



Cleveland City Council Meeting Agenda

Monday, July 20, 2026 at 6:30 PM

Oak Springs Community Center – 342 Campbell Street, Cleveland, GA

CALL TO ORDER

INVOCATION

1. Retired Pastor Tim Morgan, Faith Lutheran Church, and White County Ministerial Alliance

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVE AGENDA

PRESENTATIONS

2. Proclamation recognizing and celebrating the 80th Anniversary of Truett McConnell University

PUBLIC COMMENTS

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

3. Economic Development and Planning Director Tom O'Bryant – June 2026 Report
4. Finance Director John Solmon – May 2026 Report
5. Fire Chief Jason Bryant – June 2026 Report
6. Police Chief Jeff Shoemaker – June 2026 Report
7. Public Works Director Ricky Hunt – June 2026 Report
8. Water Resources Wastewater/Water Laboratory Technician Bradley Filaski – June 2026 Report

NEW BUSINESS

9. Resolution 2026-11 - Amendments to 2026 Appointments (Parks & Recreation Board)
10. Selection of contract to award for RFP- 2026 Camera Project - Police Department, In-Car Camera/ Body Worn Camera / Cloud Storage/ Video Redaction

CALLED MEETING/MEETING MINUTES

11. Approval of the June 15, 2026 Called Meeting Minutes
12. Approval of the June 15, 2026 Meeting Minutes

EXECUTIVE SESSION MINUTES

13. Approval of the June 15, 2026 Executive Session Minutes

CITY ATTORNEY KEITH WHITAKER

CITY MANAGER KEVIN HARRIS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

14. The next Cleveland City Council Meeting is scheduled for Monday, August 3, 2026, at 6:30 p.m. at the Oak Springs Community Center
15. The White County Water Authority Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, August 13, 2026, at 7:30 a.m. at the White County Water Authority
16. The Planning and Zoning Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, July 23, 2026, at 6:30 p.m. at the Oak Springs Community Center

EXECUTIVE SESSION

17. Real Estate and Personnel

ADJOURN



City of Cleveland, Georgia

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Truett McConnell University was founded in 1946 to provide Christian higher education rooted in biblical principles and will celebrate its 80th Anniversary on July 23,2026; and

WHEREAS, from its humble beginnings, the University has grown into a fully accredited institution offering undergraduate, graduate and doctoral degree programs while remaining steadfast in its mission of academic excellence and Christian service; and

WHEREAS, for eight decades, Truett McConnell University has educated and inspired thousands of students from Georgia, across the United States, and around the world, preparing graduates to serve their communities, professions, churches, and families with integrity and purpose; and

WHEREAS, the University has been a valued and enduring partner to the Cleveland and White County communities, contributing to the region through education, cultural enrichment, community service, leadership development, and economic impact; and

WHEREAS, the celebration of the University’s 80th Anniversary recognizes a remarkable legacy of faith, growth, scholarship, and service, while looking forward with confidence to continuing its mission for generations to come.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council of Cleveland, Georgia, do hereby recognize and celebrate the:

80th Anniversary of Truett McConnell University

in the City of Cleveland, Georgia, and call upon all citizens in observing this historic milestone. Together, we celebrate Truett McConnell University’s rich history and remarkable achievements, while expressing our deepest gratitude for its unwavering dedication to educating future generations, and honoring its legacy of academic excellence, Christian service, and enduring contributions to the community.

SO RESOLVED this 20th day of July, 2026

Josh Turner	Mayor	Jeremy McClure	Council Member District 3
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Nan Bowen	Council Member District 1 Mayor Pro Tem	C.J. McDonald	Council Member District 4
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ATTEST:

Annie Sutton	Council Member District 2	Lisa A. Ritchie	City Clerk
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CITY OF CLEVELAND
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND PLANNING REPORT/ACTIVITY

June 2026

ACTIVITY		(SIGNIFICANT)
Occupational License	2	(Artistic Box, Vintage Blessings)
Building Permits	2	(Aldi, remodel)
Building Inspections	19	(Soaring Therapy, Farmhouse Coffee, Apex Bank, Walmart, 34 E Kytle, Artistic Box, Circle L, Laurel Lodge)
Sign Permits	2	(Farmhouse Coffee, Soaring Therapy)
Plan Review	2	(Maximum Development, WC Library)
Current Commercial Activity	9	(Soaring Therapy, Always Café, Walmart, Apex Bank, , Farmhouse Coffee, 34,36 E Kytle, Aldi, Nix Hdwe (demo))
Development Inquiry	4	(Substation, Dover Development, LC Cagle, Mughal Partners)

Grant Applications and Administration

ARC well project –Preliminary engineering report under review by Georgia DNR and US Army Corps.

Grant acceptance for the RWHI Campbell St Sewer Relief Line submitted and completed, checking account established.

Georgia DOT LMIG LRA Grant application approved and funded in the amount of \$68,546.564

Infrastructure and Planning

Completed the monthly US Census Bureau report on construction status of the WWTP expansion, including expenditures.

Presented City of Cleveland data and economic development opportunities to Georgia Department of Economic Development and Georgia Power Economic Development representatives.

City of Cleveland



Monthly Financial Report Period Ending May 2026

General Fund Summary



	May 2026	FY 2026 YTD	May 2025	FY 2025 YTD
Revenues	437,354	4,780,676	237,819	4,277,837
Expenditures	411,460	4,395,800	350,825	4,107,396
Net Income (Loss)	25,894	384,876	(113,006)	170,441

General Fund – Revenue Comparison



FY 2026

Revenue	May 2026	Year to Date	Budget	% of Budget
Taxes	173,436	3,457,176	3,532,617	98%
Licenses and Permits	4,179	141,324	133,500	106%
Intergovernmental Revenues	4,044	149,072	142,000	105%
Charges for Services	42,294	461,245	500,000	92%
Fines and Forfeitures	5,696	92,379	72,500	127%
Investment Income	5,891	67,796	30,000	226%
Miscellaneous Revenue	1,813	31,919	16,600	192%
Other Financing Sources	200,000	379,763	702,209	54%
Totals	437,354	4,780,675	5,129,426	93%

FY 2025

Revenue	May 2025	Year to Date	Budget	% of Budget
Taxes	173,440	3,316,327	3,207,377	103%
Licenses and Permits	8,675	145,410	121,000	120%
Intergovernmental Revenues	3,979	184,097	141,955	130%
Charges for Services	38,232	412,033	456,550	90%
Fines and Forfeitures	6,145	79,183	67,550	117%
Investment Income	6,804	42,943	30,000	143%
Miscellaneous Revenue	544	16,152	17,000	95%
Other Financing Sources	-	81,691	756,345	11%
Totals	237,819	4,277,836	4,797,777	89%

LOST COLLECTION TRENDS



Month	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	% Change from PY
July	159,421.43	150,894.61	157,623.86	4.5%
August	133,107.82	135,069.17	144,916.98	7.3%
September	135,493.23	122,372.18	140,377.76	14.7%
October	141,910.18	157,707.61	152,753.55	-3.1%
November	134,235.42	142,693.61	149,519.58	4.8%
December	145,936.76	151,299.57	166,734.31	10.0%
January	111,184.58	129,101.58	121,743.00	-5.7%
February	115,987.89	114,430.56	121,160.08	5.9%
March	123,848.47	147,332.04	134,048.47	-9.0%
April	121,609.50	131,074.83	130,796.56	-0.2%
May	133,755.51	136,493.37	138,598.10	1.5%
June	144,904.35	144,484.92	196.02	
	1,601,395.14	1,662,954.05	1,558,468.27	2.7%

SPLOST COLLECTION TRENDS



Month	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY2026	% Change from PY
July	156,255.26	149,386.65	156,043.15	4.5%
August	131,606.73	133,717.27	143,463.96	7.3%
September	134,138.57	121,167.39	138,970.45	14.7%
October	140,492.34	156,130.37	151,221.66	-3.1%
November	133,067.23	141,615.74	148,697.88	5.0%
December	144,258.35	149,437.35	164,340.45	10.0%
January	110,073.97	127,811.77	120,522.63	-5.7%
February	114,827.34	113,286.94	119,945.24	5.9%
March	122,611.05	145,859.46	132,705.16	-9.0%
April	120,394.50	129,765.21	129,485.51	-0.2%
May	132,764.06	135,283.99	137,406.64	1.6%
June	143,109.95	142,882.35	0.00	
	1,583,599.35	1,646,344.49	1,542,802.73	2.6%

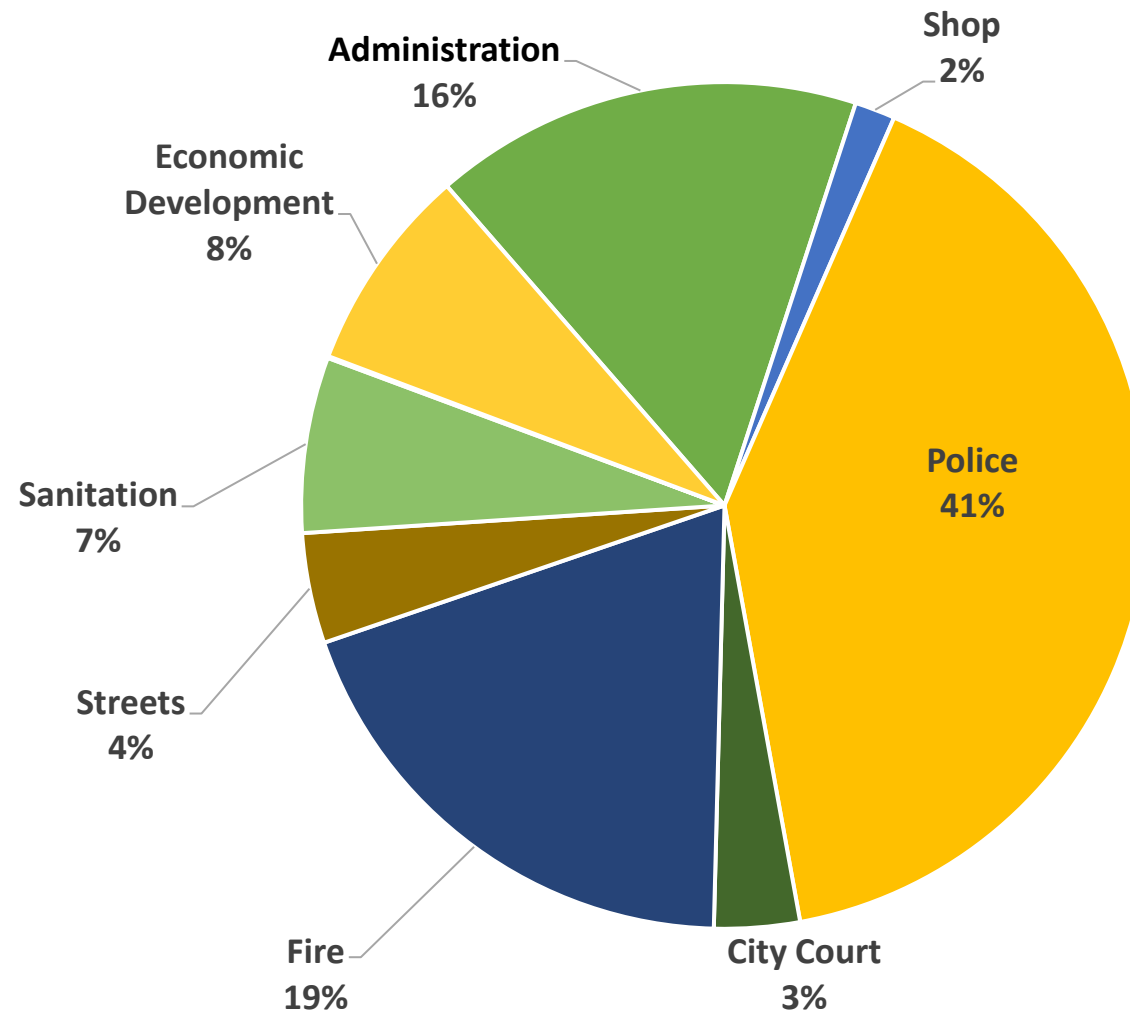
General Fund – Expenditure Comparison



	FY 2026			
	May 2026	Year to Date	Budget	% of Budget
Department				
Administration	67,516	770,547	913,700	84%
Shop	6,347	84,221	101,534	83%
Police	166,949	1,806,017	2,112,856	85%
City Court	13,438	152,829	180,211	85%
Fire	79,578	720,868	790,085	91%
Streets	17,339	180,688	203,257	89%
Sanitation	27,609	352,116	421,847	83%
City Park	278	17,880	25,100	71%
Economic Development	32,406	310,674	380,836	82%
Totals	411,460	4,395,840	5,129,426	86%

	FY 2025			
	May 2025	Year to Date	Budget	% of Budget
Department				
Administration	86,021	1,099,043	1,302,288	84%
Shop	5,755	78,280	95,715	82%
Police	151,371	1,769,727	2,021,976	88%
City Court	12,641	154,444	168,939	91%
Fire	51,137	558,496	647,223	86%
Streets	14,969	95,186	154,407	62%
Sanitation	27,976	331,704	387,129	86%
City Park	955	14,633	20,100	73%
Totals	350,825	4,101,513	4,797,777	85%

General Fund – Expenditures By Department May 2026



Water and Sewer Fund Revenue & Expense Comparison



FY 2026

Revenue	May 2026	Year to Date	Budget	% of Budget
Charges for Services	215,642	2,667,150	2,777,024	96%
Investment Income	8,175	84,582	123,547	68%
Miscellaneous Revenue	487	2,425	11,731	21%
Other Financing Sources			400,000	0%
Intergovernmental Revenues	-	-		0%
Totals	224,304	2,754,157	3,312,302	83%

Expense	May 2026	Year to Date	Budget	% of Budget
Water	345,432	1,596,425	1,968,049	81%
Sewer	95,739	923,877	1,167,126	79%
General Government			-	0%
Totals	441,170	2,520,302	3,135,175	80%
Net Income (Loss)	(216,866)	233,855		

FY 2025

Revenue	May 2025	Year to Date	Budget	% of Budget
Charges for Services	215,349	2,477,467	2,584,864	96%
Investment Income	8,175	109,698	80,000	137%
Miscellaneous Revenue	780	9,603	2,000	480%
Other Financing Sources	-	-	400,000	0%
Intergovernmental Revenues	-	-		0%
Totals	224,304	2,596,768	3,066,864	85%

Expense	May 2025	Year to Date	Budget	% of Budget
Water	85,928	1,417,924	1,974,081	72%
Sewer	64,542	840,988	1,092,783	77%
General Government			-	0%
Totals	150,470	2,258,912	3,066,864	74%
Net Income (Loss)	73,834	337,856		

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Capital Projects/ SPLOST



SPLOST 5

Beginning Balance

\$1,510,429.05

Increases

Interest

\$4,109.66

SPLOST

\$137,406.64

Decreases

Appalachian Grading Co

\$58,340.60

Gall's - Metal Detector

\$4,000.00

Mountaincraft Holdings

\$10,568.49

Mountaincraft Holdings

\$19,280.23

Mountain Communications

\$4,206.00

Ending Balance

\$1,555,550.02

FY 2026 SPLOST V Budget



FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026	Estimated Revenue	Amended Revenue	Received YTD	Revenue to be rec Item # 4.
320 SPLOST - REVENUE				
SPLOST 5 REVENUE	\$1,634,681.00	\$35,000.00	\$1,542,802.73	\$126,878.27
SPLOST 5 INTEREST INCOME	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$46,730.78	-\$6,730.78
FUND BALANCE	\$180,000.00	\$0.00	\$180,000.00	\$0.00
TOTAL	\$1,834,681.00	\$55,000.00	\$1,769,533.51	\$120,147.49
	Original Appropriation	Amended Appropriation	Committed YTD	Available Appropriation
320 SPLOST - PROJECTS				
2 POLICE VEHICLES	\$120,000.00	\$55,000.00	\$143,427.00	\$31,573.00
PUBLIC WORKS VEHICLE	\$60,000.00	\$0.00	\$56,065.00	\$3,935.00
TECHNOLOGY UPGRADE	\$60,000.00	\$0.00	\$67,938.65	-\$7,938.65
VAC TRAILER	\$80,000.00	\$0.00	\$77,789.00	\$2,211.00
BUCKET TRUCK	\$60,000.00	\$0.00	\$70,013.00	-\$10,013.00
CULVERT - JESS HUNT RD	\$450,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$450,000.00
TRUELOVE TEST WELL	\$60,000.00	\$0.00	\$6,000.00	\$54,000.00
BALLISTIC SHIELD	\$5,000.00	\$0.00	\$5,000.00	\$0.00
RADIOS & TURNOUT GEAR	\$100,000.00	\$0.00	\$4,206.00	\$95,794.00
UTILITY VEHICLE	\$60,000.00	\$0.00	\$61,000.00	-\$1,000.00
ROADS AND STREETS	\$250,000.00	\$0.00	\$1,860.00	\$248,140.00
PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT	\$200,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$200,000.00
PROPERTY ACQUISTION/FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS	\$231,681.00	\$0.00	\$144,389.59	\$87,291.41
TASERS	\$98,000.00	\$0.00	\$98,000.00	\$0.00
TOTAL	\$1,834,681.00	\$55,000.00	\$735,688.24	\$1,153,992.76

CITY OF CLEVELAND FIRE DEPARTMENT

Monthly Activity & Operations Report

June 2026

Prepared by:
Chief M. Jason Bryant
Cleveland Fire Department

Chief's Leadership Note

June demonstrated that the Cleveland Fire Department continues moving in the right direction. While emergency response remains our primary mission, our success is equally measured by prevention, firefighter safety, professional development, and the relationships we continue building throughout our community and across North Georgia.

This month, our personnel responded to emergencies, completed more than **1,070 hours of training**, expanded our Fire Marshal Division through nationally certified Fire Inspectors, hosted firefighters from across the region for specialized training, completed annual hydrant maintenance throughout the city, and ensured every emergency response vehicle was maintained and ready for service.

Every accomplishment contained in this report belongs to the men and women of this department. Their professionalism, work ethic, and commitment to serving our community continue to raise the standard of what this department can achieve. I am incredibly proud of each of them and grateful for the pride they take in serving the City of Cleveland.

I would also like to thank our Mayor, City Council, and City Administration for your continued support. Your investment in this department allows our personnel to continue growing, improving, and providing the highest level of service possible to our community.

Executive Summary

The Cleveland Fire Department responded to **125 emergency incidents** during June, bringing the **year-to-date total to 802 incidents**, the highest total during the past five years.

Beyond emergency response, June was highlighted by hosting multiple regional training programs, completing **1,070 documented training hours**, expanding the department's Fire Marshal Division through nationally certified Fire Inspectors, completing annual citywide hydrant maintenance, and continuing proactive fleet maintenance.

The department also hosted a regional **Reefer Container Awareness** class led by **Chief Rodney Wiggins** of Greene County Fire Rescue. Developed following the tragic line-of-duty death of **Battalion Chief Chris Eddy**, the course focused on educating firefighters about the hidden dangers associated with refrigerated cargo trailers. Approximately **40 firefighters representing departments from Cherokee County through Union County** attended this important training, further establishing Cleveland Fire Department as a regional leader in firefighter education and responder safety.

Personnel also **successfully completed the department's annual hydrant inspection and maintenance program**, ensuring every hydrant within the City of Cleveland was inspected, serviced, and verified for operational readiness. This annual effort strengthens emergency response capabilities, supports the department's Class 3 ISO rating, and helps ensure a reliable water supply for fire suppression throughout the community.

Key Accomplishments

- Responded to **125 emergency incidents**
 - Completed **1,070 documented training hours**
 - Hosted the **Georgia NPQ Fire Inspector I Certification Course**
 - Cleveland Fire Department now has **10 nationally certified Fire Inspectors**
 - Hosted the **Georgia Firefighter Standards and Training Regional Representative** for Fire Inspector certification
 - Hosted a **regional Reefer Container Awareness** course following the Greene County line-of-duty death
 - Hosted **two regional training programs** attended by firefighters from agencies throughout North Georgia
 - Completed the **annual citywide hydrant inspection and maintenance program**
 - Completed scheduled preventive maintenance on **all City emergency response vehicles**
 - **Completed all warranty repairs on Truck 21**, placing the apparatus into full operational service
 - Continued development of the Fire Marshal Division
 - Strengthened regional partnerships while improving firefighter safety across North Georgia
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1. Emergency Response

Incident Summary

- **125 Total Incidents**
- EMS – **68.0%**
- Fire – **3.2%**
- Hazardous Materials – **6.4%**
- Other – **20.8%**
- Technical Rescue – **1.6%**

Emergency response demand remains strong, with EMS responses continuing to account for the majority of requests for service.

Automatic Aid

- **68 incidents (54.4%)** occurred within the City of Cleveland.
- **46.8% of emergency responses occurred outside the City through the Automatic Aid Agreement.**

While this represents an improvement over previous months, nearly half of the department's emergency responses continue to occur outside city limits. The department will continue working with regional partners to evaluate response patterns while ensuring Cleveland residents receive the highest level of protection possible.

2. Five-Year Service Demand

Emergency response demand continues to increase.

Year Year-to-Date Calls

2022 512

2023 675

2024 763

2025 798

2026 802

This represents approximately a **57% increase in emergency responses since 2022**, demonstrating continued growth in service demand.

3. Fleet & Operational Readiness

Operational readiness remained a major focus throughout June.

Apparatus Status

- **Engine 21:** Fully operational
- **Truck 21:** All warranty repairs have been completed and the apparatus is now fully operational.
- **Rescue 21:** Remains out of service awaiting repairs
- **Utility 21:** Fully operational

In addition, all City emergency response vehicles completed their scheduled preventive maintenance, establishing a consistent maintenance cycle that improves reliability, reduces unexpected downtime, and ensures every emergency vehicle is ready when called upon.

Fire Protection Infrastructure

Department personnel successfully completed the annual hydrant inspection and maintenance program throughout the City of Cleveland.

Every hydrant was inspected, serviced, and verified for operational readiness. This proactive effort strengthens emergency response capabilities, supports the department's Class 3 ISO rating, and helps ensure dependable water supplies during emergency incidents.

4. Regional Training, Professional Development & Firefighter Safety

June represented one of the strongest training months in department history.

Training Highlights

- **1,070 documented training hours**
- Hosted the **Georgia NPQ Fire Inspector I Certification Course**
- Fifteen firefighters from departments throughout North Georgia attended.
- Cleveland Fire Department now has **10 nationally certified Fire Inspectors**, significantly expanding the department's Fire Prevention and Community Risk Reduction capabilities.

The course also welcomed the **Georgia Firefighter Standards and Training Regional Representative**, who attended to obtain his Fire Inspector certification alongside the other students. His participation reflects the quality of instruction and professionalism demonstrated by the Cleveland Fire Department training staff.

Company training also included:

- Wildland Firefighter
- Vehicle Extrication
- Fire Inspections
- Building Construction
- Forcible Entry
- Territory Studies
- Public Relations
- Aerial Apparatus Operations

NPQ Fire Inspector Program

The success of the NPQ Fire Inspector I course was the direct result of an outstanding instructional team.

Special thanks to:

- **Captain Stephen Sears**
- **Lieutenant Jared Joiner**
- **Brad Alexander**
- **Jody Holland**

for the tremendous amount of work invested in planning, organizing, and teaching this course. Their professionalism and commitment provided exceptional instruction not only to Cleveland Fire Department personnel but also to firefighters from departments throughout North Georgia.

Because of their efforts, Cleveland Fire Department now has **10 nationally certified Fire Inspectors**, while also helping strengthen fire prevention programs throughout the region.

Specialized Regional Training

One of the most significant training events during June was hosting the **Reefer Container Awareness** program taught by **Chief Rodney Wiggins** of Greene County Fire Rescue.

The class was developed following the tragic line-of-duty death of **Battalion Chief Chris Eddy**, who lost his life while operating at a commercial vehicle fire involving a refrigerated cargo trailer when the refrigeration unit unexpectedly exploded. His sacrifice brought national attention to a hidden hazard that many firefighters had never encountered.

The training focused on:

- Hidden hazards associated with refrigerated cargo trailers
- Improved scene size-up and risk assessment
- Tactical decision-making
- Lessons learned from the Greene County incident

- Firefighter survival and responder safety

Approximately **40 firefighters representing departments from Cherokee County through Union County** attended the training.

By hosting this course, Cleveland Fire Department helped share critical lessons learned that have the potential to prevent similar tragedies while continuing to strengthen firefighter safety throughout North Georgia.

5. Fire Marshal Division

Captain **Stephen Sears** continues leading development of the Fire Marshal Division.

Major accomplishments include:

- Successfully hosting the NPQ Fire Inspector I program.
- Expanding Cleveland Fire Department to **10 nationally certified Fire Inspectors**.
- Continuing development of inspection procedures.
- Strengthening fire prevention and community risk reduction capabilities.

The continued growth of this division represents one of the department's most significant long-term investments in protecting life and property before emergencies occur.

6. Personnel Recognition

The accomplishments outlined in this report belong to every member of the Cleveland Fire Department.

Special appreciation is extended to:

- Captain Stephen Sears
- Lieutenant Michael Armour
- Lieutenant Jared Joiner
- Lieutenant Chris Morris
- Lieutenant Jarvis
- Interim Lieutenant Johnson
- Brad Alexander
- Jody Holland

for their continued leadership, professionalism, commitment to training, and dedication to serving both this department and the citizens of Cleveland.

Whether responding to emergencies, maintaining apparatus, conducting inspections, teaching regional training programs, mentoring firefighters, or serving the public, every member of this department contributes to our success.

This report reflects their work, their commitment, and their dedication.

Closing Statement

The Cleveland Fire Department continues to grow stronger because of the commitment of its people.

Every emergency response, every training hour, every inspection completed, every hydrant serviced, every firefighter trained, every class hosted, and every citizen served reflects the pride our personnel take in protecting this community.

This month demonstrated that Cleveland Fire Department is not only meeting the increasing demands of emergency response but is also becoming a regional leader in firefighter training, fire prevention, and public safety. Those accomplishments are only possible because of the outstanding men and women who serve this department every day.

The Cleveland Fire Department's greatest asset is not its apparatus or equipment—it is the dedicated men and women who answer the call every day. This report reflects their hard work, professionalism, and unwavering commitment to serving our community with honor.

Thank you to our Mayor, City Council, and City Administration for your continued support of these outstanding men and women as they serve the City of Cleveland.

Serving Our Community with Honor Since 1942

Respectfully Submitted,

M. Jason Bryant

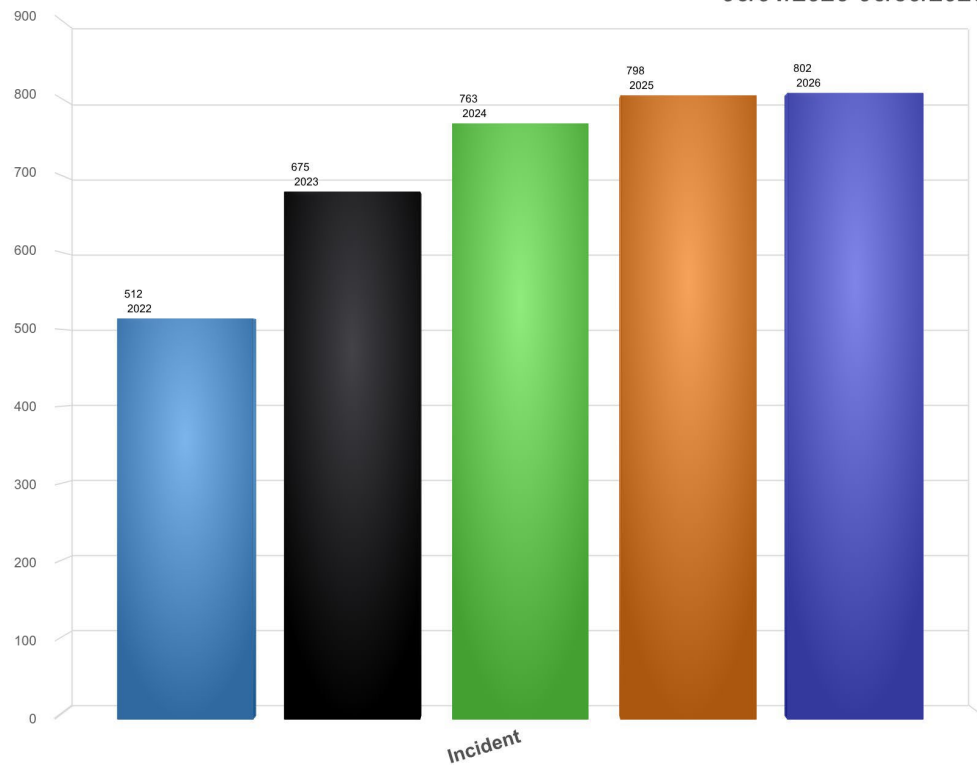
Fire Chief

Cleveland Fire Department



Year to Year Comparison (Until Current Day of Year) - 5 Years

06/01/2026-06/30/2026

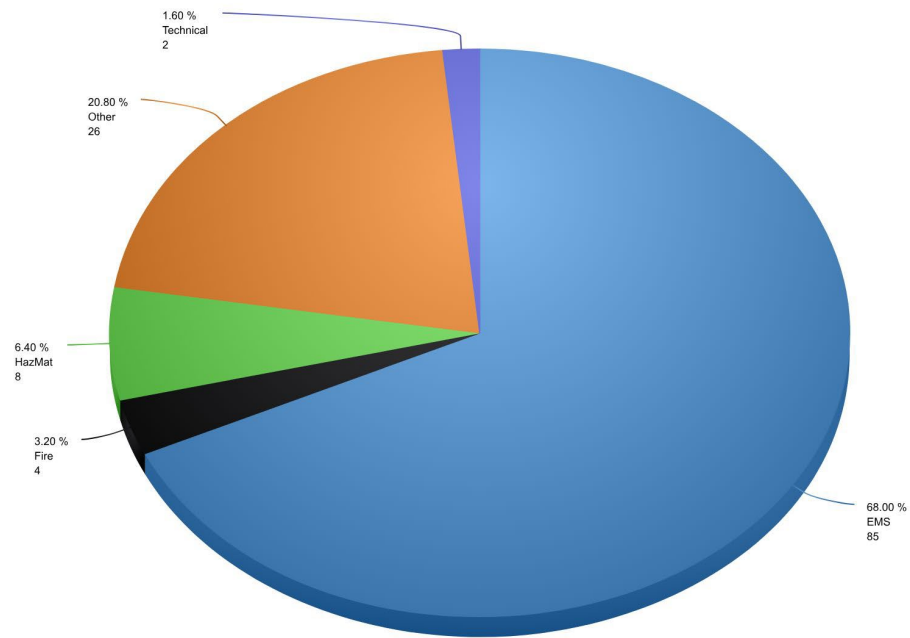


Total of Year: 3,550

EMS
Fire
HazMat
Other
Technical

Analysis by Response Class

06/01/2026-06/30/2026

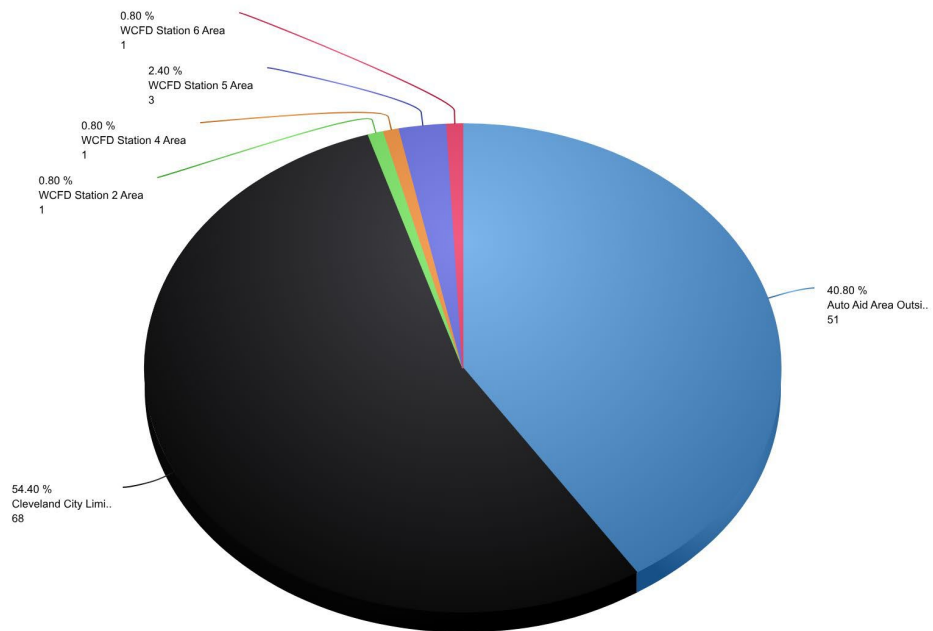


Total of Response Class: 125

Incidents by District

06/01/2026-06/30/2026

■ Auto Aid Area Outside City Limits
■ Cleveland City Limits
■ WCFD Station 2 Area
■ WCFD Station 4 Area
■ WCFD Station 5 Area
■ WCFD Station 6 Area

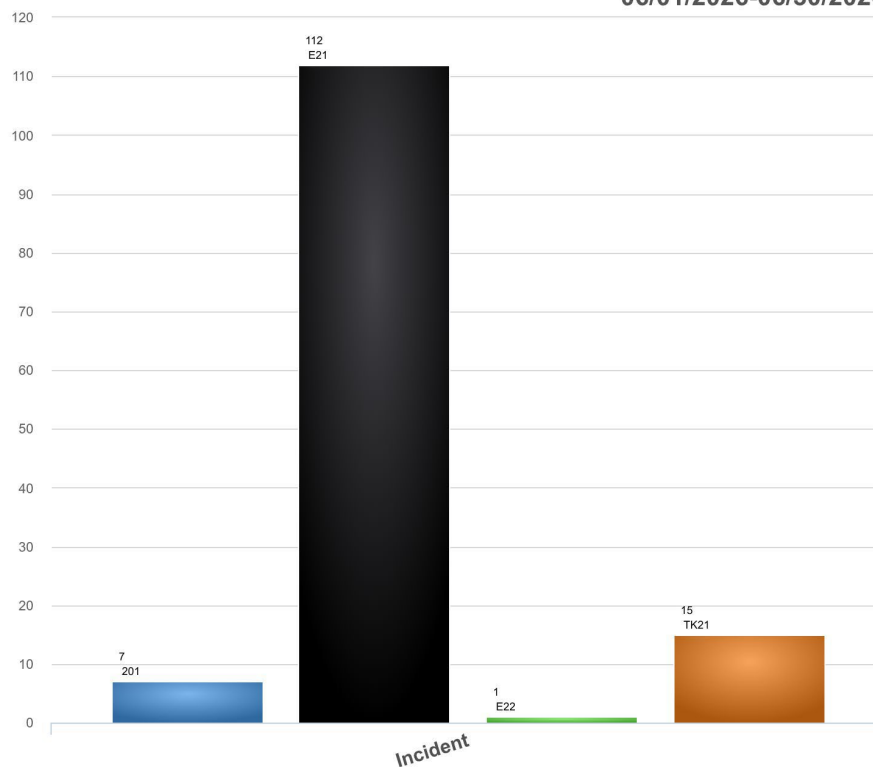


Total of District: 125

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E21
E22
TK21

Incidents by Apparatus (by Month)

06/01/2026-06/30/2026



Total of Apparatus: 135

Cleveland Police Department Activity Report

Jun-26

Community Oriented

& Proactive:

	<u>Jun-26</u>	<u>Jun-25</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Public Assist	317	371	1,933
Premise Checks	1,299	1,140	8,776
Field Interviews	2	22	48

Reporting:

Incident Reports	38	39	251
Accident Reports	16	14	119
Investigative/Supplemental	11	22	201
Use of Force	0	0	0

Actions taken:

Citations	84	119	562
Warnings	141	143	991
Warrants	5	8	54
Juveniles	1	1	9

Admin: Alcohol Badges, Request for Reports, CHRI

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Total:	1,944	1,885	13,157
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Car seat installs: 15

Prescription Drop Box:

June Total Arrest: 11

Arrest Breakdown:Citation Breakdown:

Shoplifting - 5

Driver's License, Registration, & Insurance - 12

Moving violations, traffic control, etc - 34

Equipment, seatbelt, etc - 33

Shoplifting - 5

Poss. Of Marijuana - 1

Reckless Conduct - 1

Criminal Trespass - 1

DUI - 1

Driving W. Lic Suspended - 1

City Prob Warrant - 1

JUNE 2026 EDMUNDS WORK ORDER SUMMARY

SERVICE ORDER TYPE

Dumpster Repair / Replace	1
Water Quality	1
Payment Agreement	1
Inspection	3
Inside New Water Cut-In & Sewer Cut-In	1
Meter Change Out	2
Damaged Meter	1
Cut Off and Lock Meter - Non Payment	13
Culvert Clean Out	3
Check for Leak	13
Final Reading - Do Not Lock	14
Garbage Request	19
Meeting With Customer	1
Final Read and Lock Meter - Disconnect	16
Garbage Request Change	2
Meter Inspection	22
Residential Just Unlock - Do Not Turn On	3
Residential Turn On	24
Commercial Turn On	3
Street R-O-W Maintenance	5
Meter Readings - Monthly	2315
Meter Re-Reads - Monthly	51
Utility Locates	107
Sewer Inspection	1
Snowbird	1
Total Number of Work Orders	2623

*** Prison Detail: 13 scheduled workdays completed. 5 scheduled workdays missed.**

*** Routine Sewer Lift Station Inspections: 9 Lift Stations inspected daily, 7 days a week.
270 total inspections conducted.**

*** Sanitation (Residential & Commercial): 57 loads collected; 190.76 tons of waste
transported to the transfer station.**

JUNE 2026 WORK ORDERS

Work Order Id	Service Code	Code Description
25-00949	O60	PAYMENT AGREEMENT
25-01108	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01110	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01111	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01120	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01121	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01124	O06	DAMAGED METER
25-01125	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01126	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01128	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01129	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01130	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01132	O45	CULVERT CLEAN OUT
25-01133	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01134	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01135	O11	CHECK FOR LEAK
25-01136	O40	GARBAGE REQUEST CHANGE
25-01137	O19	INSPECTION
25-01138	O98	STREET R-O-W MAINTENANCE
25-01140	O45	CULVERT CLEAN OUT
25-01141	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01142	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01143	O52	SEWER INSPECTION
25-01144	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01145	O11	CHECK FOR LEAK
25-01146	O11	CHECK FOR LEAK
25-01147	O98	STREET R-O-W MAINTENANCE
25-01148	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01149	O40	GARBAGE REQUEST CHANGE
25-01150	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01151	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01152	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01153	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01157	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01158	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01159	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01160	O85	-COMMERCIAL TURN ON
25-01161	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01162	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01163	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01165	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON

25-01166	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01167	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01168	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01169	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01170	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01171	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01172	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01173	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01174	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01175	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01176	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01177	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01178	O19	INSPECTION
25-01179	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01180	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01181	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01182	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01183	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01184	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01185	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01186	O98	STREET R-O-W MAINTENANCE
25-01187	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01188	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01189	O11	CHECK FOR LEAK
25-01190	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01191	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01192	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01193	O54	SNOWBIRD
25-01194	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01197	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01198	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01199	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01200	O86	-RESIDENTIAL JUST UNLOCK DO NOT TURN ON
25-01201	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01202	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01203	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01204	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01205	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01206	O86	-RESIDENTIAL JUST UNLOCK DO NOT TURN ON
25-01207	O04	WATER QUALITY
25-01208	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01209	O21	RE-READS
25-01210	O21	RE-READS
25-01211	O21	RE-READS

25-01212	O21	RE-READS
25-01213	O21	RE-READS
25-01214	O21	RE-READS
25-01215	O21	RE-READS
25-01216	O21	RE-READS
25-01217	O21	RE-READS
25-01218	O21	RE-READS
25-01219	O21	RE-READS
25-01220	O21	RE-READS
25-01221	O21	RE-READS
25-01222	O21	RE-READS
25-01223	O21	RE-READS
25-01224	O21	RE-READS
25-01225	O21	RE-READS
25-01226	O21	RE-READS
25-01227	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01228	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01229	O45	CULVERT CLEAN OUT
25-01230	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01231	O21	RE-READS
25-01232	O21	RE-READS
25-01233	O21	RE-READS
25-01234	O21	RE-READS
25-01235	O21	RE-READS
25-01236	O21	RE-READS
25-01237	O21	RE-READS
25-01238	O21	RE-READS
25-01239	O21	RE-READS
25-01241	O21	RE-READS
25-01242	O21	RE-READS
25-01243	O21	RE-READS
25-01244	O21	RE-READS
25-01245	O21	RE-READS
25-01246	O21	RE-READS
25-01247	O21	RE-READS
25-01248	O21	RE-READS
25-01249	O21	RE-READS
25-01250	O21	RE-READS
25-01251	O21	RE-READS
25-01252	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01253	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01254	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01255	O11	CHECK FOR LEAK
25-01256	O21	RE-READS

25-01257	O21	RE-READS
25-01258	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01259	O21	RE-READS
25-01260	O21	RE-READS
25-01261	O21	RE-READS
25-01262	O21	RE-READS
25-01263	O21	RE-READS
25-01264	O21	RE-READS
25-01265	O21	RE-READS
25-01266	O21	RE-READS
25-01267	O21	RE-READS
25-01268	O21	RE-READS
25-01269	O21	RE-READS
25-01270	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01271	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01272	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01273	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01274	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01275	O05	METER CHANGE OUT
25-01276	O05	METER CHANGE OUT
25-01277	O11	CHECK FOR LEAK
25-01278	O11	CHECK FOR LEAK
25-01279	O11	CHECK FOR LEAK
25-01280	O11	CHECK FOR LEAK
25-01281	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01282	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01283	O19	INSPECTION
25-01284	O09	DUMPSTER REPAIR/REPLACE
25-01287	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01288	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01289	O11	CHECK FOR LEAK
25-01290	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01291	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01292	O51	MEETING WITH CUSTOMER
25-01293	O86	-RESIDENTIAL JUST UNLOCK DO NOT TURN ON
25-01294	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01295	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01296	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01297	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01298	O98	STREET R-O-W MAINTENANCE
25-01299	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01301	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01302	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01304	O11	CHECK FOR LEAK

25-01305	O71	METER INSPECTION
25-01306	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01307	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01308	O98	STREET R-O-W MAINTENANCE
25-01309	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01310	O85	-COMMERCIAL TURN ON
25-01312	O11	CHECK FOR LEAK
25-01313	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01314	O11	CHECK FOR LEAK
25-01315	O84	-RESIDENTIAL TURN ON
25-01316	O59	FINAL READ AND LOCK METER- DISCONNECT
25-01317	O16	GARBAGE REQUEST
25-01318	O01	-INSIDE NEW WATER CUT-IN & SEWER CUT-IN
25-01328	O85	-COMMERCIAL TURN ON
25-01329	O15	FINAL READING DO NOT LOCK
25-01417	O29	CUT OFF AND LOCK METER- NON PAYMENT
25-01418	OA2	METER READINGS - MONTHLY
25-01419	OA4	UTILITY LOCATES

MONTHLY REPORT

From the Water Resources Department

Bradley Filaski

June 2026

Water Treatment

- Our city wells produced 17.2 MG.
- Purchased 5.2 MG from the County.
- Performed 195 laboratory tests on drinking water.
- Collected and shipped all required samples for the month to EPD's lab.
- Submitted all Monthly Operating Reports to EPD.
- Collected new line microbiological samples at the Talon Village development.
- The water loss was 29.3%.
- Responded to 1 water quality work order.

Water Reclamation

- Discharged 10.9 MG of treated effluent into the Tesnatee Creek.
- Performed 108 laboratory tests on the influent and effluent wastewater.
- Cleaned all UV lamps.
- Submitted the Discharge Monitoring Report to EPD.
- Greased blowers and changed oil.
- Sprayed weeds around the pond dike.
- Cleaned weeds off the air lines and curtains in the pond.

Industrial Pretreatment

- Reviewed Cobb-Vantress and NOK Self-Monitoring Reports.

**CITY OF CLEVELAND MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
CLEVELAND, GEORGIA
2026 APPOINTMENTS AMENDMENT
RESOLUTION 2026-11**

Item # 9.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Cleveland seek to appoint qualified representatives to fill positions identified in the Charter of the City of Cleveland and elsewhere, as well as positions on local, regional, and state boards and bodies, to serve the best interests of the city; and

WHEREAS, such representatives may include local citizens, elected or appointed officials, employees of the City of Cleveland, or any combination thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor or in absence of the Mayor the Mayor Pro Tem, together with the City Council, are charged with conducting an annual review of all such appointments, making new appointments as necessary, and amending existing appointments when appropriate; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Mayor, or in absence of the Mayor, the Mayor Pro Tem, and the City Council of the City of Cleveland hereby determine it to be appropriate and in the best interest of the City of Cleveland to amend the 2026 appointments to include the Parks and Recreation Board, which was reestablished through the adoption of Chapter 38 of the Code of Ordinances at the Council Meeting held on June 15, 2026.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the individuals listed in the Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, are hereby appointed to serve on the Parks and Recreation Board for terms of three (3) years, unless such terms are sooner terminated by action of the Mayor, or in absence of the Mayor, the Mayor Pro Tem, and the City Council of the City of Cleveland.

THIS RESOLUTION IS HEREBY ADOPTED this 20th day of July 2026.

_____ Josh Turner	_____ Mayor	_____ Jeremy McClure	_____ Council Member District 3
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_____ Nan Bowen	_____ Council Member District 1 Mayor Pro Tem	_____ C.J. McDonald	_____ Council Member District 4
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ATTEST:

_____ Annie Sutton	_____ Council Member District 2	_____ Lisa A. Ritchie	_____ City Clerk
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EXHIBIT A

Item # 9.

<u>Boards, Committees, Authroities, and Council</u>	<u>Member</u>	<u>Appointed</u>	<u>Appointment Expires</u>	<u>Appointed by</u>
PLANNING & ZONING BOARD				
\$100 per meeting attended - pd.monthly (7-1-2025)	Nadine Wardenga, Chair	2/4/2013		
	Aaron Green	1/13/2025		District 1 Council Member
	Rush Mauney	11/7/2022		District 1 Council Member
	Valerie Mateen	11/6/2023		District 2 Council Member
	Henrietta Sutton	1/13/2025		District 2 Council Member
	Alan Boggs	1/10/2022		District 3 Council Member
	Jeff Groves	5/11/2009		District 3 Council Member
	Terry Goodger	1/13/2025		District 4 Council Member
	Michelle Ash	1/10/2022		District 4 Council Member
TREE CITY USA				
	Nathan Eason (At-Large)			Mayor
	Nan Bowen	1/7/2019		District 1 Council Member
	Gloria Sutton	1/5/2026		District 2 Council Member
	Julia Massingale	1/3/2022		District 3 Council Member
	Haley McDonald	1/9/2023		District 4 Council Member
WHITE COUNTY LIBRARY BOARD				
Annual Appointment	Nan Bowen	1/10/2023		
HOUSING AUTHORITY				
	Barbara Goodger	6/5/2023		
	Linda Dixon	6/19/2023		
HEALTH DEPARTMENT				
	Nadine Wardenga	1/3/2005		
	Josh Turner			
GEORGIA MOUNTAINS REGIONAL COMMISSION (GMRC)				
	Nan Bowen	7/13/2021		White County
	Lauren Williams, At-Large (private sector)	6/10/2024, 6/2/2025, 5/18/2026	6/1/2026-7/30/2027	White County, Cleveland, and Helen
WHITE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY				
	Josh Turner	5/1/2023, 6/2/2025		
DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY				
\$100 per meeting attended - pd. quarterly (7-1-2025)	Todd Marks	1/10/2022	12/31/2026	
	Sam Pelletier	2006	12/31/2026	
	Gary Adkins	2018	12/31/2026	
	Haley Thomas	11/4/2024	12/31/2030	
	Kevin Lin	10/2/2023	12/31/2026	
	Ward Gann	2018	12/31/2030	
	Terry Goodger	2006	12/31/2030	
ALCOHOL LICENSE REVIEW BOARD				
Appointments are at the Mayor and Council's discretion	Ken Payne	11/4/2024		
\$100 per meeting attended - pd. monthly (7-1-2025)	Charles Massingale	7/10/2023		
	Jesse Harkins	7/20/2023		
	VACANT			
BUILDING AUTHORITY				
	Josh Turner	9/9/2021	Thru elected office term	Mayor & Council Members
	CJ McDonald	1/10/2022	Thru elected office term	Mayor & Council Members
	Jeff Groves (filled term of Linda Hobbs)	11/4/2024	9/8/2025 (4 year term)	Planning & Zoning Board
	Bradley McDuffie	1/16/2024	1/1/2028	At-Large
	VACANT (to fill the unexpired term of Garrett Harold)		1/1/2028	At-Large

PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD				Item # 9.
reestablished 6/15/2026	Meredith Palmer	7/20/2026	7/19/2029	Mayor
3 year terms - can be reappointed	Hannah Dockery	7/20/2026	7/19/2029	District 1 Council Member
\$100 per meeting attended - pd. quarterly	Malcom Anderson	7/20/2026	7/19/2029	District 2 Council Member
	VACANT	7/20/2026	7/19/2029	District 3 Council Member
	Jeremy McClure	7/20/2026	7/19/2029	District 4 Council Member
CITY APPOINTMENTS				
City Manager	Kevin Harris	4/12/2022		
City Clerk/Human Resource/Municipal Election Superintendent	Lisa Ritchie	3/22/2022		
City Attorney	Keith J. Whitaker, Smith Gilliam Williams & Miles	7/25/2022		
Municipal Judge	Judge Garrison Baker (by contract)			
City Solicitor	Staff of District Attorney Jeff Langley			
City Public Defender	Todd Lord			
City Engineer	Brian Rindt*			
City Auditor	Walker, Pierce & Tuck*			
*Current but subject to state procurement laws				

CITY OF CLEVELAND, GEORGIA
POLICE DEPARTMENT
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)
IN CAR CAMERA/ BODY WORN CAMERA/ CLOUD STORAGE/ VIDEO REDACTION
“2026 CAMERA PROJECT”
SCORING OF PROPOSALS

DATE: JUNE 30, 2026

PURPOSE (ORIGINAL STATEMENT)

The purpose of this Request for Proposals (RFP) is to purchase and deploy thirteen (13) in-car camera systems to be mounted in police patrol vehicles, and sixteen (16) body-worn cameras to be utilized by members of the Cleveland Police Department for a five (5) year period. The system should include all applicable hardware, mounts, cables, antennas, charging mechanisms, docking-charging banks, The same using a secure cloud-based storage system with a secure network for storage and transmission for evidence preservation and case preparation. Redaction software/programs are essential to the program and are needed to remove the images and sounds related to uninvolved persons, crime victims, minors, computer screens, and other sensitive items.

The system/ hardware will outline items that are mandatory and items that are optional/ preferred. Storage, retention, and redaction software and services will outline items that are mandatory and items that are optional/ preferred.

Consideration will NOT be given to concepts or products that are not available at the time of contract.

The scoring of the proposals are based upon the evaluation of the submitted proposals to meet the mandatory and/or optional/preferred areas. To be considered, ALL mandatory items must be included, additional consideration will be given to optional items included. Pricing of submitted proposals will then be evaluated.

Scoring is based upon the ability to meet the requirements/criteria listed in the original REQUIREMENTS- CAMERA PROJECT in the RFP and pricing considerations.

There are four (4) categories which will be scored in two (2) parts.

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|--------------------------|---------------|-------------|-------------------|
| 1. In- Car Camera: | 9 mandatory, | 3 optional, | MAXIMUM TOTAL= 12 |
| 2. Body Worn Camera: | 11 mandatory, | 3 optional, | MAXIMUM TOTAL= 14 |
| 3. Cloud Storage: | 6 mandatory, | 1 optional, | MAXIMUM TOTAL= 7 |
| 4. Redaction- Software | 3 mandatory, | 1 optional, | MAXIMUM TOTAL=4 |
| 5. OVERALL Pricing quote | | | |

CITY OF CLEVELAND POLICE DEPARTMENT

Scoring- Request for Proposals- 2026 Camera Project						
1. In- Car Camera	MAND.	OPT. 1	OPT. 2	OPT. 3	OPT.4	TOTAL
AXON	9	1	1	1	NA	12
COREFORCE	9	1	1	1	NA	12
DIGITAL ALLY	9	0	1	0	NA	10
GETAC	9	0	1	0	NA	10
I-PRO	9	1	0	0	NA	10
KUSTOM	9	0	1	0	NA	10
LENS LOCK	9	0	0	1	NA	10
SAFE FLEET	9	1	1	1	NA	12
2. Body- Worn Camera	MAND.	OPT. 1	OPT. 2	OPT. 3	OPT. 4	TOTAL
AXON	11	1	1	1	NA	14
COREFORCE	11	1	1	1	NA	14
DIGITAL ALLY	11	1	0	1	NA	13
GETAC	11	1	1	1	NA	14
I-PRO	11	0	1	1	NA	13
KUSTOM	11	1	1	1	NA	14
LENS LOCK	11	1	0	1	NA	13
SAFE FLEET	11	0	0	1	NA	12
3. Cloud Storage/ Data Ret	MAND.	OPT.1	OPT.2	OPT.3	OPT.4	TOTAL
AXON	6	1	NA	NA	NA	7
COREFORCE	6	1	NA	NA	NA	7
DIGITAL ALLY	6	1	NA	NA	NA	7
GETAC	6	1	NA	NA	NA	7
I-PRO	6	1	NA	NA	NA	7
KUSTOM	6	1	NA	NA	NA	7
LENS LOCK	6	1	NA	NA	NA	7
SAFE FLEET	6	1	NA	NA	NA	7
4. Redaction- Software	MAND.	OPT.1	OPT.2	OPT.3	OPT.4	TOTAL
AXON	3	1	NA	NA	NA	4
COREFORCE	3	1	NA	NA	NA	4
DIGITAL ALLY	3	0	NA	NA	NA	3
GETAC	3	1	NA	NA	NA	4
I-PRO	3	0	NA	NA	NA	3
KUSTOM	3	1	NA	NA	NA	4
LENS LOCK	3	1	NA	NA	NA	4
SAFE FLEET	3	1	NA	NA	NA	4

All in alphabetical order						
OVERALL SCORING	MAND.	OPT.	TOTAL			PRICING
AXON	29	8	37			\$250,505.26
COREFORCE	29	8	37			\$229,329.75
DIGITAL ALLY	29	4	33			\$224,870.00
GETAC	29	6	35	no	install	\$244,518.00
I-PRO	29	4	33			\$243,400.00
KUSTOM	29	6	35			\$203,023.00
LENS LOCK	29	5	34			\$246,868.00
SAFE FLEET	29	6	35		revised	\$244,820.00
All in alphabetical order						

INVITATION

The City of Cleveland, Georgia, hereby invites companies to submit proposals to provide in-car camera hardware, body-worn camera hardware, cloud storage/ redaction software, any related hardware, software, installation, maintenance, and warranties, to be utilized by the police department.

The intent is to provide the police department with a camera/ storage/ redaction plan with the latest technology that will serve the agency for the **next five (5) years**. The RFP/ title will hereafter be referred to as the “2026 CAMERA PROJECT”.

Proposals shall be submitted via email to the Cleveland Police Department - **cpdinfo@clevelandga.org**

“2026 CAMERA PROJECT”

City of Cleveland Police Department
85 South Main Street
Cleveland, Ga. 30528

All questions must be submitted in writing to **cpdinfo@clevelandga.org** no later than **June 8, 2026 @ 12:00 p.m.**

Proposals will be accepted until **JUNE 10, 2026 @ 12:00 p.m.**

The City of Cleveland reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, waive technical or legal irregularities, and negotiate with any proposer in the best interest of the City.

PURPOSE

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REQUIREMENTS- CAMERA PROJECT

1. In-Car Camera- Mandatory

- Thirteen (13) in-car camera systems with all required hardware, software, mounting hardware, connections, and cables.
- Camera will be required to capture forward facing (front window) and back seat/ prisoner area.
- Must have the capability to have sound recording in the front and back seat of the vehicle.
- Must have the ability to capture sound from outside of the vehicle.
- Must have the ability to upload data either over the wireless network/cellular, or by station mounted antenna.
- Must have the ability to be activated manually, or by “trigger” such as emergency light activation, GPS-speed activated, or other.
- Must have the ability to sync or align body camera audio/video to the in-car system.
- Must be equipped with a mechanism to record a pre-determined time (30 seconds etc.) prior to activation.
- Ability to bookmark/ title recorded event.

In-Car Camera - Optional/ Preferred

- Ability to utilize a license plate reader
- Live feature/ on scene transmittal of images and video
- Live interface with in-car mobile data terminal- GCIC/ NCIC files database.
- Consideration will NOT be given to concepts or products that are not available at the time of contract.

2. Body-Worn Camera Mandatory

- Sixteen (16) body-worn camera systems with all required hardware, software, mounting hardware, connections, and charging cables.
- Included- Mid contract (2 ½ year) upgrade/replacement of all Body Worn Camera devices, mounting hardware, cables, and docking hardware. This will NOT constitute a renewal of contract.
- Camera will be required to capture forward facing only.
- Must have the ability to be activated/de-activated manually.

- Must have the capability to record sound while the device is activated.
- Must have the ability to deactivate the mute feature, (mic always on).
- Must have the ability to sync or align with in-car camera, (if activated within range).
- Must have the ability to operate independently without vehicle camera in range.
- Must have the ability to upload data either over the wireless network/cellular, docking station or by station mounted antenna.
- Ability to bookmark/ title recorded event.
- Must be equipped with a setting/mechanism to record a pre-determined time (30 seconds etc.) prior to activation.

Body-Worn Camera – Optional/ Preferred

- Live feature/ On scene transmittal of images and video.
- Activation by removing weapons from holster.
- GPS location
- Consideration will NOT be given to concepts or products that are not available at the time of contract.

3. Cloud Storage Data/ Retention - Mandatory

- Storage must be cloud-based upload/ download.
- Storage pathway must meet compliance of all computer safety protocols.
- Ability to transfer/ send recorded events by link or file.
- Storage must have the ability to retain data for a minimum of 180 days.
- In the event of contract expiration or termination, the storage of data must be retained for a minimum period of 90 days.
- In the event of contract end, the user shall have unlimited access to the data, free of charge for the same 90-day period.

Cloud Storage Data/ Retention – Optional/ Preferred

- Unlimited storage ability
- Consideration will NOT be given to concepts or products that are not available at the time of contract.

4. Redaction-Software/ Program – Mandatory

- Must have a compatible platform for video and audio redaction.
- Must maintain an original file free of redaction or edits.
- Must have technical support available to assist with the software if needed.

Redaction- Software/ Program – Optional/ Preferred

- Advanced technology/ software to track images such as faces and objects and aid in the redaction and editing process.
- Consideration will NOT be given to concepts or products that are not available at the time of contract.

REGULATORY COMPLIANCE- Mandatory

All contractors must comply with:

- Georgia Crime Information Center regulations, specifically regarding information security and vetting.
- Records Management Systems utilized by the Cleveland Police Department
- Information Technology systems within the City of Cleveland, specifically those regarding the connectivity with the mobile data terminals used in the police vehicle.
- Interoperability with wireless provider networks used by the City of Cleveland.
- Maintain technical employees and project managers who are CJIS compliant.
- Contractor will maintain customer's data "City of Cleveland" for no less than 90 days of the conclusion of any contract or separation.
- Contractor is NOT authorized to disseminate data or records on behalf of the agency.

PROPOSAL SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Each proposal shall include a cover letter with the following:

1. Qualifications

- Company name, address, and contact information.
- Primary contact person/ case manager.
- Brief history of the company including the number of years providing the proposed items.
- If using a secondary provider to deliver a service, a brief history of the aforementioned.

2. Proposed Work Plan

- General approach to service delivery.
- Mobilization time once contract is executed to delivery, installation, and activation of systems.
- Description of all "mandatory" items/services and pricing.
- Description of any "preferred" items/services and pricing.

- Description of any additional items/functions/services which will be provided and pricing if applicable.

3. Fee Proposal/ Pricing

- Indicate the warranty period of the contract and what hardware/software is covered under the contract.
- Fee proposal and pricing include the amount due in total for the overall contract.
- Pricing for cloud-based storage, include unlimited storage pricing, and reduced storage (180 day minimum).
- Fees related to installation of hardware services or covered by contract pricing.
- Indicate if payment is due in a lump sum amount or paid on an annual basis at the anniversary of the contract.

4. References

- Include a minimum of three (3) agencies which have implemented the model(s) and services proposed.

5. On-Site Demonstration

- Contractor **may** provide an on-site demonstration or remote demonstration. Same must be scheduled in advance and completed no later than the proposal submission deadline.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Proposals will be evaluated using the following criteria:

1. Qualifications, experience.
2. Proposed work plan, responsiveness, equipment provided, mandatory items optional services and capabilities.
3. Fee proposal and structure ie; total amount and breakdown of amount owed/due over the course of the contract.

The City may conduct interviews prior to final selection.

QUESTIONS AND ADDENDA

All questions must be submitted in writing by **June 8, 2026 1200 p.m.** to:
[**cpdinfo@clevelandga.org**](mailto:cpdinfo@clevelandga.org)

Jeff Shoemaker
Chief of Police

Addenda, if issued, will be posted on the City's website **clevelandga.org**

It is the proposer's responsibility to verify receipt of all addenda. ONLY contractors with proposals submitted prior to the deadline will be contacted by email if an addendum has been issued.

RESERVATION OF RIGHTS

The City of Cleveland reserves the right to:

- Reject any or all proposals
- Waive informalities
- Negotiate terms
- Verify contractor qualifications

Submission of a proposal authorizes the City to investigate the proposer's qualifications and references.

Entries and inquiries made after the submission deadline has passed will not be considered for the current project.



Cleveland City Council Called Meeting Minutes

Monday, June 15, 2026 at 6:00 PM

Oak Springs Community Center – 342 Campbell Street, Cleveland, GA

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Turner called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

PRESENT:

Mayor Josh Turner, Council Members Nan Bowen (Mayor Pro Tem), Annie Sutton, Jeremy McClure, and C.J. McDonald

Also, present were City Manager Kevin Harris, and City Clerk Lisa Ritchie

INVOCATION

Mayor Turner gave the invocation.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVE AGENDA

Motion by Council Member McClure, seconded by Council Member Sutton, and voted, unanimously, to approve the agenda.

PUBLIC HEARING

Mayor Turner opened the Public Hearing.

1. Second Public Hearing and Adoption - FY 2026/2027 Proposed Budget and SPLOST/Capital Improvements Plan (CIP)
 - 1) FY 2026/2027 Proposed Budget Presentation and Discussion
 - 2) FY 2026/2027 Proposed SPLOST/Capital Improvements Plan Budget Presentation and Discussion
 - 3) Public Comments

Finance Director John Solmon addressed the Mayor and Council, presenting the proposed Fiscal Year 2026–2027 Budget and Capital Improvements Plan.

Mr. Solmon reported that the proposed General Fund advances the City of Cleveland’s vision, reflecting an overall increase of 4.83%, while continuing to prioritize Public Safety, which comprises 57.6% of the total budget. He further noted that the total proposed General Fund budget for Fiscal Year 2026–2027 is \$9,146,681.00.

Mr. Solmon also presented an overview of the Capital Improvements Plan projects proposed for Fiscal Year 2026–2027.

There were no comments from the public.

Mayor Turner closed the Public Hearing.

NEW BUSINESS

2. Resolution 2026-05 to Adopt the FY2026/2027 Budget

Motion by Council Member McDonald, seconded by Council Member McClure, and voted, unanimously, to approve the adoption of the FY2026/2027 Budget.

3. Resolution 2026-06 to Adopt the FY2026/2027 SPLOST/Capital Improvements Plan (CIP) Budget

Motion by Council Member Sutton, seconded by Council Member Bowen, and voted, unanimously, to approve the adoption of the FY2026/2027 SPLOST/Capital Improvements Plan (CIP) Budget.

ADJOURN

Motion by Council Member Bowen, seconded by Council Member McClure and voted, unanimously, to adjourn the Called Meeting of June 15, 2026, at 6:22 p.m.



Cleveland City Council Meeting Minutes

Monday, June 15, 2026 at 6:30 PM

Oak Springs Community Center – 342 Campbell Street, Cleveland, GA

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Turner called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

PRESENT:

Mayor Josh Turner, Council Members Nan Bowen (Mayor Pro Tem), Annie Sutton, Jeremy McClure, and C.J. McDonald

Hallie James Turner, Mayor Turner's daughter, assisted the Mayor

Also, present were City Manager Kevin Harris, City Attorney Keith Whitaker, and City Clerk Lisa Ritchie

INVOCATION

- Pastor Burnetta Armour, First Presbyterian Church of Cleveland, and White County Ministerial Alliance
Pastor Armour was not in attendance. Pastor Brian Alexander, Cleveland First Methodist Church, gave the invocation.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVE AGENDA

Motion by Council Member McDonald, seconded by Council Member McClure, and voted, unanimously, to approve the agenda with the following amendments:

- Move the Sanitation item to appear immediately before the Public Hearings section
- FY2025-2026 Confiscated Funds Budget Amendment

PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no comments from the public.

- Request for sanitation services and road closures of Brooks Street, Quillian, and a portion of East Underwood Streets for the Special Event, America 250 Celebration, scheduled for Saturday, July 4, 2026

This item was moved to this position during the adoption of the agenda.

Motion by Council Member McDonald, seconded by Council Member Sutton, and voted, unanimously, to approve the request for sanitation services and road closures of Brooks Street, Quillian, and a portion of East Underwood Streets for the Special Event, America 250 Celebration, scheduled for Saturday, July 4, 2026.

PUBLIC HEARING

3. Second Public Hearing and Consideration - Ordinance 2026-01 Repealing and Adopting the City of Cleveland Code of Ordinances

Mayor Turner opened the hearing. He stated that many of the ordinances have been in place for 50 years and were in need of updates.

Mr. Harris stated that, following the completion of the new Charter, a review of the City's Code of Ordinances was initiated. During this process, it became evident that a comprehensive update was necessary. He provided an overview of the revised code, noting that it has been aligned with the new Charter, which became effective July 1, 2026, and ensures compliance with all applicable state and federal laws.

There were no comments from the public.

Mayor Turner stated that during the City's Planning Retreat, two facilitators from the Georgia Municipal Association remarked that they had never seen a city successfully complete an undertaking of this nature. He expressed his appreciation for the accomplishment.

Mayor Turner closed the public hearing.

Motion by Council Member Bowen, seconded by Council Member McDonald, and voted, unanimously, ordinance 2026-01 Repealing and Adopting the City of Cleveland Code of Ordinances.

4. Consider a request from Cleveland First Methodist Church, Inc proposing to rezone a 0.84 acre tract, Tax Map and Parcel C01D 108, located at 152 East Kytle Street, Cleveland, Georgia 30528. The current zoning of the property is P-I, Public Institutional District. The requested rezoning classification of said tract is R-1, Single Family Residential District. The proposed use for the property is residential rental.

City Council Member McDonald recused himself due to a conflict of interest.

Mayor Turner introduced the item. He stated that if the item is approved an action amending the Official Zoning Map of the City shall be signed by the Mayor and Council and filed as a part of the official records of the City's rezoning maps and shall be altered to reflect this amendment.

Mayor Turner stated the process of the Public Hearing. Mayor Turner opened the Public Hearing.

Mayor Turner asked Ms. Clay to confirm, the representative for the Church, that she had submitted the Disclosure of Campaign Contribution Certification that the Church had not, within the two years immediately preceding the application date, made any contributions aggregating \$250.00 or more to any local government official involved in the review or consideration of this application.

Mr. Clay, 47 College View Drive, spoke on behalf of Mrs. Clay. He confirmed compliance.

Mayor Turner stated that the Tax Commissioner certified that the property is currently exempt from the property tax requirement as it is associated with Cleveland First Methodist Church. He asked Mr. Clay to confirm, which he did.

Economic Development and Planning Director Tom O'Bryant presented the item. Mr. O'Bryant stated that the Planning Commission recommends approval with conditions.

Roy Clay, 47 College View Drive, addressed the Mayor and Council Members he discussed a rental property that houses Freudenberg NOK employees. Mayor Turner asked if background checks were done prior to rentals. Todd Marks addressed the Mayor and Council Members. He stated that NOK has a thorough hiring process that includes background checks. Mayor Turner asked if the conditions of the Planning Commission were acceptable and Mr. Clay said they were.

Mayor Turner asked those in favor of the item to raise their hand. Twelve (12) people raised their hand. He asked those in opposition to raise their hand, no one raised their hand.

There were no public comments.

Mayor Turner closed the public hearing.

Mayor Turner asked the Council Members in favor of the item to raise their hand. Three (3) Council Members (Jeremy McClure, Annie Sutton, and Nan Bowen) raised their hand in favor of the item. He asked those in opposition to raise their hand, no one raised their hand, one was recused (Council Member McDonald). The item was approved by the majority raising of hands. The item was approved with the following conditions:

- 1) a communication contact be appointed by the church
- 2) parking areas be identified and designated within the easement
- 3) waste container areas be designated within the easement
- 4) landscaping provided by the church
- 5) the easement and property lines be clearly marked.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Council Member McDonald returned to the Meeting.

5. Economic Development and Planning Director Tom O'Bryant – May 2026 Report

Mr. O'Bryant addressed the Mayor and Council Members. He reported the following May items:

- Occupational License - 4
- Building Permits - 6
- Building Inspections - 24
- Sign Permits - 4
- Plan Review - 2
- Current Commercial Activity - 9
- Development Inquiry - 2

Grant Applications and Administration:

- ARC well project: Currently preparing the preliminary engineering report for ARC. The survey work for the Truelove Road site is complete.
- The pre-construction meeting was held May 8th on site. Notice to proceed was issued, and the Land Disturbance permit is under review.

Infrastructure and Planning:

- Completed the monthly US census Bureau report on construction status of the WWTP expansion, including expenditures.
- City of Cleveland Planning and Zoning Board met on May 28, 2026 on the re-zoning application request by Cleveland First Methodist Church.
- Staff presented at the GMA Georgia Small Cities Conference regarding Planning for Infrastructure and Growth.
- Attended the Georgia Economic Developers Association Monthly Meeting regarding FIFA World Cup in Georgia; economic impact on small communities; local licensing with FIFA.
- Attended the quarterly Chestatee Chattahoochee RC&D meeting regarding USDA Ag assistance programs, and water resources assistance for communities.

6. Finance Director John Solmon – April 2026 Report

Mr. Solmon addressed the Mayor and Council Members. He reported the following April items:

- General Fund: Revenues are up, expenses are up

- LOST and SPLOST Collections: down 2%
- Public Safety (Police and Fire) is 59% of the general fund expenditure
- Water and Sewer Fund Revenue is up and expenses are down

7. Fire Chief Jason Bryant – May 2026 Report

Fire Chief Bryant addressed the Mayor and Council Members. He reported the following May items:

- Total of 659 incidents in 2026
- Total of 128 emergency incidents
- Fire Department personnel completed 307 hours of documented training hours.
- Conducted approximately 20 fire and life safety inspections
- Completed approximately 10 plan reviews
- Continued development of the Fire Marshal's Office
- Captain Sears continued coordinating department training efforts while leading the development of the Fire Marshal's Office

8. Police Chief Jeff Shoemaker – May 2026 Report

Chief Shoemaker was not in attendance. Deputy Chief Aaron Weiland addressed the Mayor and Council Members. He reported the following May items:

Total occurrences – 2,015

- Public assist - 332
- Premise checks – 1,315
- Field interviews – 13
- Incident reports – 37
- Accident reports – 20
- Investigative/Supplemental – 19
- Use of force – 0
- Citations – 103
- Warnings – 144
- Warrants – 6
- Juveniles – 1
- Admin: Alcohol Badges, CHRI, Peddler – 25
- Arrests - 6
- Car Seat Installs - 2

9. Public Works Director Ricky Hunt – May 2026 Report

Mr. Hunt was not in attendance. Mr. Harris reported the following May items:

- Dumpster repair/replace – 1 - receiving 20 new dumpsters Wednesday
- Water Quality - 3
- Payment Agreement - 2
- Inspection - 1

- Street Repair - 2
 - Meter Change Out - 11
 - City Hall Office Maintenance - 1
 - Cut off and lock meter (nonpayment) – 29
 - City Park Repairs/Maintenance - 1
 - Check for Leak – 9
 - Final reading do not lock – 17
 - Garbage request – 12
 - Meeting with customer – 1
- TOTAL SERVICE ORDERS: 2,600

- Inmates worked 14 of their scheduled (15) workdays
- Routine sewer lift stations daily inspections – 9 lift stations, 7 days a week
- Sanitation (Residential & Commercial) – 53 loads collected, 180.41 tons of waste transported to the transfer station

Mayor Turner asked that a new dumpster in front of Tipsey Tomato.

10. Water Resources Wastewater/Water Laboratory Technician Bradley Filaski – May 2026 Report

Mr. Filaski addressed the Mayor and Council Members. He reported the following May items:

Water Treatment

- City wells produced 16.4 MG
- Purchased 5.8 MG from the County
- Flushed 2 hydrants for water quality
- Performed 195 laboratory tests on drinking water
- Collected and shipped all required monthly samples to EPD's lab
- Submitted all monthly operating reports to EPD
- Issued 2 boil water advisory to EPD
- Water loss for the month was 23.8%
- Prepared the 2026 Consumer Confidence Report
- Responded to 3 water quality work orders

WATER RECLAMATION:

- Discharged 14.3 MG of treated effluent into the Tesnatee Creek
- Performed 108 laboratory tests on influent and effluent wastewater
- Cleaned all UV lamps
- Submitted the discharge monitoring report to EPD
- Filled potholes with gravel on the road around the pond
- Greased blowers and cleaned air filters

INDUSTRIAL PRETREATMENT:

- Reviewed Cobb-Vantress and NOK self-monitoring reports

NEW BUSINESS

11. Approve Resolution 2026-07 Adopting the Master Fee Schedule for the City

Mr. Harris stated that fees have been removed from individual sections of the Code and consolidated into a single master fee schedule, making them more accessible and easier for the public to reference.

Motion by Council Member Sutton, seconded by Council Member Bowen and voted, unanimously, to approve Resolution 2026-07 Adopting the Master Fee Schedule for the City.

Council Member McDonald expressed his appreciation. He said the master fee schedule will be good for everyone.

12. Resolution 2026-08 Establishing the Parks and Recreation Board

Mr. Harris stated that the new Board will consist of five members serving three-year terms and will provide oversight for the City Park at Woodman and a new pocket park to be located at Talon Village. He further noted that the Mayor and each Council Member will each make one appointment to the Board.

Motion by Council Member McClure, seconded by Council Member Bowen and voted, unanimously, to approve the Resolution 2026-08 Establishing the Parks and Recreation Board.

13. Approve MountainCraft Builders, LLC Change Order #3 - Funded by SPLOST

Mr. Solmon stated that the change order includes soundproofing for the Council meeting room, upgrades to the double doors, installation of data drops, key fob access, fencing, and other related items, in the amount of \$10,568.49.

Motion by Council Member McClure, seconded by Council Member McDonald and voted, unanimously, to approve change order #3 in the amount of \$10,568.49.

14. Approve Resolution 2026-09 to Maintain a Temporary Moratorium on the Regulation of CBD Stores.pdf

Mr. Harris recommended maintaining the moratorium on the regulation of CBD Stores through June 15, 2027, and further recommended that no CBD stores be permitted to open within the City until a comprehensive study has been completed.

Motion by Council Member McDonald, seconded by Council Member Bowen and voted, unanimously, to approve maintaining the moratorium on Regulation of CBD Stores through June 15, 2027.

15. Approve Resolution 2026-10 to Maintain a Temporary Moratorium for New Smoke-Vape Shops for up to Twelve Additional Months

Mr. Harris recommended maintaining the moratorium on new smoke and vape shops through June 15, 2027, and further recommended that no new smoke or vape shops be permitted to open within the City until a comprehensive study has been completed.

Motion by Council Member McClure, seconded by Council Member Sutton and voted, unanimously, to approve maintaining the moratorium on smoke-vape shops through June 15, 2027.

16. FY2025-2026 Confiscated Funds Budget Amendment (added during the adoption of the agenda)

Mr. Harris addressed the Mayor and Council Members to request a budget amendment for confiscated funds. He said Judge Baker released the funds to the Police Department for the purchase of equipment. Revenue will be increased by \$2,700, and expenditures by the same amount.

Motion by Council Member McClure, seconded by Council Member McDonald and voted, unanimously, to approve the FY2025-2026 budget amendment.

CALLED MEETING/MEETING MINUTES

17. Approve June 1, 2026, Meeting Minutes

Motion by Council Member Bowen, seconded by Council Member McDonald and voted, unanimously, to approve the June 1, 2026 Meeting Minutes.

18. Approve June 4, 2026, Called Meeting Minutes

Motion by Council Member McDonald, seconded by Council Member McClure and voted, unanimously, to approve the June 4, 2026 Called Meeting Minutes.

EXECUTIVE SESSION MINUTES

19. Approve June 1, 2026, Executive Session Minutes

Motion by Council Member Sutton, seconded by Council Member McClure and voted, unanimously, to approve the June 1, 2026 Executive Session Minutes.

CITY ATTORNEY KEITH WHITAKER

Mr. Whitaker did not have any items to report.

CITY MANAGER KEVIN HARRIS

Mr. Harris did not have any items to report.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ms. Ritchie gave the announcements.

- 20. The Planning and Zoning Meeting scheduled for Thursday, June 25, 2026, has been cancelled
- 21. City of Cleveland Offices will be closed on Friday, July 3, 2026 in observance of Independence Day
- 22. The Cleveland/White County 250th Run for Freedom 5K will be held on Saturday, July 4, 2026, at Freedom Park. Registration is at 7:00 a.m., the 5K will be held at 8:00 a.m.
- 23. The Cleveland/White County 250th Fireworks Celebrations are scheduled for July 4th beginning at 5:00 p.m. Celebrations begin with an opening ceremony then throughout the evening, music, games, vendors, etc. will be continue until the fireworks begin at dark.
- 24. The City Council Meeting scheduled for Monday, July 6, 2026, has been cancelled
- 25. The White County Water Authority Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, July 9, 2026, at 7:30 a.m. at the White County Water Authority
- 26. The Downtown Development Authority meeting is scheduled for Thursday, July 16, 2026, at 3:00 p.m. at the White County Chamber of Commerce
- 27. The next Cleveland City Council Meeting is scheduled for Monday, July 20, 2026, at 6:30 p.m. at the Oak Springs Community Center

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion by Council Member McClure, seconded by Council Member Sutton and voted, to enter an Executive Session at 7:50 p.m.

28. Real Estate

Motion by Council Member McClure, seconded by Council Member Bowen and voted, unanimously, to adjourn the Executive Session and return to the Meeting at 8:58 p.m.

Council Member McDonald opened the door to allow citizens to return to the regular meeting.

ADJOURN

Motion by Council Member McClure, seconded by Council Member Sutton and voted, unanimously, to adjourn the Meeting of June 15, 2026 at 9:00 p.m.