



City of Carthage, Missouri

CITY COUNCIL

August 26, 2025 - 6:30 PM
CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Invocation**
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance to Flag**
- 4. Calling of the Roll**
- 5. Reading and Consideration of Minutes of Previous Meeting**
 1. Approval of August 12, 2025 Minutes
- 6. Presentations/Proclamations**
- 7. Public Comments**

(Each person addressing the Council shall state their name and address or the organization or firm represented and is limited to no more than five (5) minutes. The time may be extended by the chair if deemed necessary. Once a person has had their say on a particular issue they are not permitted to once again speak on the issue unless called to answer any further questions by the Council or Chair)
- 8. Reports of Standing Committees**
 1. Agendas and Minutes of Standing Committees
- 9. Reports from Special Committees and Board Liaisons**
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- 10. Report of the Mayor**
- 11. Reports/Remarks of Councilmembers**

(During reports/remarks of councilmembers, members of the council may take this opportunity to report on meetings, make comments and/or express concerns regarding current issues impacting the city, or make announcements concerning topics of interest of the council.)
- 12. Administrative Reports**
- 13. Report of Claims Presented Against the City**
 1. Motion and a second to approve the Claims
- 14. Public Hearings**
 1. A Public Hearing will be held at 6:30 P.M., Tuesday, August 26, 2025 in the City Hall, Council Chambers, 326 Grant Street Carthage, Missouri at which time Citizens may be heard on the property tax rates proposed to be set by the City of Carthage.
- 15. Old Business**

1. C.B. 25-51 -- An Ordinance amending the Annual Operating and Capital Budget of the City of Carthage for Fiscal Year 2025–2026 for specified funds (General Fund, Use Tax Fund, and Public Facilities Bond Fund) for carryover projects.
2. C.B. 25-52 -- An Ordinance levying general taxes upon real estate property located within the City of Carthage, Jasper County, Missouri for the year 2025, for General Revenue purposes and other purposes, and fixing the rates thereof.
3. C.B. 25-53 -- An Ordinance authorizing the City of Carthage, Missouri, to enter into a subagreement with the Southwest Missouri Joint Municipal Water Utility Commission regarding reallocated water storage space in Stockton Lake.
4. C.B. 25-54 -- An Ordinance amending Chapter 2, Chapter 18, and Chapter 21 of the Carthage City Code
5. C.B. 25-55 -- An Ordinance to amend the Personnel Policy Manual of the City of Carthage, Missouri.
6. C.B. 25-56 -- An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to execute a Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Carthage and Jasper County regarding the use and distribution of Opioid Settlement Funds for the Jasper County Jail Treatment Program
7. C.B. 25-57 -- An Ordinance to establish a procedure to disclose potential conflicts of interest and substantial interests for certain municipal officials.
8. C.B. 25-58 -- An Ordinance amending Chapter 17, Article III, Section 17-37 – Members, of the Carthage City Code

16. New Business

1. C.B. 25-59 -- An Ordinance to amend Section 202 -- Drug Free Workplace of the Personnel Policy Manual of the City of Carthage

17. Mayor's Appointments

1. Ward 2 Council Member
2. Police Personnel Administration Board
3. Zoning Board of Adjustments

18. Resolutions

1. Resolution 2099 -- A Resolution providing for the formal acceptance of a donation from M&M Wrecker to the Carthage Police Department for an 8' x 5' metal utility trailer by the City Council of the City of Carthage, Missouri pursuant to City policy.
2. Resolution 2100 -- A Resolution authorizing City support and permissions for several programs of the 59th Annual Maple Leaf Festival in the City of Carthage, Missouri

19. Closing Comments

20. Executive Session

21. Adjournment

1. Additional Packet Correspondence

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES WHO NEED SPECIAL ASSISTANCE CALL 417-237-7000 (VOICE) OR 1-800-735-2466 (TDD VIA RELAY MISSOURI) AT LEAST 24 HOURS PRIOR TO MEETING