

AGENDA



CITY COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING CORDELE CITY HALL – COURTROOM AUGUST 5, 2025

The Honorable Joshua Deriso
Chairman

The Honorable Vesta Beal Shephard
Ward 1

The Honorable J. Wesley Rainey
Vice Chairman Ward 4

Vacant
Ward 2

The Honorable Isaac H. Owens
Ward 3

REGULAR MEETING 9:00 AM

CALL TO ORDER

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF AGENDA – August 5, 2025

APPROVAL OF REGULAR MEETING MINUTES – July 15, 2025

RETIREE PRESENTATION: Mr. Ronnie Fowler – Forty years of Service to the City

SPEAKERS APPEARANCES:

- a. Mr. Douglas Dean: To inform the Commission about the Community of Cordele, 215 E. 13th Ave. The Community Center and its programming and event options for all citizens, especially children.
- b. Mr. Orlando Wolkooski: City form of Government – Strong Mayor
- c. Ms. Danita Doleman from Re-Grant Writing and Administration

SPEAKERS ON A SPECIFIC AGENDA ITEM:

DEPARTMENT HEADS REPORT:

1. Community Advancement Manager
2. Finance Department
3. Fire Department

4. Human Resource Director
5. Municipal Court
6. Planning and Community Development Director
7. Police /Codes/Animal Control
8. Public Works Department
9. Social Media Marketing Manager
10. UC&T Director
11. IT Department

AGENDA ITEMS

1. Consider and Approve an Event Permit: Car Show – Chris Willis/Celebrate Recovery Cordele. Cars, truck and motorcycle show to benefit Celebrate Recovery of Cordele. The event will be held on November 1, 2025, 9:00 AM – 2:30 PM; held at 8th Street from 11 ½ alley to 13 ½ alley. Need roads blocked: 8th Street from 11 ½ alley to 13th Ave alley. Reviewed by Chief Heard on July 29, 2025.
2. Consider and Approve the Request for items listed from Information Technology (IT) to be declared Surplus and Dispose of the Surplus Items via GovDeals.com.
3. Consider and Approve ESG-Inframark Emergency Services Agreement.
4. Discussion – Retirement Benefits
5. **CITY MANAGER’S REPORT:**
6. **CITY ATTORNEY’S REPORT:**
7. **EXECUTIVE SESSION:** (For Personnel, Litigation, Real Estate)
8. **ADJOURNMENT:**