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REGULAR MEETING

THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF TRUTH OR CONSEQUENCES, NEW MEXICO, TO BE HELD IN THE COMMISSION CHAMBERS, 405 W. 3RD ST., ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13, 2025; TO START AT 9:00 A.M.

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. INTRODUCTION

1. ROLL CALL

Hon. Rolf Hechler, Mayor
Hon. Amanda Forrister, Mayor Pro-Tem
Hon. Destiny Mitchell, Commissioner
Hon. Merry Jo Fahl, Commissioner
Hon. Ingo Hoeppe, Commissioner

2. SILENT MEDITATION

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

C. PRESENTATIONS

1. Verizon Wireless Upgrade Presentation. Angelique Williams, Technology Advisor, SLED
2. MainStreet Wayfinding Plan Update. Amy Bell/Cam and Julia Wilde, Revitalization Specialists from New Mexico MainStreet
3. Sanitation Fleet Presentation. Wes Myers, Sanitation Supervisor

D. PUBLIC COMMENT (3 Minute Rule Applies)

E. REPORTS

1. City Manager
 - a. Police Department Update.
 - b. Department Head Report
2. City Commission
3. City Attorney

F. CONSENT CALENDAR

1. City Commission Regular Minutes, July 9, 2025
2. City Commission Regular Minutes, July 23, 2025
3. City Commission Special Minutes, July 30, 2025
4. Acknowledge Regular Lodgers Advisory Board Minutes, June 23, 2025
5. July 2025 Accounts Payable

G. ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS/ZONING

1. Discussion/Action: Resolution No. 09 25/26 for fees and regulations for the use of city canopy tents. City Manager Whitehead
2. Discussion/Action: Publication of Ordinance No. 771 amending Chapter 3 of the Municipal Code of Ordinances pertaining to animals. Tyler Knull, Code Enforcement Officer

H. NEW BUSINESS

1. Discussion/Action: Special Use Permit and Variance request for 400-406 VanPatten for the development of a Recreational Vehicle Park. Assistant City Manager Alvarez
2. Discussion/Action: Request for Extension of Variance at 1095 E. Riverside. Assistant City Manager Alvarez
3. Discussion/Action: New Mexico Capital Outlay Grant Agreement 25-J3166 Animal Shelter Renovation Project. Assistant City Manager Alvarez
4. Discussion/Action: New Mexico Capital Outlay Grant Agreement 25-J3167 Police Dept. Renovation Project. Assistant City Manager Alvarez
5. Discussion/Action: PNC Building 2024 Property Tax. City Manager Whitehead
6. Discussion/Action: FY 25 Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Grant Funds Award Letter. City Manager Whitehead
7. Discussion/Action: Approval of Purchase Requisitions over \$60,000. Jocelyn Holguin, Finance Director
 - a. Contract #2025-06-005 Highland Enterprises Inc.-ITB #2025-06-005 Ralph Edwards Park Boat Ramp and Dock Award.
 - b. Lonestar Freightliner Group LLC-CES-Direct Purchase- Sanitation/Solid Waste.
8. Discussion/Action: MOU between the City of Truth or Consequences Public Library and the Geronimo Springs Alternative Pathway Program for the use of the Gardner Learning Center. City Clerk Torres
9. Discussion/Action: Re-appointment of Angie D. Torres to the Library Advisory Board. City Clerk Torres
10. Discussion/Action: Re-appointment of Don Armijo to the Public Utility Advisory Board. City Clerk Torres
11. Discussion/Action: Re-appointment of Gil Avelar to the Public Utility Advisory Board. City Clerk Torres
12. Discussion/Action: Review, Approve and/or Allocate Funds to the Veterans Memorial Park & Museum for Billboard Advertisement. City Clerk Torres
13. Discussion/Action: Review, Approve and/or Allocate Funds to MainStreet Truth or Consequences for the Redefine Marketing Campaign. City Clerk Torres
14. Discussion/Action: Review, Approve and/or Allocate Funds to the Sierra County Rock & Gem Society for the 2026 Rock & Gem Show. City Clerk Torres
15. Discussion/Action: Review, Approve and/or Allocate Funds to the Sierra County Rock & Gem Society for application 2 of the 2026 Rock & Gem Show. City Clerk Torres

I. ADJOURNMENT

**The meeting will be streamed through Facebook Live on the City of Truth or Consequences
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NEXT REGULAR CITY COMMISSION MEETING AUGUST 27, 2025, AT 4:00 P.M.