

**CITY OF MERRILL
REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING**

Wednesday, March 11, 2026
6:00 P.M.

Meeting to be held at 301 E. Second Street, Merrill, OR 97633

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 February 11, 2026 Regular Business Meeting Minutes

Business License:

- Front Street Salon; Lavender Bloom Hair Co., Chuy’s Barbershop, Gatliff Racing & Diesel Performance, J Walker Rural Rentals, K Falls Lick Tubs LLC, Lester Realty Inc Rentals

Phone poll ratifications:

- Amend motion for 2 hours sick and 2 hours vacation benefits for every 30 hours worked for part-time employment due to violating benefit schedule to 2 hours sick for every 30 hours worked and 1.67 hours vacation for every 80 hours worked for year-one. (Councilor McCollam and Councilor Johnson Approved; Councilor Baley Approved to Rescind, Nay to Benefits; Councilor Gatliff No Vote) Motion passed 2-1 in favor, 1 no-vote.

Bills for Approval:

2. Payables for Approval
3. Water Transfer

STAFF REPORTS:

POLICE:

- Report
- Klamath County Sheriff’s Department Police Contract(s)

PUBLIC WORKS:

- Report

RECORDER:

- Report

LAWYER:

- Report

CODE ENFORCEMENT:

- Report

PLANNING:

- Report

LOST RIVER ARTS AND CULTURAL ALLIANCE:

- Report

NEW BUSINESS:

- Discuss Code Enforcement Status
- Appoint FY 26/27 Budget Officer
- Appoint Budget Committee Member(s)
- Approve FY 26/27 Wage Schedules
- Tractor Replacement
- Good Duck Park Memorial
- Stage Project in Memory of Public Works Director Matthews

OLD BUSINESS:

- Approve Corrective Action Plan
- Proposal for Website Maintenance

ACTION ITEMS/GENERAL BUSINESS:

ORDINANCES:

RESOLUTIONS:

- Resolution 2026-993 Transfer Funds to Comply with Budget Law Requirements
- Resolution 2026-994 Set Terms and Conditions for RV Dump Station

OTHER – ADDRESS ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS:

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ADJOURN Regular Session: