

THE RAVENNA BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS WILL BE MEETING FOR THE PURPOSE OF REGULAR MEETING

DATE OF MEETING:	August 18, 2026
TIME OF MEETING:	7:00 PM
LOCATION OF MEETING:	Ravenna City Hall 103 N. Main St. Ravenna
TYPE OF MEETING:	Regular Meeting Agenda

Called to order

Regular Session (This Regular Session may, at any time, be recessed to convene an Executive Session for any purpose authorized by the Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code 551.)

1. **Citizens Opportunity to Speak:** [The Board of Commissioners invites persons with comments or observations to briefly Address the Board of Commissioners for he limited purpose of determining whether the matter should be referred to staff for study and response and/or be placed on a future meeting agenda. State law prohibits the Board of Commissioners from considering deliberations on any item not listed on the posted Board of Commissioners Agenda.]

2. **Statutory Consent Agenda-**The Statutory Consent Agenda includes non-controversial and routine Items that may be acted upon with one single vote. An item may be pulled from the Consent Agenda In order that it be discussed and acted upon individually as part of the Regular Agenda.

A. Consideration and possible action to approve meeting minutes for the Regular Meeting held on **July 21, 2026** and the Workshop Meeting Minutes held on **August 4, 2026**-Pat Patterson, City Secretary.

B. Consideration and possible action to accept financial report for month ending **July, 2026**.

3. Christie Ussery to speak on the tax rate for 2026 and to make any and all suggestions needed.

4. Consider and take action regarding 360 Broadband. Represented by 360 Broadband team to inform the city of the benefits.

5. Consider and take action regarding burn ban. (Deactivated)

A. Consider and take action regarding burn ban signs.

6. Reports from Commissioners and City Staff (No Action to Be Taken)

A. Mayor-Erik Premont

B. Mayor Pro Tem-Claude Lewis, Jr.

~~C. City Commissioner~~

D. City Secretary-Pat Patterson (activities and information)

~~E. Planning and Zoning-Mark Owens~~

~~F. Communications-James Peerey (update)~~

7. Consider and take action regarding the new budget for the FY year of 2026 thru 2027.

8. Consider and take action regarding a meeting for a public hearing for Community Center to set date.

9. Present the funds for services rendered by the Ravenna Volunteer Fire Department, as allotted in the FY budget of 2026 for the amount of \$3,000.
10. Consider and take action regarding installing new flag pole and purchasing new flags.
11. Consider and take action to propose the new tax rate of 0.110404 for 2026.
12. Consider and take action regarding pay increase for City Secretary.
13. Consider and take action regarding the following City of Ravenna public works projects: street Maintenance, road work, and culverts; solar streetlights; tree trimming and mowing. Discuss travel RVs and citizens residing in them. Repairs to the street and stop sign on the corner of Cedar and Main. Pipes and foundational rebar in back of City Hall building need cleanup. (Red Bud washout)
14. Adjournment.

The Ravenna Board of Commissioners hereby express its intention of considering, deliberating, and taking action on any item listed on this agenda unless specifically stated otherwise.

Posted August 11, 2026 at 2:00 AM.

Patricia Patterson, City Secretary

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