



**AGENDA
TAVARES CITY COUNCIL
March 4, 2026
4:00 PM
TAVARES CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS
201 E MAIN STREET, TAVARES**

(Members of the public wishing to speak on an item that is on the agenda must fill out a Request to Speak form available from the City Clerk or at the Council Meeting prior to the meeting being called to order. In addition, the Mayor will ask for comment under the agenda item titled "Audience to be Heard" for matters not on the Agenda. For further information contact the City Clerk at (352) 742-6209 or snovack@tavares.org)

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. INVOCATION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Tab 1 Pastor Kevin Honeycutt, First Baptist Church of Tavares

III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

IV. PROCLAMATIONS/PRESENTATIONS

V. SWEARING IN BY CITY ATTORNEY AND DISCLOSURE OF EXPARTE COMMUNICATIONS

VI. READING OF ALL ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS INTO RECORD

VII. CONSENT AGENDA

Tab 2 Approval of the February 18, 2026, City Council Meeting Minutes
(City Clerk)

Tab 3 Funding for the Marine Unit (Police)

VIII. RESOLUTIONS

Tab 4 Resolution 2026-03 — Request to Vacate a section of a 50-foot wide
platted right-of-way located adjacent to 510 Ridge Place
(Community Development)

Tab 5 Resolution 2026-04 - Authorization to Accept Grant to Purchase
Solid Waste Vehicles (Finance)

IX. ORDINANCES - PUBLIC HEARING

First Reading

Tab 6 Ordinance 2026-01 — Amending Chapter 8 Zoning Regulations, Section 8-12 Supplemental Regulations of the Land Development Regulations to allow for Reasonable Accommodation of Certified Recovery Residences per Florida SB 954 (2025) and F.S. Sec. 397.487 (Community Development)

Second Reading

X. GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Tab 7 Charter Referendum Discussion (City Administrator)

XI. NEW BUSINESS

XII. OLD BUSINESS

XIII. AUDIENCE TO BE HEARD

XIV. REPORTS

Tab 8 City Administrator Report

Tab 9 City Council Member Reports

XV. ADJOURNMENT

F.S. 286.0105 If a person decides to appeal any decision or recommendation made by Council with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, he will need record of the proceedings, and that for such purposes he may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

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