

Published Agenda



Monday, January 5, 2026
4:00 PM

City Council
Monday Meeting Agenda

Council Chambers
200 Forrest Street

Call to Order

Agenda Adjustments: *Add Policy #24 at the request of the Administration.*

- 24.2026-2
- Adopt a Resolution appointing Christopher Carr as Fire Chief for the City of Hattiesburg.

Agenda Review

Citizens' Forum

Work Session

- 1.2026-1
- Code Enforcement Standard Operating Procedures, presented by Administration.

Meeting Recess

Call to Order

BE IT REMEMBERED that the Hattiesburg City Council held an Agenda Review meeting at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, January 5, 2026, in the Council Chambers at City Hall.

This meeting convened following the Council's adjourned scheduled regular meeting held on December 16, 2025.

In attendance were Mayor Toby Barker and members of the City Council Jeffrey George, Ward 1; Eric Boney, Ward 2; LeAnn Vance, Ward 3; Dave Ware, Ward 4; and Nicholas Brown, Ward 5. Others in attendance were Director of Administration/City Clerk, Kermas Eaton; City Attorney, Randy Pope; Clerk of Council, Ronda S. Kennedy; Deputy Clerk of Council, Lisa Luu Jolly; City staff members; media; and the public.

Council President Ware called the meeting to order and explained the procedures.

Agenda Adjustments:

Council President Ware asked whether there were any adjustments to the agenda.
The Clerk of Council responded in the affirmative and proceeded to read aloud the following adjustments:

- Add Policy Item #24 at the request of the Administration.*

- 24.2026-2
- Adopt a Resolution appointing Christopher Carr as Fire Chief for the City of Hattiesburg.
- Attachments: RESOLUTION Fire Chief appointment- Chris Carr 1.6.26
Resume - Carr

Agenda Review

Council President Ware proceeded with the Agenda Review.
Following discussion of agenda items, Council President Ware closed the Agenda Review.

Citizens' Forum

Council Vice President George proceeded with the Citizens' Forum.

He stated the procedures and invited members of the public to speak.

The following citizen addressed the Council:

- Virginia Smith, 2404 W. 4th Street, Apt. B

There being no other individuals wishing to speak, Council Vice President George closed the Citizens' Forum.

Work Session

Council President Ware proceeded with the Work Session.

The following overview was provided:

1.	2026-1	Code Enforcement Standard Operating Procedures, presented by Director of Urban Development, Wiley Quinn.
Attachments: <u>DRAFT – Code Enforcement SOP</u>		

Council President Ware declared the meeting recessed at 4:51 p.m. on this 5th day of January 2026, by unanimous consent, until the 6th day of January 2026.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES AND CERTIFICATION

ATTEST:

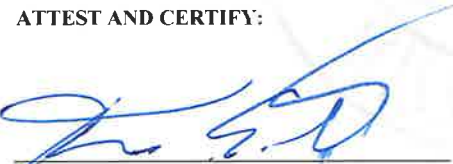
APPROVE:


Clerk of Council


Council President

ATTEST AND CERTIFY:

APPROVE:


City Clerk


Mayor
