



City Council

Legislative Session

July 14, 2025

Agenda

7:30 PM

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Mount Vernon City Council
Committee Meeting Schedule
July 14, 2025

6:25-6:40 p.m.	Chapter 1309: Motor Vehicle Storage	Land Use & Development Keener
6:40-6:55 p.m.	Code Enforcement Department	Employee & Community Relations Woods
6:55-7:15 p.m.	Waste-hauling legislation	Utilities Ruckman

- 07-14-25 Committee Meeting Schedule

MEETING WILL RECESS UNTIL 7:30 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

INVOCATION

Kage Queen, Lifepoint Church

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES

- City Council - Legislative Session - Jun 23, 2025 7:30 PM

RECEIVE PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

None.

RECEIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS

None.

LIQUOR CONTROL LICENSE

To R Chandat LLC, Hampton Inn Mt. Vernon, 1560 Venture Drive, Mount Vernon

- 07-14-25 Liquor Permit

PROCLAMATION

None.

PERSONS SPEAKING ON MATTERS OF CITY CONCERN

None.

RESOLUTIONS FOR THIRD READING**RESOLUTIONS FOR SECOND READING****RESOLUTION NO. 2025-65**

A RESOLUTION OPPOSING OHIO HOUSE BILL 335 AND URGING THE OHIO GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO REJECT LEGISLATION THAT ELIMINATES INSIDE MILLAGE AND TRANSFERS LOCAL BUDGETARY AUTHORITY TO COUNTY BUDGET COMMISSIONS.

Finance and Budget: Seavolt, Woods

RESOLUTIONS FOR FIRST READING**RESOLUTION NO. 2025-69**

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SAFETY-SERVICE DIRECTOR TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND TO ENTER INTO A QUALIFICATIONS-BASED CONSTRUCTION MANAGER-AT-RISK CONTRACT FOR THE NEW POLICE STATION AT 71 SYCHAR ROAD, MOUNT VERNON, OHIO; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Streets and Public Buildings: Severns, Ruckman

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-70

A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE OFFICIAL INTENT AND REASONABLE EXPECTATION OF THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON, OHIO ON BEHALF OF THE STATE OF OHIO (THE BORROWER) TO REIMBURSE ITS URBAN IMPROVEMENT FUND FOR THE FAIRGROUNDS ROAD UTILITIES IMPROVEMENTS AND RESURFACING PROJECT (OPWC PROJECT NUMBER C-Q32AB) WITH THE PROCEEDS OF TAX-EXEMPT DEBT OF THE STATE OF OHIO; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Streets and Public Buildings: Severns, Ruckman

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-71

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SAFETY-SERVICE DIRECTOR TO APPLY FOR CORPO DEDICATED FUNDS PROGRAMMED BY THE CENTRAL OHIO RURAL PLANNING ORGANIZATION (CORPO) TO IMPROVE THE INTERSECTION OF NORTH SANDUSKY STREET (STATE

ROUTE 13), UPPER FREDERICKTOWN ROAD AND CASSELL ROAD (STATE ROUTE 13); AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Streets and Public Buildings: Severns, Ruckman

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-72

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE AUDITOR OF THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON TO MAKE SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Finance and Budget: Seavolt, Woods

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-73

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE AUDITOR OF THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON TO PAY BILLS PURSUANT TO SECTION 5705.41 (D), THEN AND NOW CERTIFICATION.

Finance and Budget: Seavolt, Woods

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-74

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE AUDITOR OF THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON TO TRANSFER CERTAIN FUNDS.

Finance and Budget: Seavolt, Woods

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-75

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY TO PURCHASE CERTAIN SECURITIES AND FOR A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION TO PAY FOR THE PURCHASE.

Finance and Budget: Seavolt, Woods

ORDINANCES FOR THIRD READING

ORDINANCES FOR SECOND READING

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-17

AN ORDINANCE TO CREATE THE CODE ENFORCEMENT DEPARTMENT AND TO AMEND SECTION 129.02 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Employee and Community Rel.: Woods, Keener

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-21

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 755 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON REGULATING WASTE HAULERS, REQUIRING RECYCLING PERMITS, MANDATING ANNUAL REPORTS, ENSURING SECURE HAULING, AND ESTABLISHING AN APPEALS PROCESS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Utilities: Ruckman, Miller

ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-22

AN ORDINANCE FIXING THE NUMBER OF HOURLY EMPLOYEES IN THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON FIRE DEPARTMENT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Employee and Community Rel.: Woods, Keener

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-23

AN ORDINANCE TO REVISE CHAPTER 1309 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES REGULATING INOPERABLE, UNREGISTERED, AND JUNK VEHICLES, TRAILERS, AND OTHER MOTORIZED EQUIPMENT ON CITY STREETS AND PRIVATE PROPERTY; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Land Use and Development: Keener, Mahan

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-24

AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SELF-SUPPORTING UTILITY REVENUE BONDS IN THE AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000 FOR THE PURPOSE OF ACQUIRING AND INSTALLING WATER METERS AND PAYING OTHER COSTS OF IMPLEMENTING THE WATER AND WASTEWATER UTILITY'S H2OVERHAUL PROJECT; AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING RELATED MATTERS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Finance and Budget: Seavolt, Woods

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-25

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND CREATING CHAPTER 149 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON, WHITE-TAILED DEER MANAGEMENT WITHIN THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON, OHIO, AND MODIFYING ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT.

Land Use and Development: Keener, Mahan

REMARKS FROM THE ADMINISTRATION

REMARKS FROM COUNCIL

ADJOURN AT THE CALL OF THE PRESIDENT