



AGENDA

City Council Work Session

4:00 PM - Tuesday, May 6, 2025

City Hall, 1225 6th Avenue

The meeting is being recorded. Any item listed on the agenda may be open to discussion by the City Council. Times listed are estimated.

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CALL TO ORDER

PROCLAMATIONS/OATHS

1. Proclamation - Building Safety Month (May 2025) 3 - 4
[Agenda Memo - AM-25-307 - Pdf](#)

PRESENTATIONS

This section is for presentations from external entities regarding current council action and area projects and events.

1. Presentation regarding Community-wide Wayfinding System Master Plan (4:05-4:20) 5 - 142
[Agenda Memo - AM-25-370 - Pdf](#)
2. Presentation regarding the Lowe Park Arts & Environment Center and Greenhouse Plans (4:20-4:35) 143
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OTHER DEPARTMENT DISCUSSION

This portion of the meeting is set aside for other department discussions, presentations, and updates not related to current council action.

1. Discussion and direction regarding Monarch Research's Planting Forward 2.0 and Native Oasis programs (4:35-4:40) 144
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2. Discussion regarding Native Planting and Landscaping on private property (4:40-4:50) 145
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3. Presentation regarding the fiscal year 2024-2025 budget amendment (4:50-5:05) 146 - 154
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| 4. | Discussion regarding a proposal concerning vehicle decals (Miskimen)
(5:05-5:15) | 155 |
| | Agenda Memo - AM-25-388 - Pdf | |
| 5. | Discussion and direction regarding Walk Your Wheels signs for bicycle
regulations (5:15-5:20) | 156 - 161 |
| | Agenda Memo - AM-25-405 - Pdf | |
| 6. | Update regarding Tower Terrace Road Project (5:20-5:25) | 162 - 163 |
| | Agenda Memo - AM-25-406 - Pdf | |

UPCOMING AGENDA REVIEW

This section is for review of the upcoming agenda. Council will discuss items intended to be formally considered at the next City Council Meeting.

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| 1. | City Council review of the May 8, 2025 agenda (5:25-5:35) | 164 |
| | Agenda Memo - AM-25-380 - Pdf | |

CLOSED/EXEMPT SESSION

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| 1. | Motion to adjourn to closed session regarding real estate transactions
as permitted under Section 21.5(1)(j) of the Code of Iowa and an
exempt session regarding collective bargaining as permitted under
Section 20.17(3) of the Code of Iowa. (Two separate measures) | |
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