

AGENDA
[CITY COUNCIL] REGULAR MEETING of COUNCIL
May 5, 2026
6:30 PM

1. ROLL CALL

2. READING OF MINUTES

3. REPORTS & COMMUNICATIONS FROM MAYOR & HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS AND INTERESTED PARTIES AND CITY CLERK'S NOTES

3.A.NO BUSINESS AT THIS TIME.

4. CITIZENS PARTICIPATION

5. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS, APPOINTMENT AND/OR RE-APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS & COMMISSIONS MOTIONS & REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

5.A.MOTIONS.

5.B.FOR INTRODUCTION - AN ORDINANCE - AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION EASEMENT AGREEMENT FOR PARCEL LOCATED AT 2709 JACKSON STREET SCRANTON, PENNSYLVANIA FOR THE SINKHOLE REPAIR PROJECT.

[Ordinance - 2026 - Temporary Construction easement agreement - 2709 Jackson Street - Sinkhole Repair project.pdf](#)

5.C.FOR INTRODUCTION - A RESOLUTION - APPOINTMENT OF SAMUEL KUCHWARA AS A MEMBER OF THE SCRANTON MUNICIPAL RECREATION AUTHORITY TO REPLACE DYLAN CAWLEY FOR A TERM TO EXPIRE ON DECEMBER 31, 2027.

[Resolution - 2026 - Appointment of Samuel Kuchwara - Scranton Municipal Recreation Authority.pdf](#)

5.D.FOR INTRODUCTION - A RESOLUTION - AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND OTHER APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS TO EXECUTE AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH AMERICAN ASPHALT PAVING COMPANY TO PERFORM CITY OF SCRANTON'S SPRING PAVING.

[Resolution - 2026 - Contract with American Asphalt Paving for City of Scranton's Spring Paving 1 of 2.pdf](#)

- 5.E.FOR INTRODUCTION - A RESOLUTION - RATIFYING A DONATION TO THE CITY OF SCRANTON FROM CRAYOLA, LLC.

[Resolution - 2026 - Ratifying a donation from Crayola, LLC..pdf](#)

- 5.F.FOR INTRODUCTION - A RESOLUTION - AUTHORIZING THE APPROVAL OF A LETTER OF ENGAGEMENT BETWEEN THE OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS TRUSTEE AND MAHER DUESSEL FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF ANNUAL INDEPENDENT AUDIT SERVICES FOR THE CITY OF SCRANTON OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS TRUST.

[Resolution - 2026 - OPEB Trustee and Maher Duessel - Annual Independent Audit.pdf](#)

6. CONSIDERATION OF ORDINANCES - READING BY TITLE

- 6.A.NO BUSINESS AT THIS TIME.

7. FINAL READING OF RESOLUTIONS AND ORDINANCES

- 7.A.FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES - FOR ADOPTION - RESOLUTION NO. 44, 2026 - APPOINTMENT OF JOSEPH LOFTUS AS A MEMBER OF THE SCRANTON MUNICIPAL RECREATION AUTHORITY TO REPLACE NORMA JEFFRIES FOR A TERM TO EXPIRE ON JUNE 17, 2029.

[Resolution - 2026 - Appointment of Joseph Loftus - Member of the Scranton Municipal Rec Authority.pdf](#)

- 7.B.FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE COMMITTEE ON COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT - FOR ADOPTION - RESOLUTION NO. 45, 2026 - RESOLUTION FOR PLAN REVISION FOR NEW LAND DEVELOPMENT LOCATED AT 1721 N MAIN AVENUE.

[Resolution - 2026 - Plan Revision for new land development 1721 N Main.pdf](#)

8. OLD BUSINESS

- 8.A.FILE OF THE COUNCIL NO. 7, 2026 - AMENDING THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SCRANTON TO AMEND PROVISIONS RELATED TO DATA CENTERS AND RELATED PROVISIONS AS OUTLINED HEREIN.

[Ordinance - 2026 - Amending the Zoning Ordinance #1.pdf](#)

- 8.B.FILE OF THE COUNCIL NO. 8, 2026 - AMENDING THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SCRANTON TO AMEND PROVISIONS RELATED TO DATA CENTERS.

[Ordinance - 2026 - Amending the Zoning Ordinance #2 Overlay Map.pdf](#)

8.C. FILE OF THE COUNCIL NO. 12, 2026 - REGULATING THE SALE AND/OR DISTRIBUTION OF KRATOM (MITRAGYNA SPECIOSA) AND ITS ACTIVE RELATED ALKALOID, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO MITRAGYNINE AND 7-HYDROXYMITRAGYNINE (7-OH), AND/OR ANY SYNTHETIC, SEMI-SYNTHETIC, CONCENTRATED, OR CHEMICALLY MODIFIED DERIVATIVES THEREOF FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION OR INGESTION TO MINORS; PROHIBITING THE POSSESSION OF KRATOM (MITRAGYNA SPECIOSA) AND ITS ACTIVE RELATED ALKALOID, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO MITRAGYNINE AND 7-HYDROXYMITRAGYNINE (7-OH), AND/OR ANY SYNTHETIC, SEMI-SYNTHETIC, CONCENTRATED, OR CHEMICALLY MODIFIED DERIVATIVES THEREOF FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION OR INGESTION BY MINORS; AND, PROVIDING FOR ENFORCEMENT OF THESE PROVISIONS, INCLUDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS.

[Ordinance - 2026 - Regulating Sale - Distribution of Kratom - specific to Minors.pdf](#)

8.D. FILE OF THE COUNCIL NO. 13, 2026 - REGULATING THE SALE AND/OR DISTRIBUTION OF KRATOM (MITRAGYNA SPECIOSA) AND ITS ACTIVE RELATED ALKALOID, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO MITRAGYNINE AND 7-HYDROXYMITRAGYNINE (7-OH), AND/OR ANY SYNTHETIC, SEMI-SYNTHETIC, CONCENTRATED, OR CHEMICALLY MODIFIED DERIVATIVES THEREOF FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION OR INGESTION; PROHIBITING THE POSSESSION OF KRATOM (MITRAGYNA SPECIOSA) AND ITS ACTIVE RELATED ALKALOID, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO MITRAGYNINE AND 7-HYDROXYMITRAGYNINE (7-OH), AND/OR ANY SYNTHETIC, SEMI-SYNTHETIC, CONCENTRATED, OR CHEMICALLY MODIFIED DERIVATIVES THEREOF FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION OR INGESTION; AND, PROHIBITING THE MANUFACTURE AND PRODUCTION OF KRATOM (MITRAGYNA SPECIOSA) AND ITS ACTIVE RELATED ALKALOID, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO MITRAGYNINE AND 7-HYDROXYMITRAGYNINE (7-OH), AND/OR ANY SYNTHETIC, SEMI-SYNTHETIC, CONCENTRATED, OR CHEMICALLY MODIFIED DERIVATIVES THEREOF FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION OR INGESTION.

[Ordinance - 2026 - Regulating Sale - Distribution of Kratom.pdf](#)

9. ADJOURNMENT