

- 6:00 p.m. Call to Order.
- Moment of Silence.
- Pledge of Allegiance.
- Roll Call.
- Proclamations:
- Petitions and Statements of Citizens (3 mins. per speaker).
- A. Consent Agenda:
1. Approve the City Council Meeting Minutes of the:
 - a. Regular Meeting of July 7, 2026
 2. Approve the Accounts Payable Register of July 21, 2026, as presented.
 3. Award a contract to Detroit Salt for the early delivery of 2,500 tons of ice control salt at \$73.68 per ton, totaling \$184,200.00; and for seasonal back-up of 1,200 tons at \$76.21 per ton, totaling \$91,452.00, to be supplied on an as-needed basis, and authorize the City Manager to execute all related documents on behalf of the city.
 4. Approve the Preliminary Condo Plan for Firestone Site Condominiums at 4221 Zylman Avenue.
 5. Adopt the Resolution for Charitable Gaming License recognizing Shakespeare in Kalamazoo as a nonprofit organization in the City of Portage.
 6. Receive Rezoning Amendment #26/27-1 to amend the Code of Ordinances of the City of Portage, Michigan, Article 4 - Zoning of Chapter 42 and Chapter 44 by adopting a zoning map amendment to effectuate a city-wide rezoning as more specifically described in Ordinance O-4-2026, and to establish Public Hearing on August 11, 2026.
 7. Minutes of Boards & Commissions:
 - a. Historic District Commission
 8. Materials Transmitted.
 9. Calendar of Meetings:
 - Historic District Commission: Wednesday, August 5 at 8:30 a.m. in the Heritage Room of the Portage District Library (300 Library Lane)
 - Park Board: Wednesday, August 5 at 6:30 p.m. at Ramona Park (8600 S Sprinkle Rd)
 - Human Services Board: Thursday, August 6 at 5:30 p.m. in Conference Room 1 at Portage City Hall
 - Planning Commission: Thursday, August 6 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at Portage City Hall
 - Zoning Board of Appeals: ~~Monday, August 10 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at Portage City Hall~~ CANCELED
- B. Communications:
- C. Public Hearings:
- D. Regular Business Agenda:
1. Convene in closed session at the July 21, 2026 regular meeting pursuant to the Michigan Open Meetings Act MCL 15.268 Section 8 (f), to review and consider the contents of applicants for the position of Portage City Manager who have requested confidentiality.
- E. Unfinished Business:

1. Adopt the amendment to Division 2, Article 5 "Purchases and Sales" in the City of Portage Code of Ordinances.

F. Council Committee Reports:

G. New Business:

H. Statements of City Council and City Manager.

Adjournment.

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