



THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE

**JACKSONVILLE CITY COUNCIL MEETING
JACKSONVILLE CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS
315 S. RAGSDALE
TUESDAY, AUGUST 11, 2026
6:00 PM**

***5:15 PM CLOSED EXECUTIVE SESSION CITY HALL EXECUTIVE CONFERENCE ROOM**

Randy Gorham, Mayor
Mindy Gellock, Mayor Pro-tem - District 2
Letitia Horace - District 1
Tim McRae - District 3
Rob Gowin - District 4

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- 1. 5:15 PM CLOSED EXECUTIVE SESSION CITY HALL CONFERENCE ROOM-PER OPEN MEETINGS ACT-PER TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION:**
 - A. 551.071 CONSULT CITY ATTORNEY - CITY OF JACKSONVILLE V. BERRY AND CLAY, INC. ET AL**
 - B. 551.072 REAL PROPERTY**
 - C. 551.087 DELIBERATIONS REGARDING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT NEGOTIATIONS**
 - D. 551.076 DELIBERATIONS ABOUT SECURITY DEVICES**
 - E. 551.089 DELIBERATIONS REGARDING SECURITY DEVICES OR SECURITY AUDITS**
 - F. 551.074 PERSONNEL MATTERS - CITY MANAGER ANNUAL REVIEW**
 - 2. CALL TO ORDER**
 - 3. INVOCATION**
 - 4. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE US & TEXAS FLAGS**
 - 5. SPECIAL PRESENTATION –**
 - A. JEDCO PRESENTATION OF THE BUSINESS OF THE MONTH**
 - 6. CITIZEN PARTICIPATION**
 - 7. CONSENT AGENDA - ITEMS UNDER CONSENT AGENDA REQUIRE LITTLE OR NO DELIBERATIONS BY COUNCIL. APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA AUTHORIZES THE CITY MANAGER OR HIS DESIGNEES TO PROCEED WITH CONCLUSION OF EACH ITEM IN ACCORDANCE WITH STAFF RECOMMENDATION**
 - A. MINUTES APPROVAL - MONDAY, JUNE 29, 2026 CITY COUNCIL/JEDCO MEETING; TUESDAY, JULY 7, 2026 AGENDA WORKSHOP; TUESDAY, JULY 14, 2026 CITY COUNCIL MEETING**
 - B. APPROVE ROAD CLOSURE FOR FOSTERING 5K ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2026**
 - C. APPROVE ROAD CLOSURE FOR JINGLE JOG ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2026**
 - D. APPROVE ROAD CLOSURE FOR JACKSONVILLE POLICE ASSOCIATION CAR SHOW ROAD CLOSURE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2026**
 - E. APPROVE PUBLIC SALE OF AN APPROXIMATE 9.366 ACRE PORTION OF LAND OUT OF CCAD ID# 113170000 TO THE HIGHEST BID OF \$61,000**
 - 8. ANY ACTION OUT OF EXECUTIVE SESSION IF NECESSARY**



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9. QUARTERLY FINANCIAL REPORT PRESENTED BY FINANCE DIRECTOR ROXANNA BRILEY
10. PUBLIC HEARING: REVIEW AND CONSIDER APPROVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR A ZONE CHANGE FROM (O-AGRICULTURE) TO A-(SINGLE FAMILY) LOCATED IN THE 1900 BLOCK OF LAKESHORE DRIVE, DESCRIBED AS 20.80 ACRES, IN THE JAMES FORD SURVEY ABSTRACT NUMBER 269, CHEROKEE COUNTY TEXAS.
11. REVIEW AND CONSIDER APPROVAL OF A SUBDIVISION PLAT LOCATED IN THE 1900 BLOCK OF LAKESHORE DRIVE, DESCRIBED AS 20.80 ACRES, IN THE JAMES FORD SURVEY ABSTRACT NUMBER 269, CHEROKEE COUNTY, TEXAS.
12. DISCUSS AND CONSIDER ACTION PROPOSING A TAX RATE AND SETTING SEPTEMBER 8, 2026 AT 6:00 PM AS THE DATE AND TIME TO HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE AND BUDGET. TAKE AN INDIVIDUAL VOTE OF EACH COUNCIL MEMBER REGARDING THE PROPOSED TAX RATE
13. DISCUSS AND CONSIDER ACTION APPROVING THE 2026-2027 JACKSONVILLE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION BUDGET
14. A. SECOND READING OF A RESOLUTION READING OF A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF A JACKSONVILLE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION PROJECT
B. DISCUSS WITH ACTION ON A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF A JACKSONVILLE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION PROJECT
15. DISCUSS AND CONSIDER ENTERING INTO AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH CHEROKEE COUNTY AND APPROVING A CORRESPONDING CONTRACT FOR THE SALE OF 210 W. LARISSA ST. TO CHEROKEE COUNTY
16. OPEN FORUM FOR MAYOR AND COUNCIL
17. CITY MANAGER REPORT
18. ADJOURN

Posted this the 5th day of August 5:00 PM

CERTIFICATION

I certify that this notice was posted at City Hall for public viewing on the date and time designated above.

Dianah Surber
Dianah Surber, City Clerk

All items on the agenda are for possible discussion and action. The Jacksonville City Council or this board reserves the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during this meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above, as authorized by Texas Government Code Sections 551.071(Consultation with Attorneys); 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property); 551.073 (Deliberations about gifts and donations); 551.074 (Personnel Matters); 551.076(Deliberations about security devices); and 551.087(Deliberations regarding economic development negotiations). The City of Jacksonville is committed to compliance with the American with Disabilities Act (ADA). Reasonable accommodation and equal access to communications will be provided for those who provide notice to the City Clerk at (903)339-3306 at least 48 hours in advance.

**Taxpayer Impact Statement
City of Jacksonville**

House Bill 1522, passed by the Texas Legislature in 2025, amends section 551.043 of the Texas Government Code to require that the notice of a meeting required to be posted under section 551.043(a) of the Texas Open Meetings Act, at which a governmental body will discuss or adopt a budget for the governmental body, must include a taxpayer impact statement showing, for the median-valued homestead property, a comparison of the property tax bill in dollars pertaining to the property for the current fiscal year to an estimate of the property tax bill in dollars for the same property for the upcoming fiscal year.

The City of Jacksonville has proposed a budget for the City's 2026-2027 fiscal year. The City intends to adopt its budget on or before September 30, 2026.

Fiscal Year (Tax Year)	Median-Valued Homestead (Median Taxable)	Tax Rate per \$100 of Value	Estimated Property Tax Bill Based on (Median Taxable)
FY 2025 - 2026 (TY 2025) As of Last Supplement	\$ 154,821	\$ 0.63763	\$ 987.19
FY 2026 - 2027 (TY 2026) As of Certification	\$ 157,244	\$ 0.69000	\$ 1,084.98

The estimates in this Impact Statement are valid only for proposed budget and proposed tax rate that the City Council will discuss at its meeting on **August 11, 2026**. The proposed budget and the proposed tax rate may each be amended by City Council at any time before their final adoption. If the City Council intends to discuss the proposed budget at a subsequent meeting, the City will include a Taxpayer Impact Statement in the notice for that meeting which will include updated estimates based on any amendments to the proposed budget and proposed tax rate.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Taxpayer Impact Statement was included in the public notice for the City Council meeting to be held on **August 11, 2026**.

James Hubbard
Name

5 AUG 2026
Date

City Manager
Title