CITY OF PAHOKEE



AGENDA

City Commission Regular Meeting Monday, September 08, 2025, at 6:00 PM

> Pahokee Commission Chambers 360 East Main Street Pahokee, Florida 33476

CITY COMMISSION:

Mayor Keith W. Babb, Jr.
Vice Mayor Sanquetta Cowan-Williams
Commissioner Isabelle J. McDonald
Commissioner Everett D. McPherson, Sr.
Commissioner James H. Scott

CHARTER OFFICERS:

Michael E. Jackson, City Manager Nylene Clarke, City Clerk Burnadette Norris-Weeks, P.A., City Attorney

[TENTATIVE: SUBJECT TO REVISION]

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- A. CALL TO ORDER
- B. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- C. ROLL CALL
- D. ADDITIONS OF EMERGENCY BASIS FROM CITY MANAGER, DELETIONS AND APPROVAL OF AGENDA ITEMS
- E. PRESENTATIONS / PROCLAMATIONS / PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS / PUBLIC COMMENTS (agenda items only)

(This section of the agenda allows for comments from the public to speak. Each speaker will be given a total of three (3) minutes to comment. A public comment card should be completed and returned to the City Clerk. When you are called to speak, please go to the podium or unmute your device, and prior to addressing the Commission, state your name and address for the record)

- 1. Executive Summary Presentation (Benefits Renewal 2025-2026) Samantha Ricchini, Benefits Consultant for Gehring Group
- 2. Property and Casualty Insurance Presentation (2025-26 Proposed Premium) Kyle Stoekel, Public Risk Advisor for Brown & Brown
- 3. Presentation of 20 Years of Service Plaque to Irving Croney
- 4. Presentation of FLC Certificate Program for Elected Municipal Officials 2024-2025 Mayor Babb, Vice Mayor Cowan-Williams, and Commissioner McPherson
- 5. Tentative Budget FY 2025-2026 Presentation Joseph R. Martin, Director of Finance
- F. CONSENT AGENDA
- **G. OLD BUSINESS** (discussion of existing activities or previously held events, if any)
- H. PUBLIC HEARINGS AND/OR ORDINANCES
 - 1. RESOLUTION 2025-52 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PAHOKEE, FLORIDA PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION AND FUNDING OF THE TENTATIVE MUNICIPAL BUDGET IN THE AMOUNT OF \$7,627,990.00 FOR THE CITY OF PAHOKEE, FLORIDA, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2025, AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2026; PROVIDING FOR ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.
 - 2. ORDINANCE 2025-01 (FIRST READING) AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PAHOKEE, FLORIDA; PROVIDING FOR THE CITY'S CONSENT TO THE INCLUSION OF THE ENTIRE TERRITORY WITHIN THE CITY OF PAHOKEE'S MUNICIPAL BOUNDARIES INTO PALM BEACH COUNTY'S FIRE/RESCUE MUNICIPAL SERVICE TAXING UNIT FOR FIRE-RESCUE, FIRE PROTECTION, ADVANCED LIFE SUPPORT (OR SIMILAR EMERGENCY SERVICES), FIRE CODE ENFORCEMENT AND OTHER NECESSARY AND INCIDENTAL SERVICES; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION; PROVIDING FOR INTENT, PURPOSE AND CONSENT; PROVIDING FOR EFFECTIVENESS AND DURATION OF CONSENT; PROVIDING FOR EFFECTIVENESS OF REPEAL; ACKNOWLEDGING AD VALOREM MILLAGE RATE LIMITATION; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR CAPTIONS; AND PROVIDING FOR EFFECTIVE DATE.

- I. RESOLUTION(S)
- **J. NEW BUSINESS** (presentation by city manager of activity or upcoming event, if any)
- K. REPORT OF THE MAYOR
- L. REPORT OF THE CITY MANAGER
 - 1. Update City Projects
- M. REPORT OF THE CITY ATTORNEY
- N. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS OF COMMISSIONERS, IF ANY
- **O. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENTS** (items not on the agenda)
- P. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS AND FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER (community events, feel good announcements, if any)
- Q. ADJOURN

Any citizen of the audience wishing to appear before the City Commission to speak with reference to any agenda or non-agenda item must complete the "Request for Appearance and Comment" form and present completed form to the City Clerk prior to commencement of the meeting.

Should any person seek to appeal any decision made by the City Commission with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, such person will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. (Reference: Florida Statutes 286.0105)

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