

Council Action

Highlights of Action Taken by Dublin City Council



City of Dublin
OHIO, USA

MONDAY, JANUARY 5, 2026
ORGANIZATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING
5555 PERIMETER DRIVE
COUNCIL CHAMBER

CALLED TO ORDER: 7:00 PM

OATHS OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED

- Council Member Amy Kramb – Ward 1 Representative
- Council Member Wendy Johnson – Ward 2 Representative
- Council Member Greg Lam – Ward 3 Representative
- Council Member Cathy De Rosa – Ward 4 Representative

MEMBERS PRESENT: Ms. Alutto, Ms. Amorose Groomes, Ms. De Rosa, Ms. Johnson, Mr. Keeler, Ms. Kramb and Dr. Lam.

ADJOURNMENT TO EXECUTIVE SESSION

MOTION CARRIED 7-0 TO ADJOURN TO EXECUTIVE SESSION FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSE:

- Personnel Matters: Considering the Appointment of a Public Official

RECONVENED – 7:34 PM

ELECTION OF MAYOR

MOTION CARRIED 7-0 TO ELECT CHRIS AMOROSE GROOMES TO SERVE AS MAYOR FOR A TWO-YEAR TERM (2026-2027)

ELECTION OF VICE MAYOR

MOTION CARRIED 7-0 TO ELECT CATHY DE ROSA TO SERVE AS VICE MAYOR FOR A TWO-YEAR TERM (2026-2027)

OATHS OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED

- Mayor Amorose Groomes
- Vice Mayor De Rosa

CONSENT AGENDA

MOTION CARRIED 7-0 TO APPROVE THE FOLLOWING CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS:

- Minutes of the December 8, 2025 Regular Council Meeting
- Excuse the Absence of Council Member De Rosa from the December 8, 2025 Regular Council Meeting

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- Notice to the Legislative Authority of a New D5A and D6 Liquor Permit to ASK Dublin Holding LLC, 5000 Upper Metro Place/HOME2 SUITES DUBLIN, 5000 Upper Metro Place, Dublin, OH 43017
- Notice to the Legislative Authority of a Transfer of Ownership of a D1, D2, and D3 Liquor Permit from Norms Place Inc, 6400 Dublin Park Drive, Dublin, OH 43016 to City of Dublin, SportsOhio – Field Sports, 6400 Dublin Park Drive, Dublin, OH 43016.

POSTPONED ITEM - SECOND READING/PUBLIC HEARING – ORDINANCES

Ordinance 50-25

Declaring the Improvement to Certain Parcels of Real Property in the City's Bridge Street District to be a Public Purpose and Exempt from Taxation; Providing for the Collection and Deposit of Service Payments and Specifying the Purposes for which those Service Payments may be Expended; and Authorizing Compensation Payments to the Dublin City School District and the Tolles Career and Technical Center

PASSED 7-0

INTRODUCTION/PUBLIC HEARING/VOTE – RESOLUTIONS

Resolution 01-26

Adopting the City of Dublin's Goals for 2026

PASSED 7-0

COUNCIL COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

MOTION CARRIED 7-0 TO APPROVE THE FOLLOWING STANDING COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS:

- ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE
 - Vice Mayor De Rosa – Chair
 - Council Member Alutto
 - Council Member Kramb
- COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE
 - Council Member Keeler – Chair
 - Council Member Lam
 - Council Member Johnson
- FINANCE COMMITTEE
 - Council Member Alutto – Chair
 - Council Member Keeler
 - Council Member Johnson
- PUBLIC SERVICES COMMITTEE
 - Council Member Kramb – Chair
 - Vice Mayor De Rosa
 - Council Member Lam

COUNCIL LIAISON APPOINTMENTS

MOTION CARRIED 7-0 TO APPOINT THE FOLLOWING COUNCIL MEMBERS TO REPRESENT COUNCIL IN THE FOLLOWING ROLES.

- PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION LIAISON REPRESENTATIVE
 - Council Member Kramb
- ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW BOARD LIAISON REPRESENTATIVE
 - Council Member Kramb
- DUBLIN ARTS COUNCIL BOARD REPRESENTATIVE
 - Council Member Keeler
- LIAISONS TO DUBLIN BOARD OF EDUCATION (2)
 - Vice Mayor De Rosa
 - Council Member Lam
- MID-OHIO REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION
 - Mayor Amorose Groomes
- 33 INNOVATION CORRIDOR GROUP and 161 CORRIDOR GROUP (2)
 - Vice Mayor De Rosa
 - Council Member Johnson
- LOGAN/UNION/CHAMPAIGN REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION
 - Council Member Keeler
- WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES LIAISON
 - Council Member Johnson
- DUBLIN WELLNESS ALLIANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE DESIGNEE
 - Council Member Lam
- SPORTSOHIO STEERING COMMITTEE (2)
 - Council Members Keeler and Alutto

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 8:21 PM.

Printed copies of approved legislation are available by contacting Legislative Services at 614-410-4400.

2026 DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING DATES

January 20, 2026 (Tuesday)	July 1, 2026 (Wednesday)
February 9, 2026	August 10, 2026
February 23, 2026	August 24, 2026
March 9, 2026	September 14, 2026
March 23, 2026	September 28, 2026
April 13, 2026	October 12, 2026
April 27, 2026	October 26, 2026
May 11, 2026	November 9, 2026
May 26, 2026 (Tuesday)	November 16, 2026
June 8, 2026	December 7, 2026
June 22, 2026	

Council Meetings are held in the Council Chamber, 5555 Perimeter Drive, Dublin, Ohio 43017. Council Meetings begin at 7:00 PM. Executive Sessions, if needed, are scheduled immediately prior to the start of the Council Meeting.