

**City of Warner Robins**  
**Draft Council Agenda May 7, 2018**  
**Council's Chamber**  
**5:30 p m**

Mayor Toms Officially Opens Meeting

Opening Prayer Led by Councilman Holmes

Pledge of Allegiance by Councilwoman Robbins

Mayor Toms Calls to Order

Adoption of the Agenda: Motion -  
Second -

Proclamations/ Awards/Presentations:

- Presentation of Valor Award to Warner Robins Police Officer Trey Thomas

Mayor Toms Adjourns the Regular Meeting to go into Closed Session: Motion  
Second -

Mayor Reconvenes Regular Meeting

1. Approval of Minutes from Regular Meeting of April 16, 2018 –Davis

**Formal Public Comment – Speaker Protocol**

The City of Warner Robins has identified this portion of the meeting to allow individuals an opportunity to formally address specific item(s) on the agenda for this meeting. The Mayor will recognize the speaker at the appropriate time and ask him/her to come forward to the podium. The City Council members may ask the speaker questions and/or engage in dialogue if they choose, but the speaker should not have an expectation that a question and answer format will occur. During this public comment section, persons shall be permitted to speak for three (3) minutes. When that time period has expired, the mayor shall direct the person speaking to cease. A second request from the mayor to cease speaking shall be cause for the removal of the speaker. Any person making personal, impertinent, profane, or slanderous remarks, or who becomes boisterous while addressing the city council or who otherwise violates any of the above-mentioned rules while attending a council meeting shall be removed from the room at the direction of the mayor, and the person shall be barred from further audience before the council during that meeting. If the mayor fails to act, any member of the council may move to require the mayor to act. If so directed by the mayor or an affirmative vote of the majority of the council, the offending person shall be removed.

2. Formal Public Comments Pertaining to Current Agenda Items

3. Public Agenda Item:

- Frank Lumpkin – Possible Interstate through Warner Robins

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4. Purchasing Bids
5. Ordinance - Budget Transfer –Stormwater Utility - Lauritsen
6. Ordinance – Employee Reclassifications - Lee
7. Resolution – Employee Promotion – Davis
8. Resolution – Fireworks IDC 2018 – Robbins
9. Resolution – Dedicate a boardwalk within the new “Walk at Sandy Run”, as “Parker’s Trail”- Thomas
10. Blight Plan Presentation (Discussion Only) – Lee
11. New Ecological Field Station at Walker Pond - Appropriate of Funds (Discussion Only) - Davis
12. Civic Center Update (Discussion Only) – Thomas

**Informal Public Comment – City Council Agenda Protocol**

The City of Warner Robins believes that any member of the general public should be afforded the opportunity to address the City Council provided that designated rules are followed by the speaker. Any member of the public who wishes to address the City Council and offer public comment may do so during the Informal Public Comment period of the meeting. These rules will govern; if silent, most recent edition of Robert’s Rules of Order shall apply. Elected officials shall preserve order and decorum. City officials or employees shall not respond to questions posed during a meeting. Citizens shall conduct themselves with propriety and decorum. Unauthorized remarks from the audience, stamping of the feet, whistles, yells, and similar demonstrations shall not be permitted. Placards, banners, signs, pamphlets, flyers, or political materials shall not be permitted in the council chambers or conference room. There shall be two (2) public comment sections of each council meeting: the first shall be placed on the agenda immediately following the adoption of minutes from prior meetings. During this section, persons shall be permitted to address specific item(s) on the agenda for that meeting. Near the end of the agenda, there shall be a second comment section, during which general comments will be received. Persons are urged to limit comments to topics relevant to the operations or business of the City. During the public comment sections of a council meeting, persons shall be permitted to speak for three (3) minutes. When that time period has expired, the mayor shall direct the person speaking to cease. A second request from the mayor to cease speaking shall be cause for the removal of the speaker. Any person making personal, impertinent, profane, or slanderous remarks, or who becomes boisterous while addressing the city council or who otherwise violates any of the above-mentioned rules while attending a council meeting shall be removed from the room at the direction of the mayor, and the person shall be barred from further audience before the council during that meeting. If the mayor fails to act, any member of the council may move to require the mayor to act. If so directed by the mayor or an affirmative vote of the majority of the council, the offending person shall be removed.

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Citizens Comments  
Council Comments  
Mayor's Comments

**Placement on the Agenda**

Warner Robins requires that any person who wishes to place a subject on the agenda shall advise the City Clerk's Office and the specified subject matter which he or she desires to place on the agenda no later than 5:00 p.m. on the Wednesday prior to the council meeting. Every member of the public will be given an opportunity to be placed on the agenda once every six (6) months. The request can be done in person, regular mail, fax or e-mail. The request should state the name of the individual(s) desiring to be heard and the subject matter to be presented to City Council. Requests may be referred at the discretion of the City Clerk, to appropriate staff for mediation prior to being placed on the public agenda. Please be advised the request to be placed on the agenda does not entitle the speaker to be added to the agenda.

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