



CITY COUNCIL FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS 2026

| Original Request Date | Council Member | Agenda Item Title/Topic | Description/Purpose | Requested Fulfillment Date | Assigned Department | Meeting Format | Status |
|-----------------------|----------------|---|--|----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| May 19, 2026 | Lynne | At-Large City | Receive an opinion from the City Attorney regarding the elimination of districts, to have the entire City be at-large | June | City Attorney | Memo | |
| May 5, 2026 | Lynne | Water Bill Trash Fee | Consider changing the wording on the water bill from “trash fee” to closure fee for the landfill to be more accurate. | June 16 | Finance | Memo | |
| | Bennett-Burton | Update on trade areas: cell data vs. the Walmart method vs. the Census. | Update regarding trade areas using cell data vs. the Walmart method vs. the Census. | June 16 | Economic Development | Memo | Bring back the requested information. |
| May 5, 2026 | Reid | Motorcycle Unit Statistics | Report on the impact the new motorcycle unit has had on the community. | June 23 | Police Department | Memo | |
| May 5, 2026 | Lynne | Speeding on Residential Streets | Traffic analysis with respect to speeding on residential streets in the city | June 23 | Police Department | Memo | |
| April 21 | Villafranca | Unidos Program | Discuss the creation or partnership with the City of Carrollton regarding the Unidos Program | June 23 | Police Department | Memo | |
| May 19, 2026 | Lynne | Subcommittees | Rules for Subcommittees, who can serve, and if they are needed | June 30 | Administrative Services | Board Appointment Workshop | |
| March 3, 2026 | Bennett-Burton | DART ILA | As we move forward with DART and the ILA, consider how we will use the funds to create a plan to work with DART and secure the DART station. | July | CMO | | |
| May 5, 2026 | Lynne | Communication with staff | Future discussion regarding communication with staff. | July 7 | CMO | Regular | |
| November 18, 2025 | Bennett-Burton | Relocate Liberty Plaza | Present options to relocate Liberty Plaza to a more prominent location, such as Valley View or Historical Park. Present options on cost and potential designs. | July 7 | Parks | Study Session | Bring back design concepts and |

| Original Request Date | Council Member | Agenda Item Title/Topic | Description/Purpose | Requested Fulfillment Date | Assigned Department | Meeting Format | Status |
|-----------------------|----------------|---|--|----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|---|
| | | | | | | | costs for Rose Garden area |
| June 2, 2026 | Villafranca | Public Information Requests | Allow the Council to consider changes to the City's Public Information Act policy to include clear procedures for responding to numerous requests to find a balance between transparency and harassment, reduce the burden on staff, and to protect the city's ability to operate efficiently and effectively. What resources are being used, how much is actually being spent on staff time. What are other cities doing. | July 7 | City Attorney | | |
| October 21, 2025 | Bennett-Burton | PFC and HFC | Presentation on Public Facility Corporation and housing finance corporations, structure, purpose, and applications for implementation in Farmers Branch. | July 7 | Economic Development | Memo | Provide further research on the benefits to the City and the structure of the PFC. |
| June 3, 2025 | Bennett-Burton | Blockchain | Receive a presentation update regarding the implementation of blockchain and A.I. | July 7 | Innovation & Technology | Study Session | Presentation from IT |
| February | Villafranca | Metrocrest Chamber Update | Receive update from Metrocrest Chamber. | July 7 | CMO | Regular | Will be addressed as part of regular annual update by non-profits. |
| March 18, 2026 | Bennett-Burton | Harassment and discrimination awareness | Update from the City Attorney's office on the harassment and discrimination awareness presentation the Council received on October 8, 2025. | July 7 | City Attorney | Study Session | Council received training on October 8, 2025, and during Council orientation in November 2025. This is an additional request. |

| Original Request Date | Council Member | Agenda Item Title/Topic | Description/Purpose | Requested Fulfillment Date | Assigned Department | Meeting Format | Status |
|-----------------------|----------------|--|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|--|
| January 6, 2026 | Neal | Charter Review Committee Updates | Provide quarterly updates regarding the Charter Review Committee's progress and Council-requested topics of discussion. | April 7 July 7 October 20 | Administrative Services | Study Session | |
| May 5, 2026 | Villafranca | Venue 1842 | Explore ways to make Venue 1842 more reasonable and accessible for residents and others. | August | Parks Department | Study Session | |
| June 3, 2025 | Villafranca | Sister City Program | Discuss: a. The Sister City Program. b. Liaisons for the Sister City Program and its expansion. | August 4 | Economic Development | Regular | Reestablish relationship with current Sister Cities with modifications to orient the program toward economic benefit |
| August 19, 2025 | Lynne | Trash Bins | Screening of trash bins visible from the street. | August 4 | Community Services | Study Session | Discussion held at 11/4/25 Council meeting. Bring back in six months for further discussion and review after driving city. |
| October 22, 2024 | Neal | Regulations regarding large vehicles, RVs, & campers | Discuss regulations related to large vehicles, RVs, and campers. | August 4 | Community Services | | Bring back creative ideas to assist those with commercial vehicles. |
| January 20, 2026 | Neal | Garage Conversion Program | Updated ordinance extending the Garage Conversion Amnesty Program for 6 months. | August 4 | Community Services | Consent Agenda | Bring back in six months with updated numbers. |

| Original Request Date | Council Member | Agenda Item Title/Topic | Description/Purpose | Requested Fulfillment Date | Assigned Department | Meeting Format | Status |
|-----------------------|----------------|--|---|----------------------------|---------------------|----------------|--------|
| May 19, 2026 | Villafranca | Landscaping Ordinances | Review existing residential landscaping ordinances and regulations to evaluate and develop standards and guidelines that would allow and regulate xeriscape landscaping, butterfly gardens, native plantings, and other pollinator-friendly landscaping practices while maintaining neighborhood appearance, property maintenance, drainage, visibility, and public safety standards. | August | Community Services | Study Session | |
| May 19, 2026 | Neal | Mulching Operations | Conduct a comprehensive feasibility analysis of establishing internal mulching operations, including an evaluation of current disposal costs, potential cost offsets, operational models, and opportunities for brush diversion. The analysis should also assess pilot program options, sustainability impacts, and applicable regulatory and implementation considerations. Staff should return to Council with findings and recommendations to support an informed policy decision. | August | Parks | Study Session | |
| May 19, 2026 | Lynne | Enhanced Landscaping | Enhance landscaping on Marsh Lane between IH 635 and Valley View Lane. | August | Parks | | |
| June 2, 2026 | Bennett-Burton | Community Ambassador & Youth Engagement Initiative | City Manager evaluates the creation of a Community Ambassador Youth Engagement Initiative that is focused on volunteer-driven mentorship, positive youth engagement, park activation, and intergenerational community involvement, including evaluation of a budget-neutral volunteer coordinator position to support recruitment, coordination, training, and management of community ambassadors and volunteers. | August | CMO | | |
| June 2, 2026 | Bennett-Burton | Assistant City Attorney | City Manager to evaluate the City's legal services structure, including the potential implementation of in-house operational legal support to enhance organizational efficiency, risk management, compliance, | August | CMO | | |

| Original Request Date | Council Member | Agenda Item Title/Topic | Description/Purpose | Requested Fulfillment Date | Assigned Department | Meeting Format | Status |
|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|--------|
| | | | and responsiveness to departmental and administrative needs. This will not replace the existing external City Attorney. | | | | |
| June 2, 2026 | Bennett-Burton | Council Training | <p>City Manager to establish a formal process for recurring Council educational and training sessions, including incorporating at least one educational presentation or training topic per month during a Council study session.</p> <p>The purpose of establishing this process is to support ongoing Council education and awareness regarding municipal governance, legal requirements, ethics, policy oversight, and fiduciary responsibilities to assist the Council in carrying out its policymaking and oversight functions.</p> | September | CMO/ Administrative Services | | |
| June 2, 2026 | Bennett-Burton | Legislative Platform | City Manager to research and evaluate potential legislative opportunities related to property tax relief for seniors and residents during the 90th Legislative Session, while maintaining the City's ability to sustain current service levels, operational needs, and long-term financial stability. | September | CMO | | |
| May 5, 2026 | Villafranca | Election Voting Sites | <p>Requesting that staff coordinate with Dallas County Elections to evaluate replacing one existing polling location with a new site on the west side of the city, including analysis of accessibility, voter data, and cost implications, and return to Council with recommendations.</p> <p>Analysis of locations in our city and determine what makes sense</p> | October | Administrative Services | Study Session | |
| June 2, 2026 | Reid | Valwood Improvement Authority | Review and evaluate the inclusion of a strategic assessment of the Valwood Improvement Authority within the City's | Part of Legislative Session | CMO | | |

| Original Request Date | Council Member | Agenda Item Title/Topic | Description/Purpose | Requested Fulfillment Date | Assigned Department | Meeting Format | Status |
|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------|----------------|--------|
| | | | legislative priorities, including its statutory authority, governance framework, operational responsibilities, board composition requirements, board compensation, and overall alignment to provide property tax relief for Mercer Crossing. With the City's long-term redevelopment, infrastructure investment, and economic development objectives for the Valwood corridor and surrounding area. | | | | |
| June 2, 2026 | Reid | Electric Motorbikes | Electric motorbikes and similar vehicles: what we can do from an ordinance perspective to provide increased safety for riders and other residents. | Part of Legislative Session | CMO | | |
| June 2, 2026 | Neal | Performing Arts Center | Research a long-term strategic assessment of a Performing Arts Center and its potential role in supporting economic vitality, tourism, cultural enrichment, and community engagement in Farmers Branch. | | Economic Development /CMO | | |

CITY COUNCIL REQUESTED AGENDA ITEMS

| | | | | | | |
|-------|-----------------------------------|---|-----------------------|--------------|---------------|--|
| Lynne | Mass Timber | Presentation by HKS regarding mass timber and provide the same presentation to the Planning and Zoning Commission. | Presentation from HKS | City Council | Study Session | |
| Lynne | Constellation of Living Memorials | Determine if the vendor "Constellation of Living Memorials" can assist the city with cemeteries within our city limits. | | City Council | | |
| Lynne | Tours | Scheduling of City Council tours to tour the landfill, City service center, water pump facilities, and public safety centers. | | | | |

CITY COUNCIL REQUESTED AGENDA ITEMS UNDER REVIEW

| | | | | | | | |
|----------|-------------|------------|--|--|--------------|------|-------------------------------------|
| April 21 | Villafranca | Speedhumps | Discuss the need for speedhumps on Ridgeoak. | | Public Works | Memo | Memo sent to Council week of June 2 |
|----------|-------------|------------|--|--|--------------|------|-------------------------------------|