



City of Bowie

Regular City Council Meeting

Monday, August 4, 2025
Council Chambers - 8 p.m.

AGENDA

- I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER**
- II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- III. QUORUM**
- IV. AGENDA ADDITIONS/DELETIONS/AMENDMENTS**
- V. CITIZEN PARTICIPATION**
- VI. PRESENTATIONS**
- VII. CITY BOARDS AND COMMITTEES**
 - A.** Appointments/Reappointments/Swearing-in
- VIII. COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS**
- IX. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT**
- X. CONSENT AGENDA**
 - A.** Approval of June 16, 2025 Council Meeting Minutes
 - B.** Adoption of Resolution R-50-25 Authorizing the Issuance of a Purchase Order to Mead & Hunt, Inc. for Task Order/RFP #4-13 in the Amount of \$29,459.53 in Accordance with the Master Contract Approved on December 3, 2018
 - C.** Adoption of Resolution R-51-25 Awarding a Contract to Riviera Enterprises for Large Trunk and Right-of-Way (ROW) Sewer Main Inspections and Cleaning in an Amount Not to Exceed \$750,000
 - D.** Adoption of Resolution R-52-25 Waiving the Competitive Bidding Requirements of Section 61 "Purchasing and Contracting" of the Charter of the City of Bowie to Allow the Purchase of Fourteen (14) Police Vehicles and Authorizing the City Manager to Issue a Purchase Order Through a State of Maryland Procurement Contract
 - E.** Adoption of Resolution R-53-25 Waiving the Competitive Bidding Requirements of Section 61 "Purchasing and Contracting" of the Charter of the City of Bowie to Allow the Renovation of the Synthetic Turf Field at Whitemarsh Park, and Authorizing the City Manager to Enter Into an Agreement with FieldTurf USA, Inc and Issue a Purchase Order in the Amount of \$711,415.00
 - F.** Adoption of Resolution R-54-25 Authorizing the Issuance of a Purchase Order to KCI Technologies, Inc. (KCI) for Task Order/RFP #11-03 in the Amount of \$94,956.87 in Accordance with the Master Contract Approved on January 7, 2019

- G. Adoption of Resolution R-55-25 Authorizing the Water Service Connection for Benjamin Tasker Middle School Located at 4901 Collington Road
- H. Adoption of Resolution R-56-25 Waiving the Competitive Bidding Requirements of Section 61 "Purchasing and Contracting" of the Charter of the City of Bowie to Allow the Purchase of Police Vehicle Upfitting Services and Authorizing the City Manager to Issue a Purchase Order Through a Howard County, Maryland Procurement Contract
- I. Adoption of Resolution R-57-25 Authorizing the Water Service Connection for One Salon Studios Located at 3327 Superior Lane
- J. Introduction of Charter Amendment Resolution CAR-2-25 Amending Sec. 61, "Purchasing and Contracting", and Sec. 62, "Cooperative Bidding", of the City Charter to Authorize the City Council to Set Purchasing Requirements and Procedures by Ordinance
- K. Introduction of Ordinance O-8-25 Amending City Code, Chapter 19A, "Procurement, Procedures," Article I, "Procurements Generally", to Increase the Competitive Bidding Threshold and to Prescribe Additional Regulations Relating to City Procurements, Including the Adoption of Alternative Procedures in Appropriate Circumstances

XI. OLD BUSINESS

- A. Adoption of Charter Amendment Resolution CAR-1-25 Amending Sec. 20, "Fixing Penalties for Violations of Ordinances", of the City Charter to Increase From \$1,000 to \$5,000 the Maximum Fine That Can be Assessed for a Violation of the City Code - **Public Hearing/Eligible for Action**
- B. Adoption of Ordinance O-7-25 Amending the Code of the City of Bowie, Chapter 5 "Building and Property Maintenance", Article II "Housing and Property Maintenance Code," § 5-6 "Definitions" to Add a Definition of Invasive Bamboo, and § 5-7 "Standards," to Prohibit Planting of Invasive Bamboo and to Require Those Who Currently Maintain Bamboo on Their Property to Contain It to Their Property - **Public Hearing/Eligible for Action**
- C. Strategic Planning Update - Representatives of staff strategic planning team will present the work they have completed on the City's Strategic Plan.

XII. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Baltimore Gas and Electric (BGE) Presentation - BGE representatives will brief the City Council on the current state of the utility within the city.
- B. Preliminary Plan of Subdivision PPS-4-24006, 2501 & 2405 Crain Highway - Robert Antonetti, the attorney for Rowhit Bowie, LLC., and his team will present to Council the Preliminary Plan of Subdivision PPS-4-24006, 2501 & 2405 Crain Highway for evaluation and approval. - **Public Hearing/Eligible for Action**

XIII. ADJOURNMENT

Note: The Ethics Commission has advised that under certain circumstances, members of the public may qualify as lobbyists when they testify before the City Council. If so, the Bowie Ethics Ordinance requires that certain information be filed with the Ethics Commission. Please review

the information about lobbying that is provided with the City Clerk. If you have any questions about lobbying, please contact the Ethics Commission or the Assistant City Manager.

This meeting will be televised live on Verizon Channel 10 and Comcast Channel 71 and 996, repeated on 8/6/2025 and 8/9/2025 at 7:00 p.m., and [web-streamed live](#).

For a closed-captioned version of the meeting video, please go to <https://www.youtube.com/user/cityofbowiemd/playlists> and select the 2025 Council Meetings list. Once the meeting video opens, be sure to click on “CC” button to turn on closed captioning.

NEXT REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOWIE CITY COUNCIL - TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2025 - COUNCIL CHAMBERS - 8:00 P.M.