



**CITY OF NEWPORT BEACH
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA**

JANUARY 31, 2026

COUNCIL CHAMBERS - 100 CIVIC CENTER DRIVE, NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING

TIME: 9:00 AM

LAUREN KLEIMAN, Mayor

NOAH BLOM, Mayor Pro Tem

MICHELLE BARTO, Councilmember

ROBYN GRANT, Councilmember

JOE STAPLETON, Councilmember

SARA J. WEBER, Councilmember

ERIK WEIGAND, Councilmember

SEIMONE JURJIS, City Manager

AARON C. HARP, City Attorney

LENA SHUMWAY, City Clerk

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1. Welcome (Mayor Kleiman)

- Call the Meeting to Order
- Roll Call by City Clerk
- Invocation
- Pledge of Allegiance

2. Update on Financial Status and Budget Development

City staff will provide an update on the City's fiscal status and a preliminary outlook for City revenues and anticipated expenditures that will be used to develop the FY 2026-27 budget.

[Planning Session - Powerpoint](#)

3. City Initiatives

City staff will provide an update and seek guidance on department initiatives, including crime prevention and public safety priorities, technology and communications improvements, harbor operations and management, and resiliency improvements.

4. Updates on Community Development and Projects

City staff will provide an update on advanced planning projects such as Corona del Mar commercial corridor study, Newport Coast local coastal program, kicking off the 7th Cycle Housing Element, customer service improvements, and supporting development.

5. Updates on Public Works and Capital Improvement Program

City staff will provide an update on staffing improvements and updates on some major projects such as lower castaways and the police station and discuss the development of the FY26-27 Capital Improvement (CIP).

6. Public Comments on Non-Agenda Items

Public comments are invited on non-agenda items generally considered to be within the subject matter jurisdiction of the City Council. Speakers must limit comments to three minutes. Before speaking, please state your name for the record.

ADJOURNMENT

Testimony given before the City Council is recorded.

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The timer light will turn red when the speaker has 10 seconds remaining.

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