City of Hastings

COUNTY OF BARRY, STATE OF MICHIGAN

City Council Agenda
October 26, 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 October 12, 2026, regular meeting

√ 6. Public Hearings: (None)

7. Public Comment:

8. Formal Recognitions and Presentations:

   A. Presentation from Rachel Frantz, Barry Conservation District, for a Rain Garden update.

√ 9. Items for Action by Unanimous Consent:

* B. Receive and place on file twenty (20) invoices totaling **$959,369.12**.

√ 10. Items of Business:

* A. Consider approving, under direction of staff, a request from Linda Robinson, DVM, to conduct an annual Santa Paws event at Bob King Park **on either Saturday, December 5, 2026 or Saturday, December 12, 2026,** from **10:00 AM until 1:00 PM** and adoption of **Resolution 2026-16** staying Section 58-38 (g) (m) of the Municipal Code.

* B. Consider approving, under direction of staff, the request from the Jingle and Mingle Committee to hold the Hastings Jingle and Mingle Event on **Friday, December 4, Saturday, December 5, and Sunday, December 6, 2026,** in downtown Hastings, and adoption of **Resolution 2026-17** staying the necessary ordinances.

* C. Consider the YMCA Recreation Agreement for 2027-2029.

* D. Consider approving the purchase of spare cutting edges from Truck and Trailer of Dutton for **$5,073.88.**

* E. Consider approving the purchase of a Circle Air PPE/equipment dryer from Moses Fire Equipment Inc. for **$11,320.**

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. Downtown Development Authority DRAFT Meeting Minutes – October 16, 2026
* B. Zoning Board of Appeals Meeting Minutes – October 20, 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.