

**CITY OF MERRILL
REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING**

Wednesday, August 12, 2026
6:00 P.M.

Meeting to be held at the Merrill City Hall, 301 E. Second Street, Merrill, OR

Matters for council consideration not scheduled on the agenda can be addressed by the general public under the “Public Comment” section in the agenda. Testimony must be presented according to Council procedures. Items of non-emergency nature may be scheduled for future Council determination in order to provide sufficient time to analyze this issue.

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

FLAG SALUTE

MAYOR’S STATEMENT: “To avoid meeting disruptions, please place cell phones on silent mode during the meeting. All meetings are recorded. When addressing the City Council, please state your name and speak clearly.”

PUBLIC COMMENT:

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CONSENT AGENDA:

Any item on the Consent Agenda will be removed and considered as a part of the regular agenda upon the request of any member of the City Council or public.

Meeting Minutes:

1. Approve July 08, 2026 Regular Business Meeting Minutes

Business License:

15521 Swisher Rd A Rental Business License

Sandoval Handyman Business License

Phone poll ratifications:

July 14, 2026 09:23 a.m. Seeking City Council Approval for File No. 04-2026 (Councilor Baley-Email; Councilor Johnson-Verbal; Councilor Gatliff-Verbal) Approved 3-0 in favor.

Bills for Approval:

2. Payables for Approval
3. Water Transfer

STAFF REPORTS:

POLICE:

- Report

PUBLIC WORKS:

- Report
- Discuss 420 14 Inch Gas Powered 66.7cc CutQuick Saw

RECORDER:

- Report

LAWYER:

- Report

CODE ENFORCEMENT:

- Report

PLANNING:

- Report
- File No. 07-2026 Land Use Compatibility Statement (LUCS); Convert Assessor's Structure/Barn into Single Family Dwelling for Tax Lot 4110-0011AB-01000
- 21 Century Road to Housing Act
- Approve *Municipal Code Article 154 Development Code* June 12, 2007, Updates Per DLCD Guidelines

LOST RIVER ARTS AND CULTURAL ALLIANCE:

- Report
- Saber Loan Rescinded

NEW BUSINESS:

- Waste Management 2026 Rate Adjustment

OLD BUSINESS:

- Discuss Dangerous Dog Restrictions and/or Ban

ACTION ITEMS/GENERAL BUSINESS:

ORDINANCES:

RESOLUTIONS:

- Resolution 2026-1002 Transfer Funds to Comply with Budget Law Requirements

OTHER – ADDRESS ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS:

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ADJOURN Regular Session: