

# City of Mt. Vernon, Iowa

<b>Meeting:</b>	<b>Mt. Vernon City Council Meeting</b>
<b>Place:</b>	<b>Mt. Vernon City Hall, 213 1<sup>st</sup> Street NW, Mt. Vernon, Iowa 52314</b>
<b>Date/Time:</b>	<b>April 7, 2025 – 6:30 PM</b>
<b>Web Page:</b>	<b><a href="http://www.cityofmtvernon-ia.gov">www.cityofmtvernon-ia.gov</a></b>
<b>Posted:</b>	<b>April 4, 2025</b>

<b>Mayor:</b>	Tom Wieseler	<b>City Administrator:</b>	Chris Nosbisch
<b>Mayor Pro-Tem:</b>	Scott Rose	<b>City Attorney:</b>	Holly Corkery
<b>Councilperson:</b>	Stephanie West	<b>Asst. City Administrator:</b>	Lori Boren
<b>Councilperson:</b>	Craig Engel	<b>Finance Dir/City Clerk:</b>	Marsha Dewell
<b>Councilperson:</b>	Mark Andresen	<b>Chief of Police:</b>	Doug Shannon
<b>Councilperson:</b>	Paul Tuerler		

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3. Password: 674846

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- Call to Order**
- Agenda Additions/Agenda Approval**
- Communications:**
  1. Unscheduled

If you wish to address the City Council on subjects pertaining to today's meeting agenda, please wait until that item on the agenda is reached. If you wish to address the City Council on an item **not** on the agenda, please approach the microphone and give your name and address for the public record before discussing your item. Each individual will be granted no more than five (5) minutes.

- Consent Agenda**

**Note:** These are routine items and will be enacted by one motion without separate discussion unless a Council Member requests separate consideration.

1. Approval of City Council Minutes – March 17, 2025 Regular Council Meeting
2. Approval of Liquor License – Casey's General Store #1599
3. Approval of Liquor License – Chameleon's Pub and Grub

- Public Hearing**

1. None

- Ordinance Approval/Amendment**

1. None

**G. Resolutions for Approval**

1. Resolution #4-7-2025A: Approving Budget Amendment # to the FY 2025-2026 City of Mount Vernon Budget
2. Resolution #4-7-2025B: Fixing Date for a Meeting on the Proposition to Authorize a Loan Agreement and the Issuance of Notes to Evidence the Obligations of the City Thereunder (\$500,000)
3. Resolution #4-7-2025C: Fixing Date for a Meeting on the Proposition to Authorize a Loan Agreement and the Issuance of Notes to Evidence the Obligations of the City Thereunder (\$2,250,000)
4. Resolution #4-7-2025D: Adopting the Linn County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025-2030

**H. Mayoral Proclamation**

1. Proclamation Recognizing Friday, April 25, 2025, as Arbor Day in the City of Mount Vernon, Iowa

**I. Old Business**

1. None

**J. Motions for Approval**

1. Consideration of Claims List – Motion to Approve
2. Discussion and Consideration of Temporary Special Event Permit Application – Nitty Gritty Committee – Council Action as Needed
3. Discussion and Consideration of Appointing Officer Blinks to the Temporary Interim Police Chief Position commencing on July 1, 2025, and Running Through December 31, 2025 – Council Action as Needed
4. Discussion and Consideration of Approving the Engagement Letter with Ahlers Cooney Attorneys on the Proposed \$2,750,000 Bond Sale – Council Action as Needed
5. Discussion and Consideration of Pay Application #7 – 2024 Pool Renovations – Council Action as Needed
6. Discussion and Consideration of OPN Architects Invoice #24426000-4 – LBC Childcare Study – Council Action as Needed
7. Discussion and Consideration of JEO Consulting Group #159456 – Uptown Streetscape Plan – Council Action as Needed
8. Discussion and Consideration of JEO Consulting Group #158187 – Uptown Streetscape Plan – Council Action as Needed
9. Discussion and Consideration of JMT Invoice 1-256362 – Historic Preservation Design Guidelines – Council Action as Needed
10. Discussion and Consideration of Fire Department Training Apparatus Construction on the Bryant Road Public Works Site – Council Action as Needed
11. Discussion and Consideration of Street Closure Request – Chalk the Walk – Council Action as Needed
12. Discussion And Consideration Setting a Public Hearing Date for the Adoption of the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Fiscal Year Budget – Council Action as Needed
13. Discussion and Consideration of Mt. Vernon Cemetery Mowing Contract for the 2025 Calendar Year – Council Action as Needed
14. Discussion and Consideration of Gas Service Installation – New Public Works Site – Council Action as Needed
15. Discussion and Consideration of City of Mount Vernon Wellness Program for Fiscal Year 26 – Council Action as Needed

**K. Reports to be Received/Filed**

1. None

**L. Discussion Items (No Action)**

1. Budget Discussion

**M. Reports of Mayor/Council/Administrator**

1. Mayor's Report
2. Council Reports
3. Committee Reports
4. City Administrator's Report

**N. Adjournment**

Pursuant to §21.4(2) of the Code of Iowa, the City has the right to amend this agenda up until 24 hours before the posted meeting time.

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