

STOCKBRIDGE CITY COUNCIL

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Council District 4

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Council District 1

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Council District 2

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Work Session Meeting Agenda January 28, 2025 6:00 PM



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AGENDA WORK SESSION MEETING CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, 2025 6:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER

INVOCATION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

PUBLIC COMMENTS - All persons wishing to speak for public comment must sign in with the City Clerk prior to the beginning of the meeting. You must sign your name, address, and phone number. You will be able to address the Mayor and Council for three (3) minutes. Speakers must respect all members of the elected body, officials, and staff. Defamation, unruliness and/or swearing will not be tolerated while meetings are in session.

REVIEW OF THE MINUTES

- 1 Review of the January 8, 2025 Council Retreat Minutes
Review of the January 13, 2025 Council Meeting Minutes

PRESENTATION

- 2 PATH Foundation presentation of Strategic Implementation & Master Plan for Trails - Presented by: Eric Ganther, Decius Aaron

CONSENT AGENDA

- 3 Council to consider the use of Merle Manders Conference Center on Saturday, March 29, 2025 for the Youth Council Expo. - Presented by:

ANNOUNCEMENTS OF UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

UPCOMING MEETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS: Council meetings will be held in the City Council Chamber. Meeting dates, locations and times are subject to change or contact City Hall offices at 770-389-7900 or visit the website www.stockbridgega.org for updates.

- Youth Council Meeting 1st Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m. - City Hall Levi Meeting Room (Feb 3)
- Stockbridge Citizens-Police Advisory Council meeting 1st Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at the Stockbridge Police Community Room 4545 N. Henry Blvd. – (Feb 6)
- City Council Meeting, 2nd Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. - City Hall Council Chamber (Feb 10)
- Citywide Development Authority Meeting 2nd Tuesday of each month at City Hall in the Levi Meeting Room at 6pm (Feb 11).
- Community Zoning and Information Meeting: Thursday, January 2nd from 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. at City Hall in the Council Chamber (Feb 12)
- The Main Street Advisory Board Meeting on the 2nd Friday of each month at 9am – Location is the Downtown Connection Center 130 M L King Sr. Heritage Trail. (Feb 14)
- Downtown Development Authority Meeting, 3rd Tuesday of each month at the Downtown Connection Center 130 M L King, Sr. Heritage Trail (Feb 18)
- Youth Council Advisory Committee Meeting, 6:30 p.m.- 3rd Tuesday of each month Levi Meeting Room - City Hall (Feb 18)
- Planning Commission Meeting, 3rd Thursday of each month, 6:30 p.m. - City Hall Council Chamber - (Feb 20)
- City Council Work Session Meeting held on the last Tuesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. - City Hall Council Chamber (Feb 25)

UPCOMING CITY EVENTS/INITIATIVES

- Join Mayor Ford for the monthly *Meet the Mayor* on Tuesday, January 28th from 10am – noon at City Hall. Meetings are by appointment.
- Join Councilwoman Barber for the Annual Prom Dress Collection and Giveaway at the Merle Manders Conference Center. Accepting donations of new and gently used prom dresses on Sunday, February 9th & 16th, and the FREE Give Away of dresses to local teens on Sunday, February 23rd. More information to follow.
- Join Councilman Thomas for the monthly Bingo Bash on Wednesday, February 19th from 10am – noon at the Merle Manders Conference Center. Lots of fun to be had by all.
- Join Councilman Alexander for a Quarterly Town Hall on Thursday, February 20th at 7PM. More information to follow.
- Join Councilman Thomas for the Annual African American Celebration on Saturday, February 22nd. The program will stream from 5pm – 7pm on the city's Facebook page.
- Join Mayor Ford for the monthly *Meet the Mayor* on Monday, February 24th from 10am – noon at City Hall. Meetings are by appointment.

- Councilman Thomas is honoring Veterans with a Continuous Salute all year long. Please send your pictures of Veterans with their name, branch, rank, and years of service.
- Join Councilman Thomas for the *Don't Trash Stockbridge* initiative centered around education highlighting the causes and effects of Littering and Illegal Dumping. More information to follow.

Please contact Rosalynd Rawls to schedule an appointment for *Meet the Mayor* and for more information on Council Initiatives at 678-833-3348 or via email: rrawls@stockbridgega.org

MAYOR'S COMMENTS (Mayor Anthony Ford)

EXECUTIVE SESSION (Exemptions to the Georgia Open Meetings Acts)

ADJOURNMENT