



DANVILLE CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

MUNICIPAL BUILDING

April 15, 2025

7:00 PM

PRESIDING: Alonzo L. Jones, Mayor

CITY COUNCIL	James B. Buckner, Vice Mayor	Dr. Gary P. Miller
MEMBERS:	L.G. "Larry" Campbell, Jr.	Sherman M. Saunders
	Bryant Hood	J. Lee Vogler, Jr.,
	Barry P. Mayo	Madison J. Whittle

STAFF:	Ken F. Larking, City Manager	W. Clarke Whitfield, Jr., City Attorney
	Earl B. Reynolds, Jr., Deputy City Manager	Susan M. DeMasi, City Clerk

The City Council is the City of Danville's legislative body and is composed of nine Council members. Council members are elected to serve a four year term of office and elects one of its own to serve as Mayor and presiding officer for a two year term.

Time and Place of Meeting

The public is invited and encouraged to attend and participate in the City Council meetings. The City Council meets in the City Hall, Fourth Floor, Council Chambers at 7:00 p.m. on the first and third Tuesday of each month. All meetings of the Council are open to the public.

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Guidelines for Public Hearings

For Public Hearings the applicant or his or her representative shall be the first speaker(s). There shall be a time limit of ten (10) minutes for the applicant's or his or her representative's presentation. The presiding officer shall then solicit comments from the public, asking those in favor of the proposal to speak first, and then those opposed to the proposal. Each speaker must clearly state his or her name and address. There shall be a time limit of three (3) minutes for each individual speaker. If the speaker represents a group, there shall be a time limit of five (5) minutes. A speaker representing a group shall identify the group at the beginning of his or her remarks. A group may have no more than one spokesperson. The presiding officer may limit or preclude comment which is repetitive, redundant, cumulative, or irrelevant to the subject of the public hearing. After public comments have been received, in a land use case, the applicant or the representative of the applicant, at his or her discretion, may respond with a rebuttal. There shall be a five (5) minute time limit for rebuttal.

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION - DR. GARY P. MILLER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

CONSENT AGENDA

All matters listed under the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine, have previously been discussed by City Council and/or introduced for First Reading. There will be no separate discussion on these items and they will be enacted by one motion. If discussion is desired by a Council Member or a citizen, the item(s) will be removed from the consent process and considered separately.

PUBLIC HEARING

- A. Consideration of Approval of Minutes from Regular Council Meeting held on March 18, 2025.
Council Letter Number CL - 1998.
Consideration of Approval of Minutes from Regular Council Meeting held on March 18, 2025.
- B. Consideration of Amending the Fiscal Year 2024-2025 Budget Appropriation Ordinance for Grant Funds from the US Department of Housing and Urban Development.
Council Letter Number CL - 1919.
An Ordinance Amending the Fiscal Year 2025 Budget Appropriation Ordinance for Projects to be or Being Undertaken to Improve the Danville Community Financed with Community Development Block Grant, Home Investment Partnership Funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, and Estimated Program Income for a Total Appropriation of \$1,186,687.
Final Adoption

NEW BUSINESS

- A. Review of General Fund Financials as of March 31, 2025.
Council Letter Number CL - 1896.
Review of General Fund Financials as of March 31, 2025. Financial Statements are included.
- B. Consideration of a Moral Obligation Agreement Between the City of Danville and the Industrial Development Authority.
Council Letter Number CL - 1941.
Resolution Approving Financial Assistance to the Industrial Development Authority of the City of Danville, Virginia, in Discharging Its Governmental Purposes Under Virginia Law, Including Authorizing the City Manager to Execute and Deliver a Support Agreement in Connection with a Loan to be Obtained by Such Authority to Fund Certain Economic Development Projects.
- C. Consideration of a Performance Agreement with the Virginia Tobacco Region and Revitalization Commission for the Mount Cross Road Battery Energy Storage System.
Council Letter Number CL - 1961.
A Resolution Approving and Authorizing the Execution of the Virginia Tobacco Region and Revitalization Commission (TRRC) Performance Agreements for the Mount Cross Road Battery Energy Storage System.
- D. Consideration of Approving the Virginia Commercial Property Assessed Clean Energy

Agreement.

Council Letter Number CL - 1962.

A Resolution of the City of Danville, Virginia Approving and Authorizing an Agreement Between the City of Danville, Virginia and the Virginia Pace Authority.

- E. Consideration of an Agreement with American Municipal Power to Participate in a Smart Thermostat Program.

Council Letter Number CL - 1954.

A Resolution Approving and Authorizing an Agreement with American Municipal Power, Inc. (AMP) for Participation in the Community Energy Savings Smart Thermostat Program.

- F. Consideration of Adopting the Safe Streets for All Safety Action Plan.

Council Letter Number CL - 1964.

A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Danville Adopting the Safe Streets for All Safety Action Plan.

- G. Consideration of Amending the Fiscal Year 2025 Budget Appropriation Ordinance for a Grant and Loan from the Virginia Tobacco Region and Revitalization Commission.

Council Letter Number CL - 1960.

An Ordinance Amending the Fiscal Year 2025 Budget Appropriation Ordinance to Provide for a Virginia Tobacco Region and Revitalization Commission \$750,000 Grant and \$750,000 Loan to Assist with the City's Mount Cross Road Battery Energy Storage System.

First Reading

- H. Consideration of Amending the Fiscal Year 2025 Budget Appropriation Ordinance to Provide Support to the Neighbors Helping Neighbors Program.

Council Letter Number CL - 1986.

An Ordinance Amending the Fiscal Year 2025 Budget Appropriation Ordinance by Increasing Revenues from the Casino Gaming Taxes to Provide Support to Neighbors Helping Neighbors in the Amount of \$200,000 and Appropriating the Same.

First Reading

- I. Consideration of Amending the Fiscal Year 2025 Budget Appropriation Ordinance to Fund a One-Year Utility Customer Credit.

Council Letter Number CL - 1987.

An Ordinance Amending the Fiscal Year 2025 Budget Appropriation Ordinance to Fund a One-Year Utility Customer Credit Using Excess Casino Gaming Taxes in an Amount Not to Exceed \$2,400,000 and Appropriating Same.

First Reading

- J. Consideration of Amending the Fiscal Year 2025 Budget Appropriation Ordinance to Fund the City Residential HVAC/Insulation Project.

Council Letter Number CL - 1988.

An Ordinance Amending the Fiscal Year 2025 Budget Appropriation Ordinance by Increasing Revenues from Casino Gaming Taxes to Fund a City Residential HVAC/Insulation Project in the Amount of \$500,000 and Appropriating Same.

First Reading

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COMMUNICATIONS

A. City Manager

B. Deputy City Manager

C. City Attorney

D. City Clerk

E. Roll Call

ADJOURNMENT