



CITY OF MERCER ISLAND

CITY COUNCIL REGULAR HYBRID MEETING

Tuesday, October 06, 2026 at 5:00 PM

MERCER ISLAND CITY COUNCIL:

Mayor David Rosenbaum, Deputy Mayor Daniel Becker,
Councilmembers: Lisa Anderl, Julie Hsieh,
Craig Reynolds, Wendy Weiker, and Ted Weinberg

LOCATION & CONTACT:

MICEC – Slater Room Council Chambers and via Zoom
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MEETING AGENDA - REVISED

CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL, 5:00 PM

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

AGENDA APPROVAL

CITY MANAGER REPORT

APPEARANCES

(This is the opportunity for anyone to speak to the City Council on any item, except items before the City Council requiring a public hearing, any quasi-judicial matters, or campaign-related matters)

CONSENT AGENDA

1. AB 6998: September 10, 2026 Payroll Certification

Recommended Action: Approve the September 10, 2026 Payroll Certification in the amount of \$1,016,390.42 and authorize the Mayor to sign the certification on behalf of the entire City Council.

2. AB 7000: September 25, 2026 Payroll Certification

Recommended Action: Approve the September 25, 2026 Payroll Certification in the amount of \$1,048,477.54 and authorize the Mayor to sign the certification on behalf of the entire City Council.

3. City Council Regular Hybrid Meeting Minutes of September 15, 2026

Recommended Action: Approve the City Council Regular Hybrid Meeting Minutes of September 15, 2026.

4. AB 7001: Certification for Claims Paid August 28, 2026 through September 15, 2026

Recommended Action: Approve the August 28, 2026 through September 15, 2026 Accounts Payable Certification of Claims in the amount of \$2,576,333.01 and authorize the Mayor to sign the certification on behalf of the entire City Council.

5. AB 7002: Domestic Violence Awareness Month, Proclamation No. 398

Recommended Action: Approve Proclamation No. 398 proclaiming October 2026 as Domestic Violence Awareness Month on Mercer Island.

6. AB 7003: Arbor Day, Proclamation No. 399

Recommended Action: Approve Proclamation No. 399 proclaiming the fourth Saturday in October as Arbor Day on Mercer Island.

7. AB 7004: Indigenous Peoples' Day, Proclamation No. 400

Recommended Action: Approve Proclamation No. 400 proclaiming October 12, 2026 as Indigenous Peoples' Day on Mercer Island.

8. AB 7005: 2025 Asbestos Cement Water Main Replacement Project Bid Award

Recommended Action: Award the 2025 AC Water Main Replacement project to Kar-Vel Construction; authorize the City Manager to execute a contract with Kar-Vel Construction in an amount not to exceed \$3,246,075; and set the total project budget to \$4,753,322.

9. AB 7007: Ezee Fiber Franchise Agreement (Ord. No. 26-14, Second Reading)

Recommended Action: Adopt Ordinance No. 26-14, approving a telecommunications franchise agreement with Ezee Fiber.

10. AB 7008: Pressure Reducing Valve Station Replacements Project Phase 2 Bid Award

Recommended Action: Award Phase 2 of the PRV Station Replacements project to Fury Site Works Inc.; authorize the City Manager to execute a contract with Fury Site Works Inc. – a Washington-based corporation – in an amount not to exceed \$1,732,213; and set the total project budget at \$2,148,356.

11. AB 7010: MIYFS Foundation Donation Acceptance

Recommended Action: Accept the additional one-time donation of \$95,852 from the Mercer Island Youth and Family Services Foundation to hire a 0.6 FTE High School Counselor for the 2026-2027 school year and authorize the City Manager to sign the Funding Acceptance Agreement memorializing the donation.

12. AB 7017: ESHB 2015 Public Safety Grant Award

Recommended Action: Authorize the City Manager to accept a grant awarded in the amount of \$2,138,299 from the Washington State Criminal Justice Training Commission to support public safety initiatives within Mercer Island, execute the grant agreement, and accept all grant renewals as required.

REGULAR BUSINESS

13. AB 7009: Introduction to the 2027-2028 Preliminary Biennial Budget and Overview of the 2027-2032 Capital Improvement Program (CIP)

Recommended Action: Receive the 2027-2028 Preliminary Biennial Budget available at and provide feedback on the 2027-2032 CIP (see pages E-1 to E-132). No additional action required.

14. AB 7018: Discuss Potential Restructure of the Planning Commission – *Added 10/5/2026*

Recommended Action: Discuss the current structure of the Planning Commission and provide direction to the City Manager regarding potential changes and next steps.

OTHER BUSINESS

14. Planning Schedule

15. Councilmember Absences & Reports

EXECUTIVE SESSION – Approximately 60 Minutes

16. Pending or Potential Litigation

Executive Session to discuss with legal counsel pending or potential litigation pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(i)

ADJOURNMENT