



CITY OF FITCHBURG

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

CITY COUNCIL FINANCE COMMITTEE

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FITCHBURG CITY CLERK

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MEETING DATE:	<u>Wednesday, October 14, 2026</u>
MEETING TIME:	<u>6:00 ☐AM ☒PM</u>
MEETING PLACE:	<u>FITCHBURG CITY HALL CAMPUS</u>
Name of building (if applicable)	<u>Legislative Building</u>
Room number (if applicable)	<u></u>
Address	<u>700 Main Street</u>
City	<u>Fitchburg, MA 01420</u>

The meeting can also be viewed on FATV.org by choosing Government Live Stream, on Comcast Channel 9, or on Verizon Channel 36.

This meeting will be open to the public. Persons who wish to participate remotely in the Public Forum portion of the meeting may request a remote attendance meeting link by contacting the City Clerk at cityclerk@fitchburgma.gov prior to NOON on the day of the meeting.

AGENDA ITEMS:

- Announcement regarding recording of public meetings
- Public Forum

**COUNCIL AS A WHOLE MEETING

162-26 ORDER: the City of Fitchburg hereby approves the expenditure of grant funds from the United Way of North Central Massachusetts, in the approximate amount of TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$20,000), awarded to the city Recreation Program from the DESE After School and Out of School Time Program Grant to cover the cost of weekly STEAM (Science Technology Engineering Arts Math) activities throughout the school year in collaboration with the Fitchburg Public Library.

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163-26 ORDER: the City of Fitchburg hereby approves the expenditure of a donation from the Friends of Coggs Hall Park, in the approximate amount of FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS \$15,000, toward the purchase and installation of a new playground at Coggs Hall Park.

164-26 ORDER: the City of Fitchburg hereby approves an expenditure by the Parks Department of FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$15,000) from the Henry F. Coggs Hall Trust toward the purchase and installation of a new playground at Coggs Hall Park.

By Jacquelyn Cronin, Clerk, for Derrick J. Cruz, Chairman

**** THIS NOTICE IS PROVIDED IN THE EVENT THAT A QUORUM OF THE CITY COUNCIL IS PRESENT AT THIS STANDING COMMITTEE MEETING, THEREBY CONSTITUTING A COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE. IF FEWER THAN A QUORUM OF THE CITY COUNCIL IS PRESENT, NO COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING SHALL BE CONVENED. IF A QUORUM IS PRESENT, THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE SHALL BE LIMITED STRICTLY TO THE STANDING COMMITTEE AGENDA ITEMS LISTED ABOVE.**

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