

Published Agenda



Monday, July 6, 2026
4:00 PM

City Council
Monday Meeting Agenda

Council Chambers
200 Forrest Street

Call to Order

Public Hearing

p. 168 – 169	1. 2026-519	Hold a public hearing for the appeal filed by Garrett and Devyn Wright to appeal the Hattiesburg Historic Conservation Commission's action on the petition filed by Garrett and Devyn Wright, Applicants, to paint the brick on a structure for a property located at 2010 Brooklane Drive. The Hattiesburg Historic Conservation Commission voted to deny the petition on May 13th, 2026.
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Agenda Review

Citizens' Forum

Work Session

p. 169	1. 2026-554	Comprehensive Plan - Chapter 2, presented by Urban Development.
p. 169	2. 2026-555	2024 ICC Building Codes, presented by Urban Development

Budget Presentation

p. 169	1. 2026-556	Urban Development Department – presented by Wiley Quinn, Director.
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Meeting Recess

Call to Order

BE IT REMEMBERED that the Hattiesburg City Council held a **Public Hearing at 4:00 PM on Monday, July 6, 2026**, in the Council Chambers at City Hall.

This meeting convened following the Council’s adjourned scheduled Special Called meeting held on June 26, 2026.

***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 opened the Public Hearing on the appeal at 4:00 p.m. and explained the procedures.

Public Hearing

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		<u>Attachments:</u> <u>2010 Brooklane Dr – Appeal and Letter</u> <u>2010 Brooklane Dr – COA App – Garrett and Devyn Wright_May 2026</u> <u>Fact Sheet 2010 Brooklane Dr</u>

Russell Archer, Historic Preservation Planner, presented an overview of the case.

Council President Ware called upon **the appellants, Mr. Garrett and Mrs. Devyn Wright**, to present their appeal.

Council President Ware then invited any members of the public who wished to speak on the appeal.

No other citizens came forward to offer comments.

By unanimous consent, **Council President Ware closed the public hearing at 4:18 p.m. and proceeded with the Agenda Review.**

Agenda Review

Council President Ware asked whether there were any adjustments to the agenda.

The Clerk of Council responded that there were none.

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 citizens addressed the Council:

- *Kim McElroy, [728 River Ave.]*
- *Jalesa Hill, [3 Diamond St.]*
- *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.	2026-554	Comprehensive Plan - Chapter 2, presented by Cory Long, Planning Division Manager.
2.	2026-555	2024 ICC Building Codes, presented by Kevin Bates, Building Official.
		<u>Attachments:</u> <u>2024 Code Ordinance – Draft 2</u>

Budget Presentation

The following departmental budget presentations were given:

1.	2026-556	Urban Development Department – presented by Wiley Quinn, Director.
		<u>Attachments:</u> <u>Urban Development budget presentation fy2027</u>

Meeting Recess

Council President Ware declared the meeting recessed at 6:07 PM on this 6th day of July 2026, by unanimous consent, until the 7th of July 2026.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES AND CERTIFICATION

ATTEST:

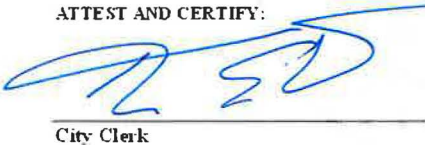
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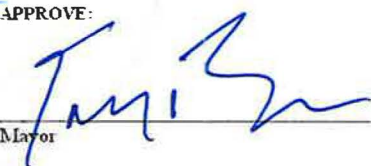

Clerk of Council


Council President

ATTEST AND CERTIFY:

APPROVE:


City Clerk


Mayor