



Council Business Meeting Agenda

ASHLAND CITY COUNCIL BUSINESS MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday, May 6, 2025

Council Chambers, 1175 E Main Street

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I. EXECUTIVE SESSION 4:30 p.m.

- a. To conduct deliberations with persons designated by the governing body to carry on labor negotiations pursuant to ORS 192.660 (2)(d).

II. CALL TO ORDER 6:00 p.m.

- a. Land Acknowledgement**

III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

IV. ROLL CALL

V. MAYOR'S / CHAIR OF THE COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENT

- a. Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month Proclamation
- b. National Historic Preservation Month Proclamation

VI. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- a. Minutes of the April 14, 2025 – Study Session Meeting
- b. Minutes of the April 15, 2025 - Business Meeting

VII. CONSENT AGENDA

- a. Approval of Liquor License for Tlalli
- b. Approval of Liquor License for Cooks Speakeasy
- c. Resolution 2025-08 Setting the Wildfire Risk Reduction Fee (previously AFR) and Repealing Resolution 2019-20
- d. Resolution 2025-04 Setting the Public Safety Support Fee Repealing Resolution 2018-09
- e. Request from Ad-Hoc Committee on Early Learning and Affordable Childcare to publish an article
- f. Affordable Childcare Ad Hoc Committee Appointment

VIII. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

- a. If I Were Mayor Contest Winners
- b. RVTD Presentation

IX. PUBLIC FORUM

15 minutes – Public input or comment on City business not included on the agenda

X. PUBLIC HEARING

- a. First Reading of Ordinances 3249, 3250, 3251, and 3263 to implement the Climate Friendly Area Overlay





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XI. ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS AND CONTRACTS

- a. Second Reading ORD 3258 An Ordinance Amending AMC Chapter 10.30 to Prohibit Hazardous Fire Use

XII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- a. Proposed Changes to Enhanced Law Enforcement Area Process
- b. 2025-2027 Transient Lodging Tax (TLT) Revenue Use for Tourism Promotion

XIII. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Travel Ashland Proposal for Destination Marketing Activities

XIV. CITY MANAGER REPORT

XV. OTHER BUSINESS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS/REPORTS FROM COUNCIL LIAISONS

XVI. ADJOURNMENT

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* Items on the Agenda not considered due to time constraints are automatically continued to the next regularly scheduled Council meeting [AMC 2.04.030.(D)(3)]

**** LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

We acknowledge and honor the aboriginal people on whose ancestral homelands we work—the Ikirakutsum Band of the Shasta Nation, as well as the diverse and vibrant Native communities who make their home here today. We honor the first stewards in the Rogue Valley and the lands we love and depend on: Tribes with ancestral lands in and surrounding the geography of the Ashland Watershed include the original past, present and future indigenous inhabitants of the Shasta, Takelma, and Athabaskan people. We also recognize and acknowledge the Shasta village of K'wakhakha - "Where the Crow Lights" - that is now the Ashland City Plaza.

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