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TO: ALL COUNCIL MEMBERS

FROM: COUNCILOR CHESTER W. PORTER, PRESIDENT

DATE: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2026

The Agenda for the Council Meeting on Tuesday, November 3, 2026 6:00 p.m. is outlined below. Other matters and information for the council follow the Agenda.

*******AGENDA*******

ITEM 1. Call to Order/ Invocation

ITEM 2. Pledge of Allegiance

ITEM 3. Council Roll Call

ITEM 4. Approval of minutes from October 20, 2026. Council vote necessary.

ITEM 5. Presentations, Awards, Announcements, and Recognitions.

********NEW BUSINESS********

ITEM 6. Weed Nuisances Report 8-19-2025- Set Hearing Date. Council vote necessary.

ITEM 7. A resolution authorizing Councilman Chester W. Porter to host an Educational Medicare Forum at the Bessemer Civic Center, East Meeting Room on Tuesday, November 10, 2026, at 6:00 P.M. Council vote necessary.

ITEM 8. Yasmin One Stop LLC - Type 050-Retail Beer/Type-700 Retail Table Wine and Type 990 Tobacco and Alternative Nicotine Products. Council vote necessary.

ITEM 9. A Resolution Setting the Observance of Holidays. Council vote necessary.

ITEM 10. **Councilor Cleo King is Requesting the Use of Bessemer Recreational Center Saturday December 19, 2026 for a Christmas Community/ Fun day giveaway in partnership "How High Inflatable. Council vote necessary.**

ITEM 11. **Approval of $700.00 from District 7 Donated Fund for Annual Thanksgiving luncheon. Council vote necessary.**

ITEM 12. **Resolution authorizing the settlement of certain disputed compensation claim arising from the 2026 Municipal transition of office. Council vote necessary.**

ITEM 13. **Council member's comments, statements or motions.**

ITEM 14. **Citizens Participation.**

ITEM 15. **Motion to Adjourn.**

PUBLIC COMMENTS
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