

Lowell City Council
Regular Meeting
Tuesday, August 15, 2023 at 7:00 pm

Lowell Rural Fire Protection District Fire Station 1
389 N. Pioneer Street, Lowell, OR 97452

Members of the public are encouraged to provide comment or testimony through the following:

- Joining in person or by phone, tablet, or PC. For details, click on the event at www.ci.lowell.or.us.
 - In writing, by using the drop box at Lowell City Hall, 107 East Third Street, Lowell, OR 97452.
 - By email to: admin@ci.lowell.or.us.
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Regular Meeting Agenda

Call to Order/Roll Call/Pledge of Allegiance

Councilors: Mayor Bennett ___ Harris ___ Stratis ___ Weathers ___ Murray ___

Approval of Agenda

Consent Agenda

Council members may request an item be removed from the Consent Agenda to be discussed as the first business item of the meeting.

1. May 2, 2023 City Council regular meeting
2. May 16, 2023 City Council regular meeting
3. June 6, 2023 City Council regular meeting
4. June 20, 2023 City Council regular meeting
5. June 27, 2023 City Council special meeting
6. July 18, 2023 City Council regular meeting
7. August 1, 2023 City Council regular meeting
8. July 2023 check register
9. June 2023 financial report

The meeting location is accessible to persons with disabilities. A request for an interpreter for the hearing impaired or other accommodations for persons with disabilities must be made at least 48 hours before the meeting to City Clerk Sam Dragt at 541-937-2157.

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Public Comments

Speakers will be limited to three (3) minutes. The Council may ask questions but will not engage in discussion or make decisions based on public comment at this time. The Mayor may direct the City Administrator to follow up on comments received. When called, please state your name and address for the record.

Direct all comments to the Council through the Mayor. All speakers are expected to be polite, courteous, and respectful when making their comments. Personal attacks, insults, profanity, and inflammatory comments will not be permitted.

Council Comments (three minutes per speaker)

Staff Reports

1. City Administrator
2. Public Works
3. Library Director
4. City of Oakridge – police report for July

Presentations

1. Discussion on 2023 legislative session.
 - a. Presentation by State Representative Charlie Conrad, House District 12
 - b. Questions and answers with City Council

Old Business

New Business

1. Review Budget Committee application from Joshua R. Annis. – Discussion/ Possible action
 - a. At this time, City Council may vote to appoint Joshua R. Annis to the Budget Committee.
2. Review Parks Committee application from Marisa (Meesa) Anders. – Discussion/ Possible action.
 - a. At this time, City Council may vote to appoint Marisa (Meesa) Anders to the Parks Committee.

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3. Motion to appoint Public Works Director Max Baker to serve as City Administrator pro tempore during the City Administrator's absence from August 30 to September 6. – Discussion/ Possible action
4. Motion to approve a memorandum of understanding with the Lowell/Fall Creek Education Foundation to accept a \$5,000 grant for caboose repairs and to authorize the City Administrator to sign. – Discussion/ Possible action

Mayor Comments

Community Comments: Limited to two (2) minutes if prior to 9:30 P.M.

Adjourn the Regular Meeting