

**CITY COUNCIL
MEETING**

City Hall Council Chambers
April 14, 2025

AGENDA



1. Call to Order - 7:00 p.m.

Attendees please turn off cell phones and pagers during the meeting. A copy of the full meeting packet is available in the binder at the entrance to the Council Chambers.

2. Roll Call

3. Pledge of Allegiance

4. Informal Open Forum

This is an opportunity for the public to address the City Council on items that are not on the agenda. It is limited to 15 minutes. It may not be used to make personal attacks, air personal grievances, make political endorsements, or for political campaign purposes. Council Members will not enter into a dialogue with the presenter. Questions from the Council will be for clarification purposes only. It will not be used as a time for problem-solving or reacting to the comments made but for hearing the presenter for informational purposes only. The first call will be for those that have notified the Clerk that they would like to speak during the open forum and then ask if anyone connected to this meeting would like to speak. When called upon, please indicate your name and then proceed. Please be sure to state your name before speaking.

a. Meeting Decorum

5. Invocation - Jerzak

6. Approval of Agenda and Consent Agenda

These items are considered to be routine by the City Council and will be enacted by one motion. There isn't a separate discussion for these items unless a Councilmember so requests, then it is moved to the end of the Council Consideration Items.

a. Approval of Minutes

b. Approval of Licenses

c. Resolution Accepting the FY2024 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) and Authorizing Execution of the Agreement

d. Resolution Identifying the Need for LCA Predevelopment Funding and Authorizing an Application for Grant Funds for Morty's Bark and Brew

7. Presentations/Proclamations/Recognitions/Donations

a. Proclamation Recognizing and Honoring Pan American Day on April 14, 2025

b. Resolution Declaring April 22, 2025, as Earth Day in Brooklyn Center

c. Economic Growth Plan Introduction/Update

8. Public Hearings

- a. An Ordinance No. 2025-04; Amending Chapter 23-2700 of the City of Brooklyn Center to Establish Cannabis and Hemp Businesses Regulations - Second Reading
- b. An Ordinance Vacating a Certain Portion of a Drainage and Utility Easement within Lot 1, Block 1 of the Plat of Steen Addition in the City of Brooklyn Center, Hennepin County, Minnesota

9. Planning Commission Items

10. Council Consideration Items

- a. An Ordinance Adding A New Section to Chapter 33 of the Brooklyn Center City Code of Ordinances Regarding the Establishment of a Local Housing Trust Fund

11. Council Report

12. Adjournment