



City of Stockbridge Citywide Development Authority

STOCKBRIDGE Development Authority

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Location: City Hall
Levi Meeting Room
4640 N. Henry Blvd.
Stockbridge, GA 30281

Citywide Development Authority Meeting Agenda August 11, 2026 6:00 PM



Citywide Development Authority (DA) The work of development authorities is crucial for the ability for local government to create a legacy of sustained prosperity and requires strong leadership from board members, staff, and elected officials. The Citywide Development Authority is a (9) nine-member authority consisting of (8) residents of the City and/or business owners and operators preferably with subject-matter expertise such as attorneys, realtors, developers, and zoning experts and (1) member of the Governing Body. The directors shall be taxpayers residing in the county or municipal corporation for which the authority is created, and their successors shall be appointed as provided by the resolution provided for in Code Section 36-62-4



AGENDA

CITYWIDE DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY MEETING

CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11, 2026 6:00 PM

I. Welcome & Call to Order

1. Roll Call
2. Approval of Agenda

II. Old Business

3. Review and Approval of May 2026 Minutes
4. Dissemination of Literacy Grants to Local Elementary Schools
Previously approved

III. New Business

5. Chris Tucker Golf Tournament & Comedy Show. Located at the Amphitheater and Eagles Landing Country Club - August 22nd and August 24th. Sponsorship and Presence Request
6. LPGA Golf Invitational October 2026. Sponsorship Request
7. Hispanic Business Expo - August 16, 2026 at Merle Manders Conference Center (Split Sponsorship with the DDA - \$875 per Board)
8. Small Business Loan Applications and Review (Codify)
9. GEDA Conference and Board Member Attendance
10. Board Training - Reminder To Complete Trainings
11. 2027 Budget
12. Chair Notes and Review
13. Economic Development Department
 - Updates from the ED Department
 - Tax Abatement Policy
 - \$500k Revolving Loan Fund
 - Request to Become The Executive Director of The City of Stockbridge Citywide Development Authority
14. Finance and Treasurer Updates

IV. Executive Session to Discuss Real Estate Matters As Needed

V. Adjournment