

**CITY OF ELIZABETHTON, TENNESSEE
CITY COUNCIL - REGULAR SESSION
THURSDAY, JULY 9, 2026 MEETING
AGENDA**

1. CALL TO ORDER BY THE MAYOR

- A. - Invocation - Lucas Murphy, East Side Christian Church
- Pledge Allegiance To The Flag

2. ROLL CALL BY THE CITY CLERK

3. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

- A. **Minutes of the Previous Meeting**

4. PROCLAMATIONS/RECOGNITION OF CITIZENS BY THE MAYOR

- A. Special Presentation by State Representative Renea Jones honoring Rev. Travis Tyler on his receipt of the Governor's Volunteer Stars Award as Chair of the Carter County Long-Term Recovery Group and for his work following the 2024 Hurricane Helene flooding disaster.

5. COMMENTS FROM CITIZENS If you wish to make a comment to the City Council, please approach the lectern and state your name and address. Please keep comments limited to 3 minutes.

6. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE CITY MANAGER

- A. **City Manager's Monthly Departmental Reports & Miscellaneous Reports.**

7. APPOINTMENT OF BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES

- A. **Boards, Committees and Commission Appointments - Bonnie Kate Theatre Board - 1 Regular Term - Wastewater Regulations Board - 1 Council Representative Term**

8. REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES, MEMBERS OF COUNCIL AND OTHER OFFICERS

9. CONSENT AGENDA

- A. **Resolution for a three (3) year contract with Johnson Controls Fire Protection LP. for annual inspection of the Sprinkler System and the Backflow Preventer located at the Bonnie Kate Theater.**
- B. **Resolution to Approve 2026 School Resource Officer Agreement with Elizabethton City Schools and Grant from the State of Tennessee.**
- C. **Resolution to approve a grant contract with the Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration Office of Criminal Justice Programs for the Project Safe Neighborhoods Grant Program.**

- D. Ordinance to Consider on First Reading City of Elizabethton 2026/2027 Budget Ordinance Amendment #1 for the General Fund Regarding the Project Safe Neighborhood Grant.
- E. Road Closure Request for Elizabethton Parks and Recreation's Covered Bridge Jams Presents: Rockin' on the Doe
- F. Road Closure Request for Douglas Park Back to School Bash
- G. Road Closure Request for Elizabethton Parks and Recreation's Covered Bridge Jams: Hometown Heroes Event
- H. Request to sell surplus items utilizing online auction (GovDeals).
- I. Resolution to Approve a Utility Relocation Contract with the Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) Regarding Smalling Road Bridge
- J. Resolution to approve bid award and contract to Tri City Locating and Excavating for Underground Utility Locating for the Water Resources Department.
- K. Resolution to Approve an Amended Grant Contract Between the Tennessee Emergency Management Agency (TEMA) and the City of Elizabethton for Public Assistance from Tropical Storm Helene.

10. OLD BUSINESS

11. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Resolution Adopting and Accepting the Tax Year 2026 Certified Tax Rate Calculation from the State of Tennessee, State Board of Equalization, in the Amount of Ninety-Three (\$.93) Cents.
- B. Resolution to Approve Asphalt Street Resurfacing Contract for Fiscal Year 2026-2027
- C. Ordinance on First Reading to Amend the City of Elizabethton Municipal Code Section 14-205(14)(a), Regarding Sidewalks
- D. Resolution to approve a Bid Award and Five (5) year contract for Electrical Circuit Tree Trimming to Dark Horse Vegetation
- E. Resolution to Approve Change Order No. 1 to the Contract Between Schweitzer Engineering Laboratories (SEL) Engineering Services, Inc. and Elizabethton Electric Regarding Substation SCADA Upgrades.
- F. Ordinance to Consider on First Reading City of Elizabethton 2026/2027 Budget Ordinance Amendment #1 for the Electric Fund Regarding SCADA Upgrades for the Elizabethton Electric Department.
- G. Resolution to approve a Contract between the City of Elizabethton Electric

Department and Liberty Power Service, Inc. for Voltage Regulator Maintenance

- H. Ordinance to Consider on First Reading City of Elizabethton 2026/2027 Budget Ordinance Amendment #2 for the General Fund Regarding Funding from the State of Tennessee Aiding in Tropical Storm Helene Recovery Efforts.

12. **PURCHASES, EXPENSES AND BIDS**

- A. Purchases, Bids and Expenses for the month of June 2026

13. **ADJOURNMENT**