



City of Laurel

401 N. 5th Avenue
Laurel, MS 39440
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Regular Meeting Agenda City Council

Tuesday, February 17, 2026

9:00 AM

Council Chambers

CALL TO ORDER

PRAYER

Councilperson Marian Allen

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- A. [ID 26-8153](#) February 3, 2026

Attachments: [CoL Minutes of 02032026](#)

1. CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA

2. PRESENTATION AGENDA

- A. [ID 26-8150](#) Monthly Report Privilege Taxes January 2026.

Attachments: [Cover Letter](#)
[BL Monthly Transaction Report - 7406](#)
[New Business License List](#)

3. PUBLIC AGENDA

A. PUBLIC HEARING

1. SET PUBLIC HEARING
2. CONDUCT PUBLIC HEARING

B. CITIZENS HEARING

C. CITIZENS FORUM

4. POLICY AGENDA

- A. [ID 26-8147](#) Consider adopting an Order Regarding Ratification of an Emergency Order for Implementation of Cloud-Based Records Management Software for Laurel Police Department.
- Attachments:* [ORDRatifyEMERGENCYOrderImplementCloud-BasedRecordsManagementSoftware](#)
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- B. [ID 26-8160](#) Consider adopting a Resolution granting authority to enter a professional services agreement for the Pendorf Water Improvements Phase I.
- Attachments:* [Resolution](#)
[Contract](#)
- C. [ID 26-8157](#) Consider adopting a Resolution granting the administration authority to advertise for construction of the Arco Lane Bridge Replacement Project.
- Attachments:* [RESOLUTION](#)
- D. [ID 26-8149](#) Consider adopting an Order to Ratify an Emergency Order for Repair of Euclid Park Canal.
- Attachments:* [ORDRatifyEMERGENCYOrderRepairEuclidParkCanal2.17.26](#)
[ORDRatifyEMERGENCYOrderRepairEuclidParkCanal2.17.26 EXHIBIT A](#)
- E. [ID 26-8148](#) Consider hearing the First Reading of an Ordinance to Close and Vacate a Road Right-of-Way on a Portion of Mill Street as Described on Exhibit “A”.
- Attachments:* [ORDINANCE Close and Vacate ROW on Portion of Mill Street, First Reading 2.](#)
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- F. [ID 26-8154](#) Consider adopting A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING TITLE TO REVERTED REAL PROPERTY PREVIOUSLY DONATED TO THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF NEGRO WOMEN.
- Attachments:* [RES Authorize Acceptance of Title to Reverted Property 2.17.26](#)
[RES Authorize Acceptance of Title to Reverted Property 2.17.26 Exhibit A](#)
[RES Authorize Acceptance of Title to Reverted Property 2.17.26 Exhibit B](#)
- G. [ID 26-8161](#) Consider adopting an Order amending the City of Laurel organizational chart and approving related classification and pay grade changes, effective retroactive to February 15, 2026.
- Attachments:* [Order Amending Organizational Chart – Police and Parks.docx](#)

- H. [ID 26-8156](#) Consider adopting an Order Appointing Louis Crumbley to the Board of Trustees of the Laurel Municipal Separate School District.

Attachments: [ORDAppSchoolBoardCrumbley2026](#)
[ORDAppSchoolBoardCrumbley2026.ExhibitA](#)

- I. [ID 26-8152](#) Consider adopting an Order Regarding the Appointment of Certain members to the City of Laurel's Tree Board.

Attachments: [ORDERAppointTreeBoardGroup2026](#)
[ORDERAppointTreeBoardGroup2026.ExhibitA](#)
[ORDERAppointTreeBoardGroup2026.ExhibitB](#)

- J. [ID 26-8151](#) Consider adopting a Resolution Regarding Creation of the Laurel Sports Hall of Fame Committee.

Attachments: [RES Appoint Sports Hall of Fame Committee 2.17.26](#)

- K. [ID 26-8159](#) Consider adopting an Order to approve certain budget amendments to FY 2026 budget.

Attachments: [Budget Amendment Order](#)
[Budget Amendment List](#)

- L. [ID 26-8155](#) Consider adopting an Order to approve in-state travel for City Clerk/Finance Director, Kristal Jones, and Deputy Clerk, Katira Hammett, to attend the 2026 Spring Municipal Clerk Conference in Starkville, MS on April 29 - May 01, 2026.

Attachments: [Order - Travel Starkville MS Spring Conference](#)

- M. [ID 26-8163](#) Consider adopting an Order to approve Demolition Assessments for the following properties:

A. Demolition of property assessed to Karlee Henderson, at 1113 Mississippi Ave. Total cost, including \$50.00 administrative fee, \$26.00 recording fee, and \$ 53.00 judgement fee \$5, 119.00 Ward 4

B. Demolition of property assessed to Willie Davis Cooley, at 201 Flora Ave. Total cost, including \$50.00 administrative fee, \$26.00 recording fee, and \$ 53.00 judgement fee \$5, 119.00 Ward 5

Attachments: [Demo Assessments 021726](#)
[Demo Assessments 021726-02102026112740](#)

5. ROUTINE AGENDA

- A. [ID 26-8162](#) Consider adopting an Order to Ratify Approval of notice for March 12, 2026 for a Planning & Zoning Commission public hearing meeting.

Attachments: [ORDER planning commission 031226](#)

- B. [ID 26-8158](#) Consider adopting a Resolution to approve the Claims Docket.

Attachments: [Claims Docket Resolution 02.17.2026](#)

[WARRANT FEBRUARY 17 2026](#)

[CLAIMS DOCKET FEBRUARY 17 2026](#)

EXECUTIVE SESSION