



**City Council Regular Business Meeting
Tuesday, January 13, 2026**

Council Chambers
280 Madison Ave N
Bainbridge Island, WA

and

Remote Meeting on Zoom
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Agenda

- 1. Call to Order / Roll Call - 6:00 pm**
- 2. Presentation(s) - 6:05 pm**
 - A. Provide Oath of Office for New and Returning Council Members**
- 3. Appoint Mayor and Recognize Outgoing Mayor - 6:35 pm**
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- 4. Appoint Deputy Mayor - 6:50 pm**
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- 5. Public Reception - 7:00 PM**
- 6. Approval of Agenda / Conflict of Interest Disclosure - 7:15 pm**
- 7. Proclamation(s) - 7:20 pm**
 - A. Present Proclamation Recognizing Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day on January 19, 2026**
- 8. Public Comment - 7:25 pm**

In person public comment is accepted at this time on any topic of public interest. Each commenter will have three minutes, or such amount as the meeting chair determines, to speak. Public comment is not taken on individual agenda

items during the meeting. For items scheduled for a public hearing, comment is accepted from an individual only one time, either during public comment or during the hearing. Public comment is simply received by the Council, with no response, and Council cannot deliberate on items that are not on the agenda. The lack of comment is not an endorsement or a denial of the comment. Please refer to guidelines and instructions for public comment, including orderly behavior and civility in remarks, posted on the agenda page. Remote public comment is allowed with advance notice by noon on the date of the meeting to the City Clerk, provided that all remote commenters shall be required to display their true name and to keep their camera turned on to show their true uncovered face while delivering their comments.

9. Consent Agenda - 7:40 pm

All items listed under this section are considered to be routine and will be acted upon with one motion and one vote. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a member of the City Council, or City Manager so requests, in which event, the item will be considered separately in its normal sequence.

A. Agenda Bill for Consent Agenda

B. Approve Accounts Payable and Payroll

C. Approve Meeting Minutes

D. Approve Nomination of a High School Senior as the City of Bainbridge Island's 2026 Nominee for the Association of Washington Cities' (AWC) Center for Quality Communities Scholarship

10. Council Announcements - 7:45 pm

11. City Manager's Report - 7:55 pm

12. Communications

A. (8:00 pm) Consider Request from Councilmember Nelson to add a Discussion of Land Capacity Analysis Methodologies to the January 27, 2026 City Council Business Meeting

B. (8:05 pm) Consider Request from Councilmember Nelson to add a Discussion on whether the Planning Commission's Recommendations for the Winslow Subarea Plan are Consistent with Resolution No. 2025-18 to the January 27, 2026 City Council Business Meeting

13. Executive Session - 8:10 pm

Council will adjourn to executive session pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1) for 30 minutes to discuss with legal counsel representing the agency matters relating to agency enforcement actions, or to discuss with legal counsel representing the agency litigation or potential litigation to which the agency, the governing body, or a member acting in an official capacity is, or is likely to become, a party, when public knowledge regarding the discussion is likely to result in an adverse legal or financial consequence to the agency. Council is expected to return at 8:40 pm.

14. Adjournment - 8:40 pm

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awahi@bainbridgewa.gov or 206-947-0803 as soon as possible, preferably at least 2 business days prior to the meeting.