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## \*Notice of Public Hearing\*

WASHINGTON PARISH COUNCIL  
Regular Meeting  
Washington Parish Courthouse  
908 Washington Street, Franklinton, Louisiana 70438  
Council Chambers  
Monday, May 18, 2026 @ 5:30 PM

Ordinance No. 26-787: Adopt an Ordinance Amending Ordinance No. 19-649, Adjusting Commercial Customer Fees at the Choctaw Road Landfill and Other Matters Related Thereto.

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### AGENDA:

1. Call to Order
2. Invocation
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Roll Call
5. Approval of Minutes: May 4, 2026, Regular Council Meeting.
6. Proclamation: American Public Works Association Public Works Week.
7. 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

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- 10. Resolution No. 26-1488: Adopt a Resolution Entering into an Agreement with Capital Area Finance Authority.
- 11. Resolution No. 26-1489: Adopt a Resolution Granting Approval to Washington Parish Fire Protection District Number 2, State of Louisiana, to Call and Hold a Special Election on November 3, 2026, to Authorize the Renewal of the Levy and Collection of an eight (8) mill Tax on Assessed Valuation of all Property Subject to Taxation in the District, for a Period of ten (10) Years for the Purpose of Acquiring, Constructing, Improving, Maintaining and/or Operating Fire Protection Facilities and Equipment for the District and Paying the Cost of Obtaining Water for Fire Protection Purposes.
- 12. Resolution No. 26-1490: Adopt a Resolution to Declare Surplus and/or Scrap Movable Property and Authorization to Dispose of Same.
- 13. Resolution No. 26-1491: Adopt a Resolution by the Washington Parish Council to Authorize the Parish President to Sign an Agreement Between Meyer Engineers, LTD. and Washington Parish Government to Provide Engineering Services for Sidewalk Construction (Segment A2) in Downtown Franklinton Through State Project No. \_\_\_\_\_ - LA 16.
- 14. Public Participation
- 15. President's Report
- 16. Council Discussion
- 17. Adjourn

| Order of Voting       |               |
|-----------------------|---------------|
| Reginald<br>McMasters | Kim Wagner    |
| Carley King           | Clark Harry   |
| Joe Culpepper         | Steven Branch |
| Shawn Rice            |               |

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(All Ordinances, Resolutions, and attachments in their entirety are available at the Office of the Clerk of the Council at 909 Pearl Street, Franklinton, Louisiana or at 985.839.7825, or [wpgov.org](http://wpgov.org))

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