

City of Alexandria

*301 King St., Room 2400
Alexandria, VA 22314*



Action Docket - Final

Tuesday, October 28, 2025

5:30 PM

City Council will hold a closed executive session beginning at 5:30 p.m. The regular meeting will start at 7:00 p.m., or shortly thereafter.

City Council Legislative Meeting

The October 28, 2025 Legislative Meeting of the Alexandria City Council is being held in the Council Chamber (301 King Street, Alexandria, Virginia, 22314) and electronically. Members of the City Council and staff are participating either in-person or from a remote location through a video conference call on Zoom webinar. The meeting can be accessed by government channel 70, streaming on the City's website, and can be accessed via Zoom by the following link:

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Meeting Agenda and Live Webcast

The meeting will be webcast live and video and audio recordings will be available a few days after the meeting.

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el Secretario de la Ciudad y el Secretario del Consejo en gloria.sitton@alexandriava.gov o al 703.746.4550. Le solicitamos que proporcione un aviso de 48 horas para que se puedan hacer los arreglos necesarios. Por favor, especifique el idioma de traducción cuando realice la solicitud.

I. OPENING

1. Calling the Roll.

Mayor Gaskins called the meeting to order and the City Clerk called the roll. All members of Council were present.

2. Approval of Electronic Participation Resolution (if needed).

Not Needed.

3. Closed Session.

[26-0298](#)

Executive Session - Virginia Code section 2.2-3711 (A)(6), (A)(7), and (A)(8) Discussion or consideration of the investment of public funds where competition or bargaining is involved, where, if made public initially, the financial interest of the governmental unit would be adversely affected; consultation with legal counsel concerning actual litigation where such consultation or briefing in open meeting would adversely affect the negotiating or litigating posture of the public body and consultation with legal counsel regarding specific legal matters pertaining to the Green Building Policy requiring the provision of legal advice by such counsel.
[ROLL-CALL VOTE]

City Council convened in closed executive session at 5:32 p.m., pursuant to Virginia Code section 2.2-3711 (A)(6), (A)(7), and (A)(8) Discussion or consideration of the investment of public funds concerning WMATA where competition or bargaining is involved, where, if made public initially, the financial interest of the governmental unit would be adversely affected; consultation with legal counsel concerning actual litigation where such consultation or briefing in open meeting would adversely affect the negotiating or litigating posture of the public body and consultation with legal counsel regarding specific legal matters pertaining to the Green Building Policy and enforcement of immigration laws requiring the provision of legal advice by such counsel

Councilman Elnoubi stated the following disclosure: "Due to my employment with WMATA, I have a personal interest in one of the matters to be discussed in closed session. This matter applies solely to WMATA, a business or governmental agency in which I have a personal interest, and the enumerated legal exceptions are not applicable in this instance. As such, I am disqualified from attending any portion of a closed session in which it will be discussed or discussing the matter with other

governmental officers or employees at any time.”

City Council reconvened in open session at 7:04 p.m.

Councilman Elnoubit stated the following: “I am abstaining from this vote due to the fact that I did not participate or attend the entire closed session due to my previous disclosure. For the portions where I was present only public business matters that are lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements and were identified in the motion to convene the closed session were heard, discussed, or considered.”

The City Council adopted the resolution regarding the closed executive session that was previously circulated to Council. (RES. NO. 3327)

II. Opening Matters

4. Moment of Silence and Pledge of Allegiance

City Council observed a moment of silence and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

III. Proclamations and Recognitions

5. [26-0296](#)

Presentation of Proclamation Recognizing the Winners of the 2025 Ben Brenman Award.

City council endorsed the proclamation.

6. [26-0297](#)

Presentation of Proclamation Recognizing October 23 - 31, 2025 as Red Ribbon Week.

City Council endorsed the proclamation.

IV. Oral Reports

7. City Council on Boards, Commissions, and Committees

[26-0359](#)

Oral Reports from Members of City Council on Boards, Commissions, and Committees:

*City Council/School Board Subcommittee (Mayor Gaskins and Councilman Chapman)

*Waterfront Commission (Vice Mayor Bagley)

*Virginia Railway Express (Vice Mayor Bagley)

City Council gave the reports.

8. City Council Member General Updates

City Council gave the community updates.

9. City Manager Oral Report

[26-0288](#)

Update and Analysis of the City's Parking Enforcement Pilot Program.

City staff gave a presentation on the pilot parking enforcement program and received input from Council on how to proceed with the program and requested additional information on the pilots program.

V. Action Docket**Roll-Call Consent Items (10-14)**

10. [26-0239](#) Consideration of a Resolution to Support Arlington County's Northern Virginia Transportation Authority 70% application for the South Glebe Road and West Glebe Road Intersection.
11. [26-0294](#) Consideration of the Department of Community and Human Services (DCHS) Center for Economic Support (CES) Grant Application to the Mayors Alliance to End Childhood Hunger, Mayors Action Fund.
12. [26-0303](#) Receipt of Annual and Attendance Reports for Council Appointed Boards, Commissions, and Committees from July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025.
13. [26-0355](#) Consideration of a Resolution to Support a Grant Application to the United States Conference of Mayors Healthy and Sustainable Communities Grant
14. [26-0346](#) Consideration of a Resolution to Support a Grant Application to the Virginia Community Flood Preparedness Fund Program to continue to fund the design and professional services for the Waterfront Flood Mitigation Project. [ROLL-CALL VOTE]

City Council approved the roll-call consent calendar. The approvals were as follows:

10. City Council adopted the resolution to support the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority (NVTA) 70% application from Arlington County for Intersection Improvements at South Glebe and West Glebe Road. (RES. NO. 3328)

11. City Council: (1) retroactively approved the Department of Community and Human Services (DCHS) to apply for the Mayors Alliance Action Fund to End Child Hunger Mayors Action Fund grant; (2) authorized the City Manager, if awarded, the acceptance of the grant award in the amount of up to \$25000 for the duration of 12 months with no match required, to design and launch the Care Connector initiative; (3) retroactively approved the City Manager to accept an additional \$10,000 grant on behalf of the City; and (4) authorized the City Manager to execute all necessary documents that may be

required

12. City Council received the reports from Council-appointed boards, commissions and committees from July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025. The request also includes consideration of removal of members who have not met the 75% meeting attendance requirement.

13. City Council: (a) approved the resolution directing the City Manager to authorize the application of a grant from the United States Conference of Mayors for \$198,694.80, with a second option; and (b) authorized the City Manager to execute all the necessary documents that may be required. (RES. NO. 3329)

14. City Council :City Council: (1) approved the resolution directing the City Manager to authorize the development and submittal of a competitive grant application to DCR for a grant request and potential award of up to \$7.5 million for the design activities cost associated with the City's Waterfront Flood Mitigation Project ("Project") from the Round 6 Virginia Community Flood Preparedness Fund; (2) authorized the City Manager to enter into any agreements that may be required to receive these funds should the requested allocations be approved; (3) authorized the City Manager to provide the assurances, certifications, and commitments required for the financial assistance application including executing a financial assistance agreement with DCR and Virginia Resources Authority and any amendments or changes thereto; and (4) authorized the City Manager to commit to fund the local share of engineering and construction costs (as applicable) for remaining planning and design costs of the Project covered under the grant award. (RES. NO. 3330)

VI. Individual Action Items (Roll-Call Vote)

15. [26-0293](#) Request for Release of Contingency Funds for DOT Paratransit Program.
- City Council released and allocated \$513,055 of Contingent Reserves for DOT Paratransit in FY 2026.*

VII. Other Business

16. [26-0299](#) Consideration of City Council Schedule.
- City Council: (1) approved the City Council Look Ahead; and (2) received the City Council Calendar from October 2025 - June 2026.*

17. Closed Session (cont.)(If needed)

Not needed.

18. Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:02 p.m.

NOTE: The action docket is a summary of Council's meeting deliberations prepared

largely for staff follow-up. Formal minutes of the meeting, when approved by Council become the official record of the meeting of Council decisions made at the meeting.