

# City Commission Meeting Agenda 2 Park Drive South, Great Falls, MT Commission Chambers, Civic Center December 16, 2025 7:00 PM

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Public participation is welcome in the following ways:

- Attend in person.
- Provide public comments in writing by 12:00 PM the day of the meeting: Mail to City Clerk, PO Box 5021, Great Falls, MT 59403, or via email to: <a href="mailto:commission@greatfallsmt.net">commission@greatfallsmt.net</a>. Include the agenda item or agenda item number in the subject line, and include the name of the commenter and either an address or whether the commenter is a city resident. Written communication received by that time will be shared with the City Commission and appropriate City staff for consideration during the agenda item and before final vote on the matter; and, will be so noted in the official record of the meeting.

## **Meeting Decorum Statement**

- 1. Members of the public shall address their comments to the presiding officer and the Commission as a body and not to any individual member of the Commission or City staff.
- 2. Speakers shall keep their comments germane to the subject item on the agenda or, during petitions and communications, matters of significant public interest which are within the jurisdiction of the Commission.
- 3. Be respectful and do not engage in disorderly or boisterous conduct, including but not limited to applause, booing, or making any remarks that are, threatening, profane, abusive, personal, or slanderous that disturbs, disrupts, or otherwise impedes the orderly conduct of our meeting.
- 4. Signs, placards, banners, or other similar items shall not be permitted in the audience during our City Commission meeting.
- 5. Remain seated, unless addressing the body at the podium or entering or leaving the meeting. Private or informal conversations may occur outside of the Chambers. Obey any lawful order of the Presiding Officer to enforce the Rules of Decorum.

A complete copy of Rule 10 pertaining to the public participation is available on the table in the Commission Chambers and is included with the Meeting posting on the City's Website.

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

**ROLL CALL / STAFF INTRODUCTIONS** 

AGENDA APPROVAL

CONFLICT DISCLOSURE / EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

#### **COMMUNITY INITIATIVES**

1. Miscellaneous Reports and announcements from Great Falls Area Chamber of Commerce.

#### 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.)

2. Miscellaneous reports and announcements.

#### NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCILS

3. Miscellaneous reports and announcements from Neighborhood Councils.

#### **BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS**

- 4. Miscellaneous reports and announcements from Boards and Commissions.
- 5. Appointments to the Super TIF Advisory Committee for all City Tax Increment Financing (TIF)
  Districts
- 6. Reappointment to the City-County Board of Health.

#### **CITY MANAGER**

7. Miscellaneous reports and announcements from City Manager.

### **CONSENT AGENDA**

The Consent Agenda is made up of routine day-to-day items that require Commission action. Items may be pulled from the Consent Agenda for separate discussion/vote by any Commissioner.

- 8. Minutes, December 1, 2025, Special City Commission Meeting.
- 9. Minutes, December 2, 2025, City Commission Meeting.
- 10. Contracts List.
- 11. Grants List.
- 12. Total Expenditures of \$5,238,081 for the period of November 13, 2025 through November 26, 2025, to include claims over \$25,000, in the amount of \$4,434,196.
- 13. Set a public hearing for January 6, 2026 to consider a lease agreement of City owned property located in Wadsworth Park with the Great Falls Saddle Club.

Action: Approve Consent Agenda as presented or remove items for separate discussion and/or vote by any Commission member. After motion is made, Mayor requests a second to the motion, public comment, Commission discussion, and calls for the vote.

### **PUBLIC HEARINGS**

### **OLD BUSINESS**

### **NEW BUSINESS**

## **ORDINANCES / RESOLUTIONS**

14. Ordinance No. 3282, Amending Title 12, Chapter 5, and Title 15, Chapter 9 of the official code of the City of Great Falls (OCCGF) pertaining to parades, processions, fun runs, street closures and the fire code. *Action: Adopt or deny Ord. 3282. (Presented by Mike McIntosh)* 

15. Ordinance 3283 amending Title 10, Chapters 9 and 10 of the Official Code of the City of Great Falls (OCCGF) pertaining to the administration and operation of the City's parking system; and Resolution 10612 establishing the rates, fees, and penalties associated with Title 10 of the Official Code of the City of Great Falls (OCCGF) pertaining to the City's Downtown Parking System. Action: Set or not set a joint public hearing for January 20, 2026 pertaining to Ord. 3283 and Res. 10612. (Presented by Brock Cherry)

#### CITY COMMISSION

- 16. Miscellaneous reports and announcements from the City Commission.
- Commission Initiatives.
   LEPC Meetings Commissioner Wilson.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

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