



CITY OF TOLLESON

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**TOLLESON CITY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA
TOLLESON CIVIC CENTER
9055 WEST VAN BUREN STREET, TOLLESON, AZ 85353
ZOOM WEBINAR ID: 840 6967 9194
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2025
6:00 PM**

Doors open to Council Chambers at 5:45 PM for public seating. The public may be asked to temporarily relocate if an executive session occurs. The public will be invited back into Council Chambers when the Council returns from executive session.

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- A. CALL TO ORDER**
- B. INVOCATION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- C. ROLL CALL**
- D. FINAL CALL TO SUBMIT SPEAKER REQUESTS**

All citizens and interested parties wishing to speak before the Council regarding non-agenda items or during a public hearing shall fully complete a Speaker Request Form and submit the form(s) to the City Clerk prior to the meeting being convened. Citizens must complete one form for each item they want to address. Speaker Request Forms are located at the entrance of the Council Chambers. For Zoom participants, click the chat button, and enter your name and the item you would like to address. Submissions should be made no later than the Mayor announcing the "Final Call to Submit Speaker Requests". All speakers will be limited to 3 minutes unless otherwise noted by the Mayor. Speakers are not required to disclose their identities or personal information. You may also submit an online speaker request form at <https://www.tolleson.az.gov/speakerrequest> at least one hour prior to the meeting.

- E. CALL TO THE PUBLIC (NON-AGENDA ITEMS)**

This is the time for the public to comment on non-agenda items. Members of the Council may not discuss items that are not specifically identified on the agenda. Therefore, pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.01.H, action taken as a result of public comment will be limited to (1) responding to criticism; (2) directing staff to review the matter; or (3) asking that a matter be put on a future agenda.



F. SCHEDULED PUBLIC APPEARANCES AND PROCLAMATIONS – FOR DISCUSSION

1. Porfirio H. Gonzales Elementary School Student Council – Andrew Weete, Student Council Advisor
2. Proclamation declaring September 2025 as Service Dog Month in the City of Tolleson, encouraging all citizens to recognize and honor the vital role of service dogs in supporting individuals with disabilities, and to uphold the rights and dignity of those who lead more independent lives thanks to these remarkable companions. – Cheryl Klein and Zeus, Canine Companions

G. BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR – PUBLIC HEARINGS AND ACTION ITEMS

H. CONSENT AGENDA – ACTION ITEMS

Items on the Consent Agenda are of a routine nature and are intended to be acted upon in one motion. Council Members may pull items from Consent if they would like them considered separately.

1. Approve Regular City Council Meeting Minutes of August 26, 2025. (City Clerk Department)
2. Approve Claims and Bills Report for the period of August 20, 2025 to September 2, 2025. (Finance Department)
3. Approve the City of Tolleson's participation in the Purdue Direct Settlement and the Secondary Manufacturers Settlements related to national opioid litigation, and authorize the City Manager to execute all necessary participation and release agreements on behalf of the City. (Emergency Preparedness Department)
4. Approve the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement between the City of Tolleson and Municipal Emergency Services, Inc., dba Lawmen Supply Company, for Fire Fighter Self Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA), and authorize the City Manager to execute and deliver said Agreement. The City shall pay the Contractor an annual aggregate amount not to exceed \$350,000 for equipment and services. This Agreement shall remain in full force and effect until May 25, 2026. (Fire Department)
5. Adopt Resolution No. 2618 of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Tolleson, Arizona, approving the Intergovernmental Agreement between the City of Tolleson and the City of Avondale for detention, administrative, and transportation services, and authorizing the Mayor to execute the Agreement. The City shall pay Avondale the cost of one full-time Detention Facility Officer for the Initial Term and for each subsequent Renewal Term. This Agreement shall remain in full force and effect until June 30, 2026. After the expiration of the Initial Term, this Agreement shall automatically renew for up to four successive one-year terms. (Police Department)

6. Adopt Resolution No. 2619 of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Tolleson, Arizona, approving the Intergovernmental Agreement between the City of Tolleson and Maricopa County for the Connected Vehicle Acceleration Zone Project (TE088), and authorizing the Mayor to execute the Agreement. The Agreement remains in effect through the completion of all project phases. (Development Services Department)
7. Adopt Resolution No. 2620 of the Mayor and Council of the City of Tolleson, Arizona, approving the Grant-in-Aid Agreement between the Tohono O'odham Nation and the City of Tolleson, Arizona, for the purpose of providing funds to the White Tank Mountains Conservancy for wildlife conservation research in the amount of \$50,000, and authorizing the City Manager to execute said agreement. (City Management Department)

I. REGULAR AGENDA – ACTION ITEMS

1. Adopt/Deny Resolution No. 2617 of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Tolleson, Arizona, approving an Intergovernmental Agreement between the City of Tolleson and Tolleson Elementary School District No. 17 for the funding and operation of the District Preschool Program and the City's use of District facilities for after-school programs, youth sports, and special events, and authorizing the City Manager to execute said agreement. The Agreement provides for a total City contribution of \$400,000 to fund the Preschool Program during the 2025-2026 school year, commencing July 1, 2025, and expiring June 30, 2026, with the possibility of renewal upon mutual agreement of the Parties.(City Management and Parks & Recreation Departments)

J. WORK STUDY AND PRESENTATIONS – FOR DISCUSSION

K. MAYOR AND CITY MANAGER'S REPORT OF CURRENT EVENTS – FOR DISCUSSION

L. CONVENE INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION

1. Motion to go into executive session.
2. Convene into an executive session pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3) to receive legal advice and discuss and consult with the City Attorney regarding a potential rezoning of certain property within the City.
3. Convene into an executive session pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3) and (A)(4) to receive legal advice and discuss and consult with the City Attorney regarding a contract that is the subject of negotiations relating to a nonprofit organization.

M. RECONVENE INTO PUBLIC MEETING

N. ADJOURNMENT

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.01 and A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Tolleson City Council and to the general public that the Council of the City of Tolleson will hold a meeting open to the public. Council Members of the City of Tolleson will attend by telephone/video conference call.

Note: The City Council of the City of Tolleson, by a duly passed motion, may vote in public session to adjourn to executive session on any agenda item in conformation with A.R.S. § 38.431.03 for legal advice from the City Attorney.

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Posted on September 4, 2025.
Amended on September 8, 2025 at 2:00 PM.