



City of Roanoke, Virginia

CITY COUNCIL RECESSED SESSION

May 11, 2026
2:00 PM
City Council Chamber
215 Church Avenue, SW

AGENDA

The City of Roanoke is a safe, caring and economically vibrant community in which to live, learn, work, play and prosper. A vibrant urban center with strong neighborhoods set amongst the spectacular beauty of Virginia's Blue Ridge.

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1. CALL TO ORDER - ROLL CALL. All present. Vice-Mayor McGuire arrived at 2:02 pm.

The Invocation was delivered by Mayor Joseph L. Cobb.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mayor Cobb.

Statement of Purpose. Mayor Cobb.

Mayor Cobb advised that City Council would be adopting measures in connection with the City's Recommended 2026 - 2027 Fiscal Year Budget, which takes effect July 1, 2026.

2. INTRODUCTION AND CONSIDERATION OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS:

A Certificate of the Interim Director of Finance advising that funds required for the 2026–2027 General, Stormwater Utility, Civic Facilities, Parking, Risk Management, School General, School Food and Grant Fund budgets will be available for appropriation, for the fiscal year July 1, 2026, and ending June 30, 2027.

No action taken.

1. Reaffirmation of Real Estate Tax Rate.
Adopted Ordinance No. 43385-051126. (6-1, Council Member Hagen voted no)
2. Adoption of FY 2027 Fee Compendium.
Adopted Ordinance No. 43386-051126. (7-0)

3. Adoption of Annual General, Stormwater Utility, Civic Facilities, Parking, Risk Management School General, School Food Services and Grant Fund appropriations for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026, and ending June 30, 2027.

Adopted Ordinance No. 43387-051126. (5-2, Vice-Mayor McGuire and Council Member Hagen voted no)

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4. Endorsement of the Capital Improvement Program Update FY2027 – FY2031.

Adopted Resolution No. 43390-051126. (6-1, Vice-Mayor McGuire voted no)

5. Adoption of a Pay Plan for officers, employees, Council-appointed officers and Constitutional Officers of the City; and authorization for certain salary adjustments and merit increases and monthly stipends for certain board and commission members, effective July 1, 2026.

Adopted Ordinance No. 43391-051126. (6-1, Vice-Mayor McGuire voted no)

3. **ADJOURNED - 2:23 pm.**