

City Council Agenda
February 23, 2026

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 February 9, 2026, regular meeting
- √ 6. Public Hearings: (None)
7. Public Comment:
8. Formal Recognitions and Presentations:
 - A. Rain Garden Presentation, Barry Conservation District
- √ 9. Items for Action by Unanimous Consent:
 - * A. Consider approving, under direction of staff, WBCB Radio to conduct the 20th annual St. Patrick's Day parade on **Tuesday, March 17, 2026, starting at 4:00 PM.**
 - * B. Consider approving the Rotary/Kiwanis Concession Sales and Beer and Wine Sales Agreements.
 - * C. Consider approving, under the direction of staff, the Hastings Public Library to conduct an Explore a Vehicle event in City Parking Lot #3 from **2:00 PM to 4:00 PM on Wednesday, June 17, 2026.**
 - * D. Consider approving the Thornapple Arts Council to accept donations and sell merchandise at the Thornapple Place during the Thornapple Arts Council Jazz Festival to be held **April 23, 2026, through April 25, 2026,** and the Hastings Live programming season from **June 3, 2026, through August 29, 2026.**
 - * E. Receive and place on file eighteen (18) invoices totaling **\$250,842.56.**
- √ 10. Items of Business:
 - * A. Consider approving the invoice from Peerless Midwest for the repair of Well 3 for **\$17,922.38.**

- * B. Consider awarding the 2026-2027 city mowing and maintenance contract to Lansing Real Green Lawn Care, in the amount of **\$84,800** for 2026 and **\$87,344** for 2027.
 - 11. Staff Presentations and Policy Discussions (None)
 - 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
 - √ 13. Reports and Communications:
 - * A. 2025 Police Department Annual Report
 - * B. Downtown Development Authority DRAFT Meeting Minutes – February 19, 2026
 - 14. Public Comment:
 - 15. Mayor and Council comment:
 - √ 16. 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.