



**Special City Commission Meeting Agenda
2 Park Drive South, Great Falls, MT
Gibson Room, Civic Center
March 21, 2023
4:00 PM**

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- Attend in person.
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CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL / STAFF INTRODUCTIONS

AGENDA APPROVAL

CONFLICT DISCLOSURE / EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

(Public comment on any matter that is not on the agenda of the meeting and that is within the jurisdiction of the City Commission. Please keep your remarks to a maximum of 3 minutes. When at the podium, state your name and either your address or whether you are a city resident for the record.)

NEW BUSINESS

1. Opioid Litigation Strategy Discussion – Consideration of Proposed Settlement Structure.

David Dennis, City Attorney
Mark Kovacich & Ben Snipes, Odegaard Kovacich Snipes PC
Jeffrey Simon, Simon Greenstone Panatier PC

(Legal counsel has recommended that this portion of the meeting be closed to the public pursuant to Mont. Code Ann § 2-3-203(4)(a) to discuss strategy to be followed with respect to a pending litigation matter because an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the City's litigating position.)

The meeting will be re-opened at the conclusion of the litigation strategy discussion.

2. Opioid Litigation – Consideration of Proposed Settlement Structure – *Action: City Commission may or may not take action after hearing counsel’s litigation strategy update and discussion.*

ADJOURNMENT