



**CITY OF ABERDEEN
CITY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA
60 North Parke Street
Aberdeen, MD 21001
Council Chambers
October 13, 2025, 7:00 PM**

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. ROLL CALL

C. OPENING PRAYER

C.1 Pastor Hal Bennett, Grove Presbyterian Church

D. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

D.1 Councilwoman Tandra Ridgley

E. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

E.1 September 22, 2025 Council Meeting

F. STATEMENT OF CLOSED MEETING - None

G. PRESENTATIONS - None

H. PUBLIC HEARINGS - None

I. PUBLIC COMMENT - *Maximum of 3 minutes per person unless authorized by the Council*

J. LEGISLATION UNDER CONSIDERATION

J.1 Ordinance No. 25-O-14, 18 N. Howard Street Lease and Purchase Option (For Adoption)
[3rd meeting]
[Ordinance No. 25-O-14, 18 N. Howard Street Lease and Purchase Option for Public Hearing.pdf](#)

J.2 Ordinance No. 25-O-15, Prohibition Against Possession of Open Containers and Public Consumption of Alcoholic Beverages (For Introduction) (Sponsors: Councilman Montgomery & Councilwoman Ridgley) [1st meeting]

K. PENDING LEGISLATION - None

L. UNFINISHED BUSINESS - None

M. NEW BUSINESS

- M.1 Bid #26-02, Aberdeen Hills Waterline (For Approval)
[Memorandum to City Council 26-02 Aberdeen Hills Waterline.pdf](#)
- M.2 Updates to the Council Rules of Procedure
[Proposed Updates to the Council Rules of Procedure.pdf](#)
- M.3 Discussion on Approved Ordinance No. 25-O-11.

N. UPDATES FROM STAFF

O. PUBLIC COMMENT - *Maximum of 3 minutes per person unless authorized by the Council.*

P. BUSINESS OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL (with Liaison Reports)

Q. ANNOUNCEMENTS - *City Hall Weekly Activity Reports are available on the City website at www.aberdeenmd.gov. Council Meeting agenda packets and documents are posted on the City's Website under "Meetings and Legislation".*

Q.1 Meetings:

Economic Development Commission, Wed., October 15, Council Chambers, 8:30 a.m.
Council Work Session, Monday, October 20, 2nd Floor Conference Room, 6 p.m.
Heritage Trust Meeting, Thursday, October 23, Council Chambers, 6:30 p.m.
Regular Council Meeting, Monday, October 27, Council Chambers, 7 p.m.
Board of Election Meeting, Wednesday, October 29, 2nd Floor Conference Room, 4 p.m.
Planning Commission Meeting, Wednesday, November 12, Council Chambers, 6 p.m.

Election:

Deadline for registering to vote for the Aberdeen Municipal Election is Tuesday, October 14, 2025. Contact Harford County Board of Elections.
Aberdeen Municipal Election, Tuesday, November 4, Aberdeen Activity Center, Franklin Street, 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Events:

Public Safety Appreciation Event/Truck or Treat, Sat. Oct. 15, Festival Park, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Christmas Home Decorating Contest, Entries due by Monday, December 1
Festival of Trees, Dec. 5 (4-8 p.m.) & Dec. 6 (9 a.m.-3 p.m.) Aberdeen Activity Center
Aberdeen's 48th Christmas Street Celebration, Saturday, December 6, 7 a.m. - 6 p.m.

R. CLOSED MEETING - TBD

S. ADJOURNMENT

Under Md. Code Ann., General Provisions Article §3-305(b), all or any portion of public meetings are subject to closure.