

CITY COUNCIL MEETING MONDAY, JULY 7, 2025 - 7:00 P.M. CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS 110 N. POPLAR ST., WEST BRANCH, IOWA

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- 1. Call to order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Roll call
- 4. Welcome
- 5. Approve Agenda. /Move to action. (This is the time to approve the agenda as presented or amend the agenda (such as tabling items). Amendments or changes to the agenda require a motion, second and a full council vote.
- 6. Approve Consent Agenda/Move to action.
 - a. Approve minutes from the June 16, 2025 City Council meeting.
 - b. Approve a Class C Retail Alcohol license for Mexico Lindo, 711 S. Downey Street, West Branch. Pending DRAM
 - c. Approve a Special Class C Retail Alcohol (BW), 5-day license for the West Branch Firefighters Inc. (in conjunction with Hoover's Hometown Days 2025).
 - d. Approve a Special Event Permit for Izzy's Basement Sale at Heritage Square on Friday, July 11th and Saturday, July 12th.
 - e. Approve the Monthly Financial Report for May 2025.
 - f. Approve Claims for July 7, 2025.
- 7. Presentations/Communications/Open Forum
 - a. Parks and Rec Commission Member Naming of the Pocket Park Area
 - b. John Segreto Denied Building Permit Clarification
- 8. Public Hearings/Non-Consent Agenda
 - a. **Third Reading Ordinance 829** Amending Chapter 165 of the Code of Ordinances by incorporating Residential Livability Flexible Front Yard Allowances. / Move to action.
 - **b.** Resolution 2025-76 Approving a Liability Insurance Proposal with Iowa Communities Assurance Pool (ICAP). / Move to action.
 - **c. Resolution 2025-77** Approve a Final Disposition of a Utility Bill for 320 S 1st St, West Branch. / Move to action.
 - **d.** Resolution 2025-78 Approving a revised Agreement for solid waste and recycling collection services with Lakeshore Recycling Services LLC. / Move to action.
 - **e. Resolution 2025-79** Hiring Harrison Goodale as a Streets Maintenance Worker for the City of West Branch, Iowa, and setting the salary for the position for Fiscal Year 2026.
 - **f. Resolution 2025-80** Setting a public hearing on the plans, specifications, estimate of cost and form of contract; ordering bids and directing notice of the same; all for the srf wrr21-008 sponsored project flood improvements channel widening..

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Greg Hall · Public Works Director Matt Goodale · Library Director Jessica Schafer

9. Discussion – Open Container Request from HHTD Committee
10. City Administrator Report
11. City Attorney Report
12. City Engineer Report

- 13. City Staff Reports14. Comments from Mayor and Council Members
- 15. Motion to adjourn.

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