

CITY OF PAHOKEE



AGENDA

City Commission Regular Meeting

Tuesday, May 27, 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 Derrick Boldin
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. Proclamation - Declaring the First Friday in June to be National Gun Violence Awareness Day
- 2. Proclamations Recognizing Students for Earning a Level 5 on State Assessments (2023–2024)

Pahokee Elementary IB World School:

Alijah Cunningham – ELA, Math & Science

Nelson Figueroa – ELA & Math

Cameron Hilton – ELA & Math

Samaria Howard – ELA & Math

Christian Howze – ELA & Math

Taylor Wells – ELA & Math

K.E. Cunningham / Canal Point Elementary:

Sara Cid – ELA & Math

Carter Hill – ELA & Math

Jerkevious Woods – ELA & Math

Pahokee Middle Senior High (IB World School):

Joshua Alvarez – ELA & Math

Randy Arredondo – ELA & Math

William Baltazar – Biology, ELA & Geometry EOC

Xyllah Gibson – ELA & Math

Alfonso Orozco – ELA, Math & Civics

Kate Paniagua – ELA, Geometry & Civics

David Roa – ELA & U.S. History

Brandon Watson – ELA & Math

F. CONSENT AGENDA

1. May 13, 2025 City Commission Meeting Minutes

G. OLD BUSINESS *(discussion of existing activities or previously held events, if any)*

1. Update - City Projects
2. Follow-Up Discussion on Resolution 2025-29 – Independence Day Fireworks Display

H. PUBLIC HEARINGS AND/OR ORDINANCES

I. RESOLUTION(S)

J. NEW BUSINESS *(presentation by city manager of activity or upcoming event, if any)*

1. Discussion and direction for a Parks and Recreation Advisory Board Meeting by June 24, 2025 - Commissioner McPherson
2. Discussion and direction for cancellation of July 8, 2025 City Commission Meeting – City Commission Summer Recess (To bring back to June 10th Meeting if conceptually agreed upon)

K. REPORT OF THE MAYOR

L. REPORT OF THE CITY MANAGER

1. Update on request for HCT Certified Public Accountants and Consultants LLC to provide audit(s) update

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.

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