

MINUTES
GIG HARBOR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
Monday, June 22, 2026 – 5:30 p.m.
Council Chambers

CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL

Mayor Barber called the meeting to order at 5:32 p.m. Councilmembers Ammann, Coronado, Ekberg, Martin, Rodenberg, and Tessicini were present. Councilmember Stone was excused.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

PRESENTATIONS

1. Harbor Hill Sanctuary Joint Proclamation with Pierce County
2. America's 250th Anniversary Proclamation

CONSENT AGENDA

MOTION: Move to approve the consent agenda (Ekberg/Martin).

VOTE: Unanimously approved.

1. Approval of Vouchers: AP check numbers 202595 thru 202699, PR check numbers 109161 thru 109165, and ACH payments in the amount of \$1,064,385.29
2. Approval of Payroll
3. SR16/Wollochet Drive Safety Improvements – Professional Services Contract Amendment #1 with Transportation Solutions, Inc. (TSI)

MAYOR'S REPORT

- America 250 upcoming celebration and videos
- Fireworks are prohibited in the city limits of Gig Harbor
- Upcoming AWC Conference

CITY ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

- Department Updates
- Kelly Palmore's graduation from Police Academy
- Commercial Fishing Homeport update
- Hunt/Skansie intersection restriping project

BUSINESS ITEMS

1. First Reading of Ordinance 15XX amending GHMC 13.34 regarding water and sewer service outside city limits

PUBLIC COMMENT

- Kent Kingman of Minterbrook Oyster Company spoke in support.

MOTION: Move to approve the ordinance amending GHMC 13.34 regarding water and sewer service outside city limits (Rodenberg/Ekberg).

VOTE: Unanimously approved.

2. Public Hearing on Resolution 1361 Adopting 2027-2032 Six-Year Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)

PUBLIC COMMENT

- Marlene Druker spoke on the agenda item.
- Larry Levine spoke on the agenda item.
- Karinna Olsen spoke on the agenda item.

MOTION: Move to amend the TIP by moving number 21 to number 7 (Coronado/Tessicini).

VOTE: Motion failed 3-4.

MOTION: Move to approve Resolution 1361 adopting the 2027-2032 Six-Year Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) (Ekberg/Coronado).

VOTE: Unanimously approved.

3. Public Hearing and First Reading of Ordinance Amending Critical Areas Code (GHMC 18.08)

MOTION: Move to approve amendments to GHMC 18.08 Critical Areas based on review of best available science (Martin/Tessicini).

VOTE: Unanimously approved.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS

- Karinna Olsen commented on a new business in the city.

COUNCIL REPORTS / COMMENTS

- Councilmember Coronado provided a Puget Sound Regional Council update.
- Councilmember Ekberg recently toured two businesses in the city that are under redevelopment.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF UPCOMING MEETINGS

1. Upcoming City Meetings

ADJOURN The meeting adjourned at 6:53 p.m.



Tiffany Aliment, CMC
City Clerk