



Metropolitan Nashville and Davidson County, TN Meeting Agenda

Historic Metro Courthouse
1 Public Square, 2nd floor
Nashville, TN 37201

Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee

Tuesday, August 4, 2026

5:00 PM

Committee Room 2

Public Comment

Pursuant to Section 8 44 112 of the Tennessee Code Annotated, time is reserved for public comment on legislative items appearing on this agenda or related to the committee. Members of the public wishing to speak may sign up on the Council Committee signup sheet posted outside the room where the committee is scheduled to meet. Public Comment sign up for Council Committee meetings will end immediately before the meeting begins. Public Comment is limited to eight minutes total at Council Committee meetings and each speaker is allowed up to two minutes to speak. All public comment speakers must present proof of Tennessee residency. Requests for interpretation services and/or accessibility accommodations should be directed to the Council Office at 615 862 6780.

Las solicitudes de servicios de interpretación y/o adaptaciones de accesibilidad deben dirigirse a la Oficina del Consejo al 615 862 6780.

Resolutions

1. [RS2026-2179](#) A resolution honoring and recognizing David Tarpley for 56 years of service to the people of Nashville and Davidson County as an attorney with the Legal Aid Society of Middle Tennessee and the Cumberlands.

Sponsors: Suara, Styles, Huffman, Gregg, Vo, Harrell, Gamble, Weiner, Allen, Nash, Gadd and Evans-Segall
Legislative History

7/28/26	Metropolitan Council	referred to the Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee
7/28/26	Metropolitan Council	filed
2. [RS2026-2180](#) A resolution honoring the Nashville Humane Association on the occasion of its 80th anniversary.

Sponsors: Styles, Suara, Kupin, Gregg, Vo, Nash, Evans-Segall, Allen, Weiner, Gadd, Webb, Lee, Druffel, Benton, Bradford and Gamble
Legislative History

7/28/26	Metropolitan Council	referred to the Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee
7/28/26	Metropolitan Council	filed
3. [RS2026-2181](#) A resolution recognizing the 78th Japan-America Student Conference hosted in Nashville in August 2026.

Sponsors: Vo, Kupin, Harrell, Hill, Porterfield, Nash, Ewing, Suara, Druffel, Huffman, Evans-Segall, Gadd, Styles and Benton
Legislative History

7/28/26	Metropolitan Council	referred to the Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee
7/28/26	Metropolitan Council	filed

Bills on Second Reading

4. [BL2026-1496](#) An ordinance readopting the Code of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, Tennessee, prepared by Municipal Code Corporation including supplemental and replacement pages thereof, containing certain ordinances of a general and permanent nature enacted on or before December 17, 2025.

Sponsors:

Cash

Legislative History

7/14/26	Metropolitan Council	filed
7/21/26	Metropolitan Council	referred to the Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee
7/21/26	Metropolitan Council	passed on first reading

Board and Commission Appointees and Nominees

5. [26-134](#) Auditorium Commission
Consideration of nominees to fill two vacancies on the Commission with terms expiring June 30, 2029, with an election to be conducted at the August 18, 2026 Council meeting.
- Ron Deal, Jr. - nominated by CM Huffman.
 - Iman Khoshnaw - nominated by CM Suara
 - Rick Rodriguez - nominated by CM Sepulveda.

Legislative History

7/21/26	Metropolitan Council	nominated
7/28/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	referred for interview

6. [26-135](#) Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Commission
Appointment of Kim Paige for a term expiring March 12, 2028.

Legislative History

7/21/26	Mayor	filed
7/28/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	referred for interview

7. [26-113](#) Contract and Compliance Board
Reappointment of Marcus T. Booth for a term expiring March 3, 2028.

Legislative History

6/23/26	Mayor	filed
7/7/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	referred for interview
7/7/26	Metropolitan Council	deferred

7/21/26	Metropolitan Council	deferred
7/22/26	Mayor	filed
7/28/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	referred for interview

8. [26-136](#) Housing Trust Fund Commission
Reappointment of Lizzie Goddard for a term expiring September 17, 2031.

Legislative History

7/21/26	Mayor	filed
7/28/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	referred for interview

9. [26-137](#) Nashville Entertainment Commission
Reappointment of Peter Kurland for a term expiring June 20, 2030. Nominated by the International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees (IATSE).

Legislative History

7/28/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	referred for interview
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10. [26-138](#) Nashville Entertainment Commission
Reappointment of Michael Montgomery for a term expiring June 20, 2030. Nominated by the Screen Actors Guild - American Federation of Television and Radio Artists (SAG-AFTRA).

Legislative History

7/28/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	referred for interview
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11. [26-139](#) Nashville Entertainment Commission
Reappointment of Erika Wollam Nichols for a term expiring June 20, 2030. Nominated by the Nashville Songwriters Association International.

Legislative History

7/28/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	referred for interview
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12. [26-140](#) Parks and Recreation
Appointment of Gina Emmanuel for a term expiring April 30, 2028.

Legislative History

7/21/26	Mayor	filed
7/28/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	referred for interview

13. [26-141](#) Transportation and Licensing Commission
Appointment of David Andrews to complete an unexpired term, vacated by Juan Mera, which will expire October 10, 2026; and to begin a new term October 11, 2026 with an expiration date of October 10, 2028.

Legislative History

7/21/26	Mayor	filed
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7/28/26 Rules, Confirmations, and referred for interview
Public Elections Committee

Board and Commission Confirmations

14. [26-127](#)

Airport Authority
Appointment of Wallace Dietz for a term expiring April 5, 2031.

Legislative History

7/7/26	Mayor	filed
7/21/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	interviewed
7/22/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	referred for confirmation

15. [26-128](#)

Arts Commission
Appointment of Henry Walker for a term expiring January 1, 2028.

Legislative History

7/7/26	Mayor	filed
7/21/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	interviewed
7/21/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	referred for confirmation

16. [26-129](#)

Charter Revision Commission
Reappointment of Eileen Beehan for a term expiring September 4, 2030.

Legislative History

7/7/26	Mayor	filed
7/21/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	interviewed
7/21/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	referred for confirmation

17. [26-130](#)

Charter Revision Commission
Reappointment of Dewey Branstetter for a term expiring September 4, 2030.

Legislative History

7/7/26	Mayor	filed
7/21/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	interviewed
7/21/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	referred for confirmation

18. [26-131](#)

Hospital Authority
Reappointment of Dr. Raymond (Buz) Martin for a term expiring June 28, 2031.

Legislative History

7/7/26	Mayor	filed
7/21/26	Rules, Confirmations, and Public Elections Committee	interviewed

7/21/26 Rules, Confirmations, and referred for confirmation
Public Elections Committee

19. [26-132](#)

Hospital Authority

Reappointment of Dr. Courtney J. Pitts for a term expiring September 6, 2031.

Legislative History

7/7/26 Mayor filed

7/21/26 Rules, Confirmations, and interviewed
Public Elections Committee

7/21/26 Rules, Confirmations, and referred for confirmation
Public Elections Committee

20. [26-133](#)

Social Services Commission

Appointment of S. Will Acuff for a term expiring April 3, 2031.

Legislative History

7/7/26 Mayor filed

7/21/26 Rules, Confirmations, and interviewed
Public Elections Committee

7/21/26 Rules, Confirmations, and referred for confirmation
Public Elections Committee

Chair Report / Updates