



AGENDA
TAVARES CITY COUNCIL
April 1, 2026
4:00 PM
TAVARES CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS
201 E MAIN STREET, TAVARES

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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. INVOCATION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Tab 1 Reverend Thomas "Jay" Kowalski, First United Methodist Church of Eustis

III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

IV. PROCLAMATIONS/PRESENTATIONS

Tab 2 Lake County 'America's 250-Year Celebration' Plans - City Administrator

Tab 3 Tavares Chamber of Commerce Update

Tab 4 Powerhouse Youth Project (Mayor)

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

VI. READING OF ALL ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS INTO RECORD

VII. CONSENT AGENDA

Tab 5 Approval of the March 18, 2026, City Council Meeting Minutes (City Clerk)

VIII. RESOLUTIONS

Tab 6 Resolution 2026-08 - Special Use Permit for a Laundromat at 1248 Wells Avenue (Community Development)

IX. ORDINANCES - PUBLIC HEARING

First Reading

Tab 7 **Ordinance 2026-03 - Charter Amendment Referendum for Four-Year Terms for City Council Members (City Administrator)**

Second Reading

X. GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Tab 8 **2026 America in Bloom Discussion (Public Works)**

Tab 9 **SECO Energy - Utility Easements at Golden Triangle Regional Park West Campus (Community Services)**

XI. NEW BUSINESS

XII. OLD BUSINESS

XIII. AUDIENCE TO BE HEARD

XIV. REPORTS

Tab 10 **City Administrator Report**

Tab 11 **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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