

## AGENDA CITY OF LAUREL CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP TUESDAY, JUNE 17, 2025 6:30 PM COUNCIL CHAMBERS

**Public Input:** Citizens may address the Council regarding any item of City business that is not on tonight's agenda. The duration for an individual speaking under Public Input is limited to three minutes. While all comments are welcome, the Council will not take action on any item not on the agenda. Because of the Rules that govern public meetings, Council is not permitted to speak in response to any issue raised that is a non-Agenda item. The Mayor may provide factual information in response, with the intention that the matter may be addressed at a later meeting. In addition, City Council may request that a particular non-Agenda item be placed on an upcoming Agenda, for consideration. Citizens should not construe Council's "silence" on an issue as an opinion, one way or the other, regarding that non-Agenda matter. Council simply cannot debate an item that is not on the Agenda, and therefore, they must simply listen to the feedback given during public input. If a citizen would like to speak or comment regarding an item that is on tonight's agenda, we ask that you wait until the agenda item is presented to the Council by the Mayor and the public is asked to comment by the Mayor.

Be advised, if a discussion item has an upcoming public hearing, we would request members of the public to reserve your comments until the public hearing. At the public hearing, the City Council will establish an official record that will include all of your comments, testimony, and written evidence.

### **General Items**

- 1. Appointment of Jason Gonzales as the Building Official.
- 2. Motion to allow Council Member Sparks to be absent from the City of Laurel for more than ten days. (LMC 2.12.060)
- 3. Public Works Committee Appointments(2 Vacancies, 0 Letters of Interest Received, No Term Limit)
- 4. Laurel Airport Authority Appointment(1 Vacancy, 1 Letter of Interest Received, 5 Year Term Limit)
- 5. Cemetery Commission Appointments(3 Vacancies, 1 Letters of Interest Received, 2 Year Term Limit)
- 6. City/County Planning Board Appointments(3 Vacancies, 2 Letters of Interest Received, 2 Year Term Limit)
- 7. Library Board Appointment(1 Vacancies, 0 Letters of Interest Received, 5 Year Term Limit)
- 8. Yellowstone Historic Preservation Board Appointment(1 Vacancies, 0 Letters of Interest Received, 2 Year Term Limit)

### **Executive Review**

- **9. Police:** Resolution A Resolution Of The City Council Authorizing The Mayor To Execute A Memorandum Of Agreement By And Between The City Of Laurel And Yellowstone City-County Health Department, D/B/A Riverstone Health.
- **10. Public Works:** Resolution A Resolution Of The City Council Authorizing The Mayor To Execute An Independent Contractor Service Contract With True North Contracting.
- **11. Public Works:** Resolution A Resolution Approving An Increase To The City Of Laurel's Water And Wastewater Rates And Charges To Become Effective On July 10, 2025.
- **12. Public Works:** Ordinance An Ordinance Repealing And Replacing Certain Sections Of Title 12 Of The Laurel Municipal Code Related To Tree Board And Park Board.

### **Council Issues**

# **Other Items**

#### Attendance at Upcoming Council Meeting

#### Announcements

The City makes reasonable accommodations for any known disability that may interfere with a person's ability to participate in this meeting. Persons needing accommodation must notify the City Clerk's Office to make needed arrangements. To make your request known, please call 406-628-7431, Ext. 5100, or write to City Clerk, PO Box 10, Laurel, MT 59044, or present your request at City Hall, 115 West First Street, Laurel, Montana.