

**City of Hastings**  
COUNTY OF BARRY, STATE OF MICHIGAN

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**City Council Agenda**  
**September 22, 2025**

1. Regular meeting called to order at 7:00 PM
2. Roll call
3. Pledge to the flag
- √ 4. Approval of the agenda
- √ 5. Approval of the minutes of the September 8, 2025, regular meeting
- √ 6. Public Hearings: (None)
7. Public Comment:
8. Formal Recognitions and Presentations:
  - A. Presentation from Dave Hatfield, Barry County Commissioner.
  - B. Presentation from Gino Lucci, Hastings/Barry County Airport Manager.
- √ 9. Items for Action by Unanimous Consent:
  - \* A. Consider casting a ballot for Michelle LaVoy and Josh Meringa to serve three-year terms on the MML Liability & Property Pool Board.
- √ 10. Items of Business:
  - \* A. Consider approval of, under direction of staff, the Downtown Business Connection request to hold the Fall Girls Night Out event on **Thursday, October 9, 2025, from 5:00 PM until 8:00 PM** and consent to the closure of South Jefferson Street between State Street and Court Street.
  - \* B. Consider approval of, under direction of staff, the Hastings Student Council's request to conduct the annual Homecoming Parade on city streets located near Hastings High School on **Friday, October 10, 2025, from 5:30 PM to 6:00 PM.**
  - \* C. Consider approval of, under direction of staff, St. Rose of Lima's request to hold the annual 5K Fun Run to be held on **May 2, 2026, from 10:00 AM until 11:30 PM.**
  - \* D. Consider approval of the replacement of storm sewer on S. Boltwood St. from Baker Excavating for **\$17,300.**

- \* E. Consider approval of the shared purchase of a PortaCount Model 8048 Respirator Fit Tester for the shared cost of **\$5,800.**
- \* F. Consider authorization of the purchase of a new radar trailer, along with a portable radar sign, from All Traffic Solutions, Inc. for the total amount of **\$17,132.12.**
- \* G. Consider authorization of the purchase of four new Taser Model 10s, and sign contract with Axon Enterprise for the next five years of service, in the total amount of **\$40,780.**
- \* H. Consider accepting the proposal by Progressive Companies for the W. State Street Corridor Plan in the amount of **\$48,450.**
- 11. Staff Presentations and Policy Discussions:
  - A. Pedestrian Crossing Survey Results
- 12. City Manager Report:
  - \* A. Police Chief Boulter Monthly Report
  - \* B. City Clerk/Treasurer Perin Monthly Financial Reports
  - \* C. Community Development Director King Monthly Report
  - \* D. Department of Public Services Street Superintendent Neil Report
- ✓ 13. Reports and Communications:
  - \* A. Downtown Development Authority DRAFT Meeting Minutes – September 18, 2025.
- 14. Public Comment:
- 15. Mayor and Council comment:
- ✓ 16. Closed Session:
  - A. Consider recessing to closed session at the conclusion of regular business as permitted under Section 8 (1)(a) of the Michigan Open Meetings Act for the periodic personnel evaluation of the City Manager, at the Manager's request.
- ✓ 17. Adjourn:
- \* Items with enclosures.
- ✓ Motion under agenda heading requires roll call vote.

### Guidelines for Public Comment

Public Comment is welcomed and appreciated. Please follow these simple guidelines to ensure all have an opportunity to be heard.

All comments and questions will be made through the chair. All comments will be made in a courteous and civil manner; profanity and personal attacks will not be tolerated. Please limit the length of your comments to 3 minutes. If you are a member of a group, please appoint a spokesperson to speak on behalf of the group (those speaking on behalf of a group may be provided additional time). Please state your name before offering comment.