



CITY COUNCIL

ROBERT BLACKWELL MUNICIPAL BUILDING

12050 Woodward Avenue – Highland Park, Michigan 48203-2618

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**Highland Park City Council
In-Person and Virtual Regular Meeting
City Council Chambers 2nd floor
12050 Woodward Avenue
Monday, August 17, 2026
7:00 p.m.**

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MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of the Highland Park City Council is to implement the City Charter and to make legislative decisions that provide for good government, public peace, health, safety, and prosperity for the city.

AGENDA

- I. Opening Ceremonies**
- II. Roll Call**
- III. Approval of Agenda**
- IV. Approval of Proposed Minutes**
In-Person & Virtual Regular Meeting held July 6, 2026.

Mayor McDonald may speak to Council.

CITIZENS PARTICIPATION: A citizen may speak for no more than two (2) minutes on any item which appears on this agenda.

- V. ORDINANCE – 2nd and Final Reading**
 - a.** City of Highland Park Tax Exemption Ordinance – Gabrielle Apartments & Townhomes.
 - b.** City of Highland Park Tax Exemption Ordinance – Highland Manor Apartments.
- VI. TABLED ITEM**
Resolution to sell residential vacant side lot at 46 Richton to the property owner at 48 Richton for \$500.

VII. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

- a. Resolution approving the appointment of Keyaira Berry to the City of Highland Park Tax Increment Financing Authority (TIFA Board).
- b. Resolution approving the appointment of Theresa Johnson to the City of Highland Park Tax Increment Financing Authority (TIFA Board).
- c. Resolution approving the appointment of Myra Taylor to the City of Highland Park Tax Increment Financing Authority (TIFA Board).
- d. Resolution to approve a zoning text amendment for planned redevelopment projects.
- e. Resolution to approve a zoning text amendment regarding detention and immigration facilities.
- f. Resolution to sell residential vacant side lot at 107 Elmhurst to the property owner of 111 and 115 Elmhurst for \$500.

VIII. RECREATION

A resolution authorizing the acceptance of one hundred trees from The Greening of Detroit to be planted in the City of Highland Park right of way.

IX. OUTSIDE COMMUNICATION

Request from Barbara Reid to rename Mulford Place as Barbara Reid Drive.

CITIZEN PARTICIPATION: A citizen may speak for no more than two minutes pertaining to any subject.

COUNCIL AFFAIRS:

ADJOURNMENT: