

**CITY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA  
THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, 2026 – 6:00 P.M.  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS – CITY HALL  
CITY OF OCEAN CITY, NEW JERSEY**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE & MOMENT OF SILENCE**

**ROLL CALL**

**OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT ANNOUNCEMENT**

**REPORTS – MAYOR & ADMINISTRATION**

**CITIZEN COMMENT**

**REPORTS – CITY COUNCIL**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**RESOLUTIONS – CONSENT AGENDA:**

**ALL RESOLUTIONS LISTED BELOW ARE CONSIDERED TO BE ROUTINE IN NATURE AND ENACTED BY ONE MOTION. IF THE MAYOR OR ANY COUNCILPERSON WISHES A PARTICULAR RESOLUTION TO BE CONSIDERED SEPARATELY, IT WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA**

- 1) **26-29-** A Resolution Authorizing a Contract between the City of Ocean City and the Jersey Cape Diagnostic, Training & Opportunity Center, Inc. for the Manufacture & Supply of Beach Tags for the 2026 Calendar Year
- 2) **26-30-** A Resolution Authorizing the Award of a Professional Services Contract to Ridgway Legal as Special Legal Counsel for City Council of the City of Ocean City
- 3) **26-31-** A Resolution Authorizing the Award of a Professional Services Contract to Thomas G. Smith, P.C. for Special Legal Counsel for Tax Appeals for Calendar Year 2026
- 4) **26-32-** A Resolution Authorizing Change Order #1 to City Contract #25-18, 2025 - 2026 Back Bay Mechanical Dredging with ResilientSeas, LLC
- 5) **26-33-** A Resolution Authorizing the Second and Final Extension of City RFP Q-24-01, City Physician Services for the City of Ocean City
- 6) **26-34-** A Resolution Authorizing the Second and Final Extension of City Contract #24-12, Installation, Removal & Storage of City Owned Holiday Decorations for Various Locations
- 7) **26-35-** A Resolution Authorizing the First Extension of City Competitive Contract #25-05 R-1, Vending Machine Concession Services for the City of Ocean City & the Ocean City Free Public Library to Big Time Vending
- 8) **26-36-** A Resolution Authorizing the Award of City Contract #25-06, Supply & Delivery of Beach Patrol Uniforms and Accessories
- 9) **26-37-** A Resolution Designating the Ocean City Sentinel and the Press of Atlantic City as Official Newspapers
- 10) **26-38-** A Resolution Consenting to the Mayor's Reappointment of Calvin Peck as Member to the Ocean City Lifeguard Pension Fund
- 11) **26-39-** A Resolution Authorizing the Release of Maintenance Guarantee for a Construction Project at 130 & 136 West Avenue, Block 109 Lot(s) 17 & 18; Project #22-101PBA
- 12) **26-40-** Authorizing the Release of Maintenance Guarantee for a Construction Project at 106 12<sup>th</sup> Street, Block 1207 Lot(s) 10; Project #22-007PBA
- 13) **26-41-** Authorizing the Release of Maintenance Guarantee for a Construction Project at 400 West Surf Road, Block 70.18 Lot(s) 12; Project #20-0104PBA
- 14) **26-42-** Authorizing the Release of Maintenance Guarantee for a Construction Project at 1357 Asbury Avenue, Block 1304 Lot(s) 2; Project #21-019PBA
- 15) **26-43-** A Resolution Authorizing the Payment of Claims

**PENDING BUSINESS**

**NEW BUSINESS**

**CITIZEN COMMENT**

**ADJOURN**

### **CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING - STANDING RULES**

In addition to Citizen Comment during the Second Reading and Public Hearing on proposed City ordinances and in addition to Citizen Comment during the public hearing on proposed resolutions (non-consent), your City Council has opted to include Citizen Comment as a portion of the Regular City Council Meeting. Citizen Comment is offered during the first half-hour of the meeting and again at the close of the meeting. Residents shall be given approximately 5 minutes to share their thoughts. The first 30-minute session is provided for comments on agenda items only, including ordinances and resolutions. If a citizen speaks during this time, permission will not be granted to speak again on the same issue during or at the end of the meeting. Upon recognition by the Chair, speakers shall come to the podium and give their name and address for the record. All persons are expected to engage in respectful and orderly discourse. Persons entering into personal, impertinent, or slanderous discourse or persons who become boisterous or unruly during the discussion, shall, at the discretion of the Chair or at the objection of City Council members, forfeit their remaining time to address City Council. Statements to the City Council or the Administration should be addressed through the Chair. A reply to a statement or a question should not be the impetus for debate. Concerns that cannot be addressed immediately will be referred to the departments listed below. Council meetings shall conclude no later than 10:00 p.m. Council meetings may be video recorded by attendees provided that the meeting is not interrupted or disrupted in any manner. Although your City Council requests residents to respectfully acknowledge the Standing Rules of the regular Council meeting, with the consent of the majority of City Council, deviation from the Standing Rules may be permitted.

Administration: 609-525-9333  
Community Services: 609- 399-6111  
Public Works: 609-399-6111  
Financial Management: 609-525-9350

City Clerk: 609-525-9328  
Fire & Rescue Services: 609-525-9182  
Police Services: 609-525-9101