



Mayor Liese	
Councilmember Maher	At-Large
Councilmember Finley	Ward 1
Councilmember Sheppard	Ward 2
Councilmember Harwood	Ward 3
Councilmember Clark	Ward 4

AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL
Tuesday, October 20, 2026
6:00 PM CST
Council Chambers, City Hall
and via teleconference, if necessary

Call to Order.

Invocation - Councilmember Harwood

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Confirm or Adjust Agenda Order

Presentation Agenda.

- a. The next Regular Meeting of the City Council will be held Tuesday November 3, 2026 at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers located at City Hall.

City Manager's Report.

Public Comments on Agenda Items.

Council Comments.

Policy Agenda.

Minutes:

1. Motion to approve October 6, 2026 Regular Meeting Minutes.

Tabled Matters:

2. **2026-202:** Request to let golf carts and LSV's properly registered be allowed on all streets in Diamondhead, following traffic laws including stop signs and speed limits. To update City ordinances to reflect this, and to remove signs throughout DH saying where Golf carts are not allowed. In addition, to express this change on city digital sign, eblast on website. If this needs to be presented first to P&Z then to make this a request for next P& Z meeting. (Maher)

Resolutions:

3. **2026-223:** Motion to ratify Proclamation of Existence of Local Emergency as of 12:00 p.m. on October 7, 2026 for flooding and severe weather related to potential Tropical Strom Isaías.
4. **2026-228:** Motion to adopt Resolution 2026-034 thereby redefining certain salaries within the Building Department for Fiscal Year 2027 effective November 2, 2026.

Consent Agenda:

5. **2026-224:** Motion to approve lease purchase with Axon for the sole source purchase of TASER Energy Weapons for a term of five years. The annual lease payment will be \$6,499.56 for a total contract cost of \$32,497.80.

6. **2026-225:** Motion to authorize the engagement of Dr. Joy Hogge to provide professional development and organizational consulting services for an amount not to exceed \$3,975.00 (Liese)
7. **2026-227:** Motion to approve Budget Amendment 2027-001.
8. **2026-229:** Motion to approve the addition of the Mississippi Wildlife, Fisheries & Parks Kid's Fishing Rodeo event to the list of annual events hosted and/or sponsored by the city.

Action Agenda.

9. **2026-226:** Motion for discussion of the intent of the Mayor and City Council to Acquire, Construct, Finance and Equip a Community Center and Related Facilities and Improvements in the City in an amount not to exceed \$2,200,000.

Routine Agenda.

Claims Payable

10. Motion to approve Docket of Claims (DKT234151-DKT234179) in the amount of \$131,088.39.

Public Comments on Non-Agenda Items.

Council Closing Comments

Executive Session - If Necessary

Adjourn/Recess.

NOTE: THE CITY OF DIAMONDHEAD WILL FURNISH APPROPRIATE AUXILIARY AIDS AND SERVICES WHERE NECESSARY TO AFFORD INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY TO SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES OF THE CITY. A WRITTEN REQUEST BY OR ON BEHALF OF QUALIFYING INDIVIDUALS SHALL BE SUBMITTED IN A TIMELY MANNER TO THE CITY CLERK.