

ORDINANCE NO. 2026-07: AN ORDINANCE GRANTING THE PETITION OF ORMOND CROSSING EAST, LLC, FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 190, FLORIDA STATUTES; CREATING AND ESTABLISHING THE ORMOND CROSSINGS EAST COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT; PROVIDING FOR NAME, POWERS, AND DUTIES; PROVIDING DESCRIPTION AND BOUNDARIES; PROVIDING INITIAL MEMBERS OF BOARD OF SUPERVISORS; PROVIDING SEVERABILITY; AND SETTING FORTH AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Commissioner Sargent moved, seconded by Commissioner Deaton, for approval of Ordinance No. 2026-07, on second reading, as read by title only.

Call Vote:	Commissioner Tolland	Yes

	Commissioner Sargent	Yes
	Commissioner Deaton	Yes
	Commissioner Briley	Yes
Carried.	Mayor Leslie	Yes

Mayor Leslie closed the Public Hearings.

9. FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES

City Clerk Susan C. Dauderis read by legal title only:

A. Amendment to Code of Ordinances 15-92 and 15-99 Regarding the Sale and Consumption of Alcoholic Beverages

ORDINANCE NO. 2026-08: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 15-92, DEFINITIONS, AND SECTION 15-99, DISPLAY, PROMOTION OR SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, OF ARTICLE III, SPECIAL USES OF CITY PROPERTY, OF CHAPTER 15, PARKS AND RECREATION, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF ORMOND BEACH, TO ALLOW FOR THE SALE AND CONSUMPTION OF COMMERCIALLY PACKAGED LOW PROOF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; REPEALING ALL INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES OR PARTS THEREOF; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND SETTING FORTH AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Commissioner Sargent moved, seconded by Commissioner Tolland, for approval of Ordinance No. 2026-08, on first reading, as read by title only.

Ms. Ann-Margret Emery, Deputy City Attorney, explained the proposed ordinance was to allow the sale of commercially packaged low-proof acholic beverages at events on city property.

Call Vote:	Commissioner Sargent	Yes
	Commissioner Deaton	Yes
	Commissioner Briley	Yes
	Commissioner Tolland	Yes
Carried.	Mayor Leslie	Yes

10. DISCUSSION AND DIRECTION ITEMS

A. Yoon Way Street Name Change

Mr. Finley reviewed the Commission's request to update the Yoon Way street name. He noted the three suggested street names in the packet were approved by Volusia County.

Commissioner Briley voiced support for Forty Winds Way.

Commissioner Deaton stated the Yoon family requested Corner Stone Way, and would support the Corner Square Way option as it was similar.

Commissioner Sargent indicated he did not support the three proposed street names and suggested Bakaysa Boulevard honoring fallen Officer Michael Bakaysa.

Commissioner Deaton requested staff check with the Bakaysa family to see if they had interest in the name change; whereby, Commissioner Tolland agreed, noting she would support Corner Square way. Commissioner Deaton inquired if the Yoon family could get the Yoon Way street sign when it was taken down; whereby, the Commission did not oppose.

Mayor Leslie questioned if staff could look into the Bakaysa Boulevard option; whereby, Commissioner Deaton requested staff confirm with the Bakaysa family before moving forward to determine interest.

Mr. Finley stated he would verify with Volusia County first if it was an option for the street name, then touch base with the Bakaysa family; whereby, the entire Commission agreed.

11. REPORTS, SUGGESTIONS, REQUESTS

Events, Updates, Requests, and Congratulations

Ms. Joyce Shanahan, City Manager, provided details on upcoming meetings and city events.

The entire Commission congratulated Captain Smith on his retirement and thanked his family for their support.

Commissioner Sargent inquired if the Employee of the Year could throw the first pitch at the Employee Appreciation night at the Daytona Tortuga's baseball game; whereby, Ms. Shanahan stated the city was not asked to throw the first pitch and the team reached out directly to individuals for that.

Commissioner Deaton questioned if Mayor Leslie was asked to throw the first pitch, would he be willing to allow the Employee of the Year to do it; whereby, Mayor Leslie stated he would discuss with Ms. Shanahan.

Commissioner Sargent highlighted the changes to city's website and agenda portal. He requested video live-streaming be added to the budget.

Commissioner Deaton thanked the speakers for their comments regarding Tomoka Reserve and noted she was sharing emails received with staff.

Commissioner Tolland read an email received by Ms. Lucy Jackman and the Friends of the Performing Arts Center (PAC).

Mayor Leslie stated he believed the brick fundraiser from the Friends of the PAC was ongoing; whereby, Commissioner Tolland stated that was accurate.

Commissioner Tolland thanked those who spoke on behalf of the Falls and encouraged Ms. McMahon to hear their concerns. She discussed concerns regarding the Tattersall development buffers. She discussed the City of DeLand's changes to their ordinances regarding electronic bicycles (e-bikes). She highlighted the need for kindness within the community. She inquired if Mayor Leslie would support a proclamation honoring Ms. Maryam Ghyabi-White; whereby, Mayor Leslie stated he would speak with the City Clerk.

Mayor Leslie reviewed events he attended. He thanked those who spoke regarding the Falls and Tomoka Reserve

Hand Avenue

Commissioner Briley inquired if there was any update regarding the Hand Avenue construction; whereby, Mr. Finley stated he planned to follow up with Volusia County later in the week.

Commissioner Tolland voiced disappointment with Volusia County and their stance on the construction of Hand Avenue, noting there was a petition going around and would encourage those opposing the final design of the roadway to attend meetings and town halls hosted by the County Council and their members.

Mr. Finley stated he was looking to meet with county staff members and noted the affected church offered to create a new entrance to support the changed roadway.

Reuse Water

Commissioner Tolland discussed reuse water and the treatment of reuse water. She stated she did not support taking away a reuse treatment option from future Commissions at the time. She clarified the topic was complicated, and some voters read about topics on the ballot for the first time on election day. She noted the importance of education.

Mayor Leslie thanked staff for their work on the earlier workshop and stated education for the public was important but can be tricky as there were some who did not know who their elected officials were. He stated it would be tough to educate the voters on water treatment.

Commissioner Tolland requested the workshop presentation be added to the website.

Data Centers

Commissioner Tolland discussed the need for the city to look into data centers and the resources they utilized, suggesting banning the data centers.

Commissioner Deaton expressed concerns of data center impacts to the surrounding communities, noting she would support a ban.

Commissioner Sargent stated he would support staff bringing options to the Commission on how to ban them, noting the need to do it properly with all the current legislation.

12. ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Leslie adjourned the meeting at 9:25 PM.

APPROVED: May 19, 2026

BY: ___________________________________

Jason Leslie, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Susan Carroll Dauderis,
City Clerk