

# City of Kissimmee Council Meeting

DATE OF MEETING: Wednesday, September 3, 2025 - 6:00PM

# <u>Public Hearing - First & Second Reading</u> - All Approved 4-0 (Councilman Alvarez Absent)

- 4.A Policy for unsolicited proposals public / private partnerships
- 4.B Term limits for affordable housing committee complying with FI statues

# <u>Public Hearings</u> - Approved 4-0 (Councilman Alvarez Absent)

- 5.A Downtown Kissimmee Community Redevelopment Agency Master redevelopment plan
- 5.B Tentative Millage Levy and tentative Budget for fiscal year 2025 -2026
  - No increase to the city millage rate.
  - Members of the publ;ic expressed concern over possible property tax elimination and what this would mean for the city budget. The mayor and city manager are looking for ways to educate the residents.

### **Consent Agenda** - Approved 4-0 (Councilman Alvarez Absent)

Items - 7.A - 7.K

\*Item 7.B was removed for further work and clarification. Business Boost 2.0 - Career source agreement.

# <u>Discussion Items</u> -Approved 4-0 (Councilman Alvarez Absent)

\*As the CRA Board

- 8.A Vine Street Community Redevelopment Agency Budget
  - This includes but is not limited to the Kmart site, Osceola Arts Landscape, Columbia ave design...
- 8.B Downtown Kissimmee Community Redevelopment Agency Budget
- 8.C Holiday Lighting Agreement

\*As the city council Board

- 8.D Affordable Housing Committee Board Jesse Boyd
- 8.E Amendment to commission travel policy
  - Any commissioner who sits on a board and is invited on a board trip will be allowed to attend without the commission's approval as long as it follows city procedure and policy
  - The Mayor will be allowed to send a representative for travel (staff, city manager or other councilmember) in the event she can not attend.
- 8.F Development Project Updates
  - 6 major projects happening in the city and more to come
  - The city manager will begin to give updates on each at the council meetings moving forward.

#### **Closing comments**

# MAYOR JACKIE **ESPINOSA** COMMENTS:

Very concerned with the delegation of authority to the Planning Advisory Board.
Especially due to the current approval of a "food truck park".



- She expressed that there have been many issues in the past with food trucks and frustration due to inconsistency.
- A motion was made to revise the relevant code for food truck vendors, special ordinances and to review the authority delegation. Approved 3-0 Jeanette Martinez voted against.

### **COMMISSIONER NOEL ORTIZ COMMENTS:**

- Was in Puerto Rico with the City Manager & Economic development Director promoting how to do Business with the City of Kissimmee & Orange county.
- Looking into ways to bring la Universidad Interamaricana de Puerto Rico into the City of Kissimmee

#### VICE- MAYOR ANGELA **EADY** COMMENTS:

- Excited to shift the work of the council from the DT CRA to Vine Street

# PRO TEM COMMISSIONER CARLOS ALVAREZ III COMMENTS:..

Absent

#### **COMMISSIONER JANETTE MARTINEZ COMMENTS:**

Lissandra Roman from the planning advisory board will be having a ribbon cutting of the new "food truck vendor space"

#### **CITY MANAGER MIKE STEIGERWALD COMMENTS:**

- City Workshop on September 22, 2025 at 6pm
- Hispanic Heritage Month Reception on September 16th at 5pm at city hall

### **CITY ATTORNEY**

No comment.