



## **Columbia City Council Budget Workshop Agenda**

**Tuesday, June 9, 2026 at 1:00 PM**

City Hall • Mayor's Conference Room

1737 Main Street, 2nd Floor, Columbia, SC 29201

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The Honorable Daniel J. Rickenmann, Mayor  
The Honorable Edward H. McDowell, Jr. • The Honorable William Brennan  
The Honorable Tina N. Herbert, Mayor Pro-Tempore • The Honorable Peter M. Brown  
The Honorable Tyler D. Bailey • The Honorable Sam P. Johnson

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### **Call to Order**

### **Invocation**

### **Adoption of the Agenda**

### **City Council Discussion**

1. Fiscal Year 2026/2027 Special Revenues — Ms. Missy Caughman, CPM, MPA, Assistant City Manager / Strategic Initiatives & Innovation
  - *Hospitality Tax Fund*
  - *Accommodations Tax Fund*
  - *Tourism Development Fee*
  - *Liquor Permit Rebate*
  
2. Fiscal Year 2026/2027 Proposed Special Revenue Allocations
  - *Accommodations Tax Advisory Committee Recommendations — Mr. Hal Stevens, Committee Chair*
  - *Hospitality Tax Advisory Committee Recommendations — Ms. Amy Beth Franks, Hospitality Tax Advisory Committee Chair*
  - *Line-Item Agencies — Ms. Missy Caughman, CPM, MPA, Assistant City Manager / Strategic Initiatives & Innovation*
  
3. Midlands Authority for Conventions, Sports, and Tourism — Mr. Bill Ellen, President & CEO/ Experience Columbia
  
4. Capital City / Lake Murray Country Regional Tourism Board — Ms. Vickie Davis, Executive Director

### **Executive Session**

5. Discussion of negotiations incident to proposed contractual arrangements pursuant to S. C. Code §30-4-70(a)(2)

*Washington Square Retail Spaces*



**Adjournment**