Mayor and City Council Regular Session

Tuesday, October 06, 2026 at 6:30 PM
City Hall, 875 Main Street, Stone Mountain, Georgia 30083

Agenda

Mayor and Council: Jelani Linder – Mayor | Post 3: Mayor Pro Tem Ryan Smith | Post 1: Council Member Anita Bass | Post 2: Council Member Mark Marianos | Post 4: Council Member Kay Nunez | Post 5: Council Member Hub Jordan | Post 6: Council Member Elaine Vaughn

Staff: Maggie Dimov - City Manager/Economic Development Director/DDA | Shavala Ames - City Clerk/Human Resources | Angela Couch - City Attorney

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Mission Statement: *The City of Stone Mountain serves our residents, businesses, and visitors by providing an enhanced quality of life and a unique sense of place, guided by trust and integrity.*

I. **Call to Order**
II. **Determination of Quorum**
III. **Invocation and Pledge**
IV. **Citizen Comments – Including comments from public/stakeholders (3 minutes per comment)**

Comments from the Public

The public comments are reserved exclusively for comments from the public and not for immediate reply. The purpose of public comment is to allow the public to voice city related requests, concerns or opinions only during the public comment portion of the City Council meeting. I. The Mayor and City Council reserves the right to extend or limit the length of public comments based on: (1) the issue under discussion; (2) the number of items on the agenda; and (3) the extent to which the speaker remains constructive in their comments and questions. II. The public may not directly confront the public speaker but must direct all comments and questions to the Mayor and City Council. III. Public harassment of or confrontation with a public speaker will not be tolerated. Members of the public violating tenets two or three will be asked to sit down or leave the premises.

The City appreciates your input and wants to hear from you. If you have a complaint or concerns about a particular person associated with the City, please contact the City Manager's office. Your public comments during a Council meeting may not be directed at or to any particular City representative, including but not limited to the Mayor, City Council members, or a member of City staff. If your presentation includes such comments, the City reserves the right to stop your presentation. During your public comment, if you use obscenities or vulgar or abusive language, yell, or point fingers, the City reserves the right to stop your presentation. During your public comment, if you physically approach any City representative or your presentation rises to the level of disorderly conduct, your public comment will be stopped.

V. **Review of the Journal (City Clerk)**

1. Consideration of an action on a request to approve September 9, 2026, meeting minutes, requested by the City Clerk Shavala Ames. **Goal - Governance**
2. Consideration of an action on a request to approve September 15, 2026, meeting minutes, requested by the City Clerk Shavala Ames. **Goal – Governance**

VI. **Reading of Communications**

VII. **Adoption of The Agenda of The Day**

VIII. **Council Policy Discussion Topics**

1. Discussion: Building Facility for the Public Works Department, requested by Mayor Pro Tem Smith
2. Discussion: Parks Improvements & Maintenance, requested by Council Member Kay Nunez
3. Discussion: Direction Regarding Coordinated Code Compliance, Public Safety, Cleanup, and Beautification Efforts Along Memorial Drive, requested by Councilmember Hub Jordan
4. Discussion: Direction Regarding Lawn on Main Operating Hours, requested by Councilmember Hub Jordan
5. Discussion: Local Food System Plan Program, requested by City Manager Maggie Dimov

IX. **Unfinished Business**

X. **New Business**

1. Consideration of an action on a request to appoint DDA Members, requested by Community Development Director Thatcher Hart. **Goal - Governance and Economic Development**
2. Consideration of an action on a request to increase Hotel/Motel Taxes to 8%, requested by City Manager Maggie Dimov. **Goal: Governance and Economic Development**

XI. **New Ordinances and Resolutions**

1. Resolution 2026-21 - LWCF Grant Acceptance (VFW Park), requested by City Manager Maggie Dimov. **Goal - Quality of Life, Governance**

XII. **Remarks of Privilege**

XIII. **Announcements by The Mayor**

XIV. **Executive Session to Discuss Personnel, Legal, Cyber Security and/or Real Estate (if needed)**

1. Personnel

XV. **Adjournment**