

Notice of Public Meeting

Washington Parish Council
Regular Meeting
Washington Parish Courthouse
908 Washington Street, Franklinton, Louisiana 70438
Council Chambers
Monday, April 20, 2026 @ 5:30 PM

AGENDA:

1. Call to Order
2. Invocation
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Roll Call
5. Approval of Minutes: April 6, 2026, Regular Parish Council Meeting.
6. Suzie Potter: The Blood Center
7. Kelsey Knight: Washington Parish Animal Shelter
8. Andrew Jones: Discussion
9. Appeal: Filed March 18, 2026, concerning the decision of the Washington Parish Planning Commission on March 17, 2026, in the matter of Conditional Use Permit Application #2025-12-1916, proposing a new cell tower.

ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS/DISCUSSION ITEMS

10. Ordinance No. 26-785: Introduce an Ordinance Authorizing Washington Parish Government to Enter into a Predial Avigation Servitude Agreement.
11. Ordinance No. 26-786: Introduce an Ordinance Establishing "No Thru Truck Routes" on Certain Parish Roads as per Ordinance Number 13-577.
12. Resolution No. 26-1474: Adopt a Resolution to Reinstate 0.42 Miles of Jimmie Magee Road into the Washington Parish Road Inventory as an Active Parish Road No. 08-126.
13. Resolution No. 26-1475: Adopt a Resolution by the Washington Parish Council to Authorize the Parish President to Execute a Memorandum of Understanding with ADAPT, INC., for the Reimbursement of Eighty Percent (80%) of Eligible Training Expenses Using Opioid Litigation Proceeds.
14. Resolution No. 26-1476: Adopt a Resolution by the Washington Parish Council to Authorize the Parish President to sign an Intergovernmental Agreement to Provide the Washington Parish Fire Protection District #1 Funding from Opioid Settlement Funds.
15. Resolution No. 26-1477: Adopt a Resolution by the Washington Parish Council to Authorize the Parish President to sign an Intergovernmental Agreement to Provide the Washington Parish Fire Protection District #2 Funding from Opioid Settlement Funds.
16. Resolution No. 26-1478: Adopt a Resolution by the Washington Parish Council to Authorize the Parish President to sign an Intergovernmental Agreement to Provide the Washington Parish Fire Protection District #3 Funding from Opioid Settlement Funds.

17. Resolution No. 26-1479: Adopt a Resolution by the Washington Parish Council to Authorize the Parish President to Sign an Intergovernmental Agreement to Provide the Washington Parish Fire Protection District #4 Funding from Opioid Settlement Funds.
18. Resolution No. 26-1480: Adopt a Resolution by the Washington Parish Council to Authorize the Parish President to sign an Intergovernmental Agreement to Provide the Washington Parish Fire Protection District #5 Funding from Opioid Settlement Funds.
19. Resolution No. 26-1481: Adopt a Resolution by the Washington Parish Council to Authorize the Parish President to sign an Intergovernmental Agreement to Provide the Washington Parish Fire Protection District #6 Funding from Opioid Settlement Funds.
20. Resolution No. 26-1482: Adopt a Resolution by the Washington Parish Council to Authorize the Parish President to sign an Intergovernmental Agreement to Provide the Washington Parish Fire Protection District #7 Funding from Opioid Settlement Funds.
21. Resolution No. 26-1483: Adopt a Resolution by the Washington Parish Council to Authorize the Parish President to sign an Intergovernmental Agreement to Provide the Washington Parish Fire Protection District #8 Funding from Opioid Settlement Funds.
22. Resolution No. 26-1484: Adopt a Resolution by the Washington Parish Council to Authorize the Parish President to sign an Intergovernmental Agreement to Provide the Washington Parish Fire Protection District #9 Funding from Opioid Settlement Funds.
23. Resolution No. 26-1485: Adopt a Resolution by the Washington Parish Council to Authorize the Parish President to Sign an Intergovernmental Agreement to Provide the Franklinton Fire Department Funding from Opioid Settlement Funds.
24. Resolution No. 26-1486: Adopt a Resolution by the Washington Parish Council to Authorize the Parish President to Sign an Intergovernmental Agreement to Provide Bogalusa Fire Department Funding from Opioid Settlement Funds.
25. Public Participation
26. President's Report
27. Council Discussion
28. Adjourn

The next meeting will be held on May 4, 2026.

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