



**City Council
Legislative Session**

Agenda

**August 25, 2025
7:30 PM**

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Mount Vernon City Council
Committee Meeting Schedule
August 25, 2025

6:55 -7:10 p.m.	Exec Session: Purchase/sale of property	Land Use & Development
7:10 -7:15 p.m.	Elected Officials' Compensation	Employee & Community Relations

- 08-25-25 Committee Meeting Schedule

MEETING WILL RECESS UNTIL 7:30 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

INVOCATION

Rev. Charles Wilson, Rector St. Paul's Episcopal Church

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES

- City Council - Legislative Session - Aug 11, 2025 7:30 PM

RECEIVE PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

None

RECEIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS

- LandUseandDevelopmentMinutes2025-08-11A
- LandUseandDevelopmentMinutes2025-08-11B

LIQUOR CONTROL LICENSE

None

PROCLAMATION

None

PERSONS SPEAKING ON MATTERS OF CITY CONCERN

None

RESOLUTIONS FOR THIRD READING

None

RESOLUTIONS FOR SECOND READING

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-76

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

Finance and Budget: Seavolt, Woods

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-77

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SAFETY-SERVICE DIRECTOR TO DISPOSE OF VEHICLES IN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT NOT NEEDED FOR PUBLIC USE BY THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Fire, Police and Civil Defense: Mahan, Seavolt

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-78

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON TO PARTICIPATE IN THE OHIO TREASURER'S ONLINE CHECKBOOK PROGRAM.

Finance and Budget: Seavolt, Woods

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-79

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE AUDITOR OF THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON TO RENAME THE "230 FUND", CREATE LINES WITHIN THE RE-NAMED FUND PURSUANT TO O.R.C. 5705.09(F), MAKE SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS TO THE NEW FUND; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Finance and Budget: Seavolt, Woods

RESOLUTIONS FOR FIRST READING

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-80

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SAFETY-SERVICE DIRECTOR TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND ENTER INTO CONTRACT FOR THE DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS RELATED TO THE RELOCATION OF STATE ROUTE 13 RELOCATION TO SOUTH SANDUSKY STREET PROJECT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Streets and Public Buildings: Severns, Ruckman

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-81

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO TRANSFER FEE SIMPLE TITLE TO ONE OR MORE PARCELS OF COMMERCIAL REAL PROPERTY OWNED BY THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON TO THE KNOX COUNTY LAND REUTILIZATION CORPORATION FOR PURPOSES OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Land Use and Development: Keener, Mahan

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-82

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SAFETY-SERVICE DIRECTOR OF THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON TO GRANT A SUPPLEMENTAL EASEMENT TO OHIO POWER COMPANY (DBA AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER); AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Land Use and Development: Keener, Mahan

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-83

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE SAFETY-SERVICE DIRECTOR TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT A CO-APPLICATION, WITH CLINTON TOWNSHIP, TO THE OHIO PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM AS PART OF A JOINT PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON, OHIO AND CLINTON TOWNSHIP, KNOX COUNTY, OHIO FOR FUNDING FOR THE CRYSTAL AVENUE WATER MAIN EXTENSION PROJECT.

Utilities: Ruckman, Miller

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-84

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE MODIFIED TAX BUDGET OF THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON, MOUNT VERNON, OHIO, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2026, AND SUBMITTING THE SAME TO THE AUDITOR OF KNOX COUNTY, OHIO.

Finance and Budget: Seavolt, Woods

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-85

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

Finance and Budget: Seavolt, Woods

ORDINANCES FOR THIRD READING

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

ORDINANCES FOR SECOND READING

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-26

AN ORDINANCE TO ACCEPT THE VACATION OF AN UNDEVELOPED, PLATTED ALLEY, IN THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON, KNOX COUNTY, OHIO; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Streets and Public Buildings: Severns, Ruckman

ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING

None

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-27

APPROVING THE ISSUANCE OF TAX-EXEMPT SPECIAL OBLIGATION PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE REVENUE BONDS BY THE MOUNT VERNON NEW COMMUNITY AUTHORITY IN A MAXIMUM AUTHORIZED AMOUNT OF \$3,000,000; AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF THE COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT; AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING RELATED ITEMS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Land Use and Development: Keener, Mahan

REMARKS FROM THE ADMINISTRATION

REMARKS FROM COUNCIL

ADJOURN AT THE CALL OF THE PRESIDENT