



**City Council Regular Business Meeting
Tuesday, March 24, 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. Approval of Agenda / Conflict of Interest Disclosure - 6:05 pm**
- 3. Presentation(s)**
 - A. (6:10 pm) Receive Poem from Bainbridge Island Poet Laureate Erin Malone for National Poetry Month
 - B. (6:15 pm) Authorize the Mayor to Sign a Proclamation Declaring April as Sustainable Bainbridge Month
 - C. (6:20 pm) Present Proclamation for Earth Month
 - D. (6:25 pm) Present Statement Honoring Dolores Huerta

4. Public Comment - 6:30 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.

5. Consent Agenda - 6:50 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. Ratify the Interim City Manager's Purchase of a Toyota Forklift (\$50,831.51 Equipment Rental and Revolving Fund (ERR Fund))

6. City Manager's Report - 6:55 pm

7. Regular Business

- A. (7:00 pm) Receive Monthly Update on the Comprehensive Plan and Winslow Subarea Plan
- B. (7:10 pm) Receive Housing Accountability Act Status Report
- C. (7:20 pm) Authorize the Interim City Manager to Submit Grant Applications for the Safe Routes to School Program to Support the Valley Road and Finch/Sportsman Club Road projects, and Consider Advancing City Match Funds for Finch/Sportsman from 2029 to 2028 if a Grant is Received
- D. (7:30 pm) Consider Waterfront Park Lawn Management Coordination Agreement with Bainbridge Island Rowing for the Lawn Area at Waterfront Park and Authorize the Interim City Manager to Make Improvements to the Waterfront Park Lawn to Support Events and Pétanque Courts and Authorize a Related Budget Amendment (\$10,000 General Fund)
- E. (7:40 pm) Consider Ordinance No. 2026-03, Adopting Clarifying Updates to BIMC 5.38, Short-Term Rentals
- F. (7:50 pm) Consider Approach to Review the Appeal of a Business License Denial, and Consider Appointing a Council Subcommittee if This Option is Selected.
- G. (8:00 pm) Designate One Councilmember to Serve on the Selection Jury for the 2026-2027 "Something New" Public Art Rotation

8. Communications

- A. (8:05 pm) Receive Recommendation from the Winslow Subarea Plan and Comprehensive Plan Steering Committee for Next Steps Related to

Proposed Changes to the Comprehensive Plan Guiding Principles

- B. (8:20 pm) Consider Request from Councilmember Lant to Add a Discussion on Approval of City Advisory Work Plans to a Future Council Meeting

9. Council Announcements - 8:25 pm

10. Adjournment - 8:35 pm

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