MINUTES OF THE SALT LAKE CITY COUNCIL
Tuesday, September 15, 2026

The City Council of Salt Lake City, Utah, met in Formal Session on Tuesday, September 15, 2026.

The following Council Members were present:
Alejandro Puy, Victoria Petro, Chris Wharton, Jennifer Napier-Pearce, Erika Carlsen, Daniel Dugan, Sarah Young

Present Legislative Leadership:
Jennifer Bruno – Executive Director, Lehua Weaver – Deputy Director, Nick Tarbet – Deputy Director

Present Administrative Leadership:
Mayor Erin Mendenhall, Rachel Otto – Chief of Staff

Present City Staff:
Mark Kittrell – City Attorney, Keith Reynolds – City Recorder, Caitlin Carlino – Minutes & Records Clerk, Taylor Hill – District Liaison/Policy Specialist, Scott Corpany – Staff Assistant, Allison Rowland – Senior Public Policy Analyst, Michael Sanders – Budget & Policy Analyst, Sylvia Richards – Public Policy Analyst, Austin Kimmel – Public Policy Analyst

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 p.m.

A. OPENING CEREMONY:

1. Council Member Alejandro Puy will conduct the formal meeting.

   Council Member Dan Dugan conducted the formal meeting.

2. Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Welcome and Public Meeting Rules.
4. The Council will approve the work session meeting minutes of July 14, 2026, as well as the formal meeting minutes of July 21, 2026.

   Motion:
   Moved by Council Member Young, seconded by Council Member Wharton to approve the work session meeting minutes of July 14, 2026, as well as the formal meeting minutes of July 21, 2026.
   AYE: Alejandro Puy, Victoria Petro, Chris Wharton, Jennifer Napier-Pearce, Erika Carlsen, Daniel Dugan, Sarah Young
   Final Result: 7 – 0 Pass

5. The Council will consider adopting a joint ceremonial resolution with Mayor Mendenhall recognizing September as National Suicide Prevention Month in Salt Lake City.

   Summary:

   Council Member Carlsen read the joint ceremonial resolution recognizing September 2026 as National Suicide Prevention Month in Salt Lake City, highlighting available mental health and suicide prevention resources and encouraging residents to learn how to recognize warning signs and support individuals experiencing a crisis.

   Alissa Burnham (Suicide Prevention Coordinator, Salt Lake County Health Department), alongside **Emma Blake** (Suicide Prevention Health Educator, Salt Lake County Health Department), accepted the resolution and spoke about suicide prevention through community partnerships, safe firearm storage, awareness of 988 as a suicide crisis hotline, and other resources, suicide prevention training, and strengthening community connections.

   Motion:
   Moved by Council Member Wharton, seconded by Council Member Petro to adopt Joint Resolution 9 of 2026, recognizing September as National Suicide Prevention Month in Salt Lake City.
   AYE: Alejandro Puy, Victoria Petro, Chris Wharton, Jennifer Napier-Pearce, Erika Carlsen, Daniel Dugan, Sarah Young
   Final Result: 7 – 0 Pass

6. The Council will consider adopting a joint ceremonial resolution with Mayor Mendenhall declaring the second Monday in October as Indigenous Peoples Day in Salt Lake City.

Summary:

Council Member Napier-Pearce read the joint ceremonial resolution declaring the second Monday in October as Indigenous Peoples Day in Salt Lake City, recognizing that Salt Lake City was established on Indigenous lands and reaffirming the City's commitment to human rights, inclusion, and respect for Indigenous communities.

Sienna Riggs (Ambassador, Center for Native Excellence & Tribal Engagement, University of Utah) accepted the resolution and spoke about advocating for Native American students, creating a sense of belonging for all students, and the importance of recognizing and preserving Indigenous culture and traditions.

Motion:
Moved by Council Member Young, seconded by Council Member Napier-Pearce to adopt Joint Resolution 10 of 2026, declaring the second Monday in October as Indigenous Peoples Day in Salt Lake City.
AYE: Alejandro Puy, Victoria Petro, Chris Wharton, Jennifer Napier-Pearce, Erika Carlsen, Daniel Dugan, Sarah Young
Final Result: 7 – 0 Pass

B. PUBLIC HEARINGS:

Items B1 – B3 will be heard as one public hearing.

1. **Grant Application: Fiscal Year 2026 COPS Hiring Program Grant**

The Council will accept public comment for a grant application request from the Police Department to the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS). If awarded, the grant would fund up to 75% of salary and benefits for 12 full-time entry-level officers over three years. The grant period is October 1, 2026 to September 20, 2031.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - n/a
Set Public Hearing Date - n/a
Hold hearing to accept public comment - Tuesday, September 15, 2026 at 7 p.m.
TENTATIVE Council Action - n/a

Staff Recommendation - Close and refer to future consent agenda.

Items B-1 through B-3 were heard as one public hearing. See Item B-3 for minute entry.

2. Grant Application: Department of Workforce Services - State Appropriation

The Council will accept public comment for a grant application request from the Police Department to the Department of Workforce Services, Office of Homeless Services. If awarded, the grant would fund the expansion of the Project Connect program, as well as the cost and supplies for four new full-time positions.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - n/a
Set Public Hearing Date - n/a
Hold hearing to accept public comment - Tuesday, September 15, 2026 at 7 p.m.
TENTATIVE Council Action - n/a

Staff Recommendation - Close and refer to future consent agenda.

Items B-1 through B-3 were heard as one public hearing. See Item B-3 for minute entry.

3. Grant Application: Police Traffic Services Equipment Program Grant

The Council will accept public comment for a grant application request from the Police Department to the Utah Department of Public Safety, Highway Safety Office. If awarded, the grant would fund 12 LiDAR units used for traffic enforcement, replacing older units. The grant period is October 1, 2026 to September 30, 2027.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - n/a
Set Public Hearing Date - n/a
Hold hearing to accept public comment - Tuesday, September 15, 2026 at 7 p.m.
TENTATIVE Council Action - n/a

Staff Recommendation - Close and refer to future consent agenda.

Items B-1 through B-3 were heard as one public hearing.

Summary:

Sylvia Richards provided an introduction to the three grant applications, including funding for additional Police Department officers, expansion of the Project Connect program through additional social workers, and replacement traffic enforcement equipment.

Public Comments:

MJ Powell supported the grant applications, particularly the expansion of Project Connect, while encouraging greater investment in violence prevention, mental health resources, housing stability, and other approaches intended to reduce the need for police intervention.

Ben Engel supported the grant funding and community-oriented policing while raising concerns about privacy.

Olive Peterson Jacoby opposed the COPS Hiring Program Grant, citing concerns about officer conduct, enforcement practices, and continued investment in additional police staffing rather than community-based services.

Motion:
Moved by Council Member Young, seconded by Council Member Petro to close the public hearing and refer items B-1 through B-3 to a future Consent Agenda for action.
AYE: Alejandro Puy, Victoria Petro, Chris Wharton, Jennifer Napier-Pearce, Erika Carlsen, Daniel Dugan, Sarah Young
Final Result: 7 – 0 Pass

4. **Ordinance: Zoning Map and General Plan Amendment at Approximately 1990 and 2002 South 500 East**

The Council will accept public comment and consider adopting an ordinance that would amend the zoning of the properties at approximately 1990 and 2002 South 500 East from R-1/5000 (Single Family Residential District) to RMF-35 (Moderate Density Multi-Family District). The proposal would also amend the Central Community Future Land Use Map from Low Density Residential to Medium Density Residential. The proposed amendments would facilitate the construction of 22, for-sale four-bedroom townhomes with two-car garages and a playground amenity. The properties are located within the Liberty Wells neighborhood. Consideration may be given to rezoning the property to another zoning district with similar characteristics. The project is within Council District 5. Petitioner: Castlewood Development. Petition No.: PLNPCM2026-00329 & PLNPCM2026-00331.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, August 25, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - Tuesday, August 25, 2026
Hold hearing to accept public comment - Tuesday, September 15, 2026 at 7 p.m.
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, September 22, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Refer to motion sheet(s).

Summary:

Allison Rowland introduced the item and summarized the proposed 22-unit townhome development, requested zoning and General Plan amendments, water-wise landscaping condition, and the Planning Commission's recommendation for approval with a development agreement.

Public Comments:

Brandon Pedroza opposed the proposal, citing potential impacts of nearby development on traffic, parking, congestion, and neighborhood character.

Heather Tomlinson raised concerns of increased vehicle traffic and pedestrian safety and requested traffic-calming measures.

Julia Kerr supported additional housing but raised concerns about the height and scale of the proposed townhomes, impacts on neighboring privacy, and compatibility with surrounding single-story homes.

Katerina Bollinger raised concerns about building height of the proposed development, traffic and pedestrian safety, landscaping, and affordability and requested enforceable height limits and additional protections for neighboring properties.

Val Belokon, of the Salt Lake Board of Realtors, questioned whether the proposed townhomes would meet demand for attainable or "missing middle" housing, citing recent neighborhood sales trends and anticipated pricing.

Lauren Fisher, representing Liberty Wells Community Council, spoke against the rezone and stated concerns regarding height, setbacks, traffic, parking, and neighborhood compatibility.

Jonathan Metzman opposed the proposal as presented and requested consideration of an alternative zoning designation, reduced building heights, and development that more closely reflected the existing scale of the neighborhood.

Alyssa Johnson raised concerns about the affordability of the proposed townhomes and encouraged the inclusion of more attainable housing options for younger residents and families.

Jeff Bair encouraged consideration of neighborhood input and raised concerns regarding the public comment record presented during the Planning Commission process and potential connections between some supporters and the real estate or development industries.

Nathan McDonald opposed the proposed development, citing concerns about reduced natural light and privacy impacts from the height and placement of the townhomes and adjacent common areas.

Council Remark:

Council Member Carlsen thanked residents for their participation and advocacy throughout the rezoning process and acknowledged Castlewood Development for incorporating community feedback into the proposal. Council Member Carlsen encouraged continued discussions between the developer and neighbors and clarified that the motion before the Council would only close the public hearing and would not constitute final action on the rezoning.

Motion:
Moved by Council Member Young, seconded by Council Member Puy to close the public hearing and refer the item for a future date for action.
AYE: Alejandro Puy, Victoria Petro, Chris Wharton, Jennifer Napier-Pearce, Erika Carlsen, Daniel Dugan, Sarah Young
Final Result: 7 – 0 Pass

5. <u>Ordinance: Alley Vacation Near 2553 South Chadwick Street</u>
The Council will accept public comment and consider adopting an ordinance that would vacate portions of two City-owned alleys between approximately 2553 South Chadwick Street, 2554 South Dearborn Street, and 1407-1445 East Stratford Avenue. If approved, the alleys would be divided and allocated to the adjacent property owners. The first alley runs from Chadwick Street to Dearborn Street and measures 12 feet wide by 262 feet long. The second alley, along the east property line, is 12 feet wide and 51 feet long. Accessory buildings encroach on the alleyway, and most abutting properties have used the alley as their own. Five properties use the north-to-south alley accessed from Parkway Avenue. Located within Council District 7. Petitioner: Anne and Zach Taylor. Petition No.: PLNPCM2026-00073.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, August 18, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - Tuesday, August 25, 2026
Hold hearing to accept public comment - Tuesday, September 15, 2026 at 7 p.m.
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, September 22, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Refer to motion sheet(s).

Summary:

Austin Kimmel provided an introduction to the alley vacation proposal.

There were no public comments.

Motion:
Moved by Council Member Young, seconded by Council Member Carlsen to close the public hearing and defer action to a future Council meeting.
AYE: Alejandro Puy, Victoria Petro, Chris Wharton, Jennifer Napier-Pearce, Erika Carlsen, Daniel Dugan, Sarah Young
Final Result: 7 – 0 Pass

6. Ordinance: Alley Vacation at Approximately 750 South Main Street

The Council will accept public comment and consider adopting an ordinance that would vacate a City-owned alley between properties at approximately 750 and 778 South Main Street, 16 West 800 South, and 755 South Richards Street. If approved, the alley would support the construction of an off-site parking structure that will serve the future hospital. The alley is approximately 8.25 feet wide by 248 feet long and 2,042 square feet. The Planning Director forwarded a positive recommendation. Located within Council District 4. Petitioner: Chad Moynahan with Intermountain Health Services, Inc. Petition No.: PLNPCM2026-00374.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, August 25, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - Tuesday, August 25, 2026
Hold hearing to accept public comment - Tuesday, September 15, 2026 at 7 p.m.
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, September 22, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Refer to motion sheet(s).

Summary:

Michael Sanders introduced the item and summarized Intermountain Health's request to vacate a publicly owned alley adjacent to properties near 750 South Main Street.

There were no public comments.

Motion:
Moved by Council Member Petro, seconded by Council Member Wharton to close the public hearing and defer action to a future Council meeting.
AYE: Alejandro Puy, Victoria Petro, Chris Wharton, Jennifer Napier-Pearce, Erika Carlsen, Daniel Dugan, Sarah Young
Final Result: 7 – 0 Pass

7. This hearing will be rescheduled to a later date. Pending updated amendments, the Council will set a new hearing date with notice.

~~**Ordinance: Enhancing Transparency for Police Automatic License Plate Reader Systems**~~

~~The Council will accept public comment and consider adopting an ordinance that would amend Chapter 2.10 of the *Salt Lake City Code* pertaining to the regulation of the Police Department's use of the City's Automatic License Plate Reader (ALPR) system. The proposal would establish a regulatory framework to govern the use, access, retention, sharing, training, security, and auditing of the Police Department's use of the City's ALPR systems and data.~~

~~For more information visit link.slc.gov/SLC-ALPRS.~~

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, July 21, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - Tuesday, August 18, 2026
Hold hearing to accept public comment - TBD
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, September 22, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Refer to motion sheet(s).

This item was rescheduled to a date to be determined.

C. POTENTIAL ACTION ITEMS:

1. **Ordinance: Maximum Daily Water Use Text Amendment**
The Council will consider adopting an ordinance that would amend Title 21A of the *Salt Lake City Code* to clarify that non-residential land uses are subject to the maximum daily water consumption of 200,000 gallons per day. On March 24, 2026, the Council adopted a temporary land use regulation (TLUR) that modified the exemptions to the maximum daily water use allowed. The proposal would formally adopt the TLUR, modifying the daily maximum water consumption allowed by limiting the exemptions to agriculture, schools, government-owned or operated facilities that primarily provide social services, places of worship, and hospitals. The proposal would apply to all zoning districts.

For more information visit link.slc.gov/dailywateruselimit.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, July 21, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - Tuesday, July 21, 2026
Hold hearing to accept public comment - Tuesday, August 18, 2026 at 7 p.m.
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, September 15, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Refer to motion sheet(s).

Motion:
Moved by Council Member Petro, seconded by Council Member Napier-Pearce to adopt Ordinance 48 of 2026 – Text Amendment – Maximum Daily Water Use, and adopt a legislative action requesting the Administration: 1.) Analyze water use data once the maximum daily water use for non-residential properties at 200,000 gallons per day is in effect, to determine whether the maximum daily use could be further reduced, and submit a report to the City Council with their findings within 9 months; and 2.) Explore additional incentives to encourage the adoption of smart irrigation controllers by customers and other measures to reduce outdoor water use.
AYE: Alejandro Puy, Victoria Petro, Chris Wharton, Jennifer Napier-Pearce, Erika Carlsen, Daniel Dugan, Sarah Young
Final Result: 7 – 0 Pass

Council Remarks:

Council Member Puy emphasized the importance of incentives for smart irrigation controllers as a way to reduce outdoor water use and support broader water conservation efforts.

Council Member Dugan spoke about the importance of protecting the Great Salt Lake and reducing water use across all customer types.

D. COMMENTS:

1. Questions to the Mayor from the City Council.

   There were no questions to the Mayor.

2. Comments to the City Council. (This is a one-hour time slot for the public to comment on any City business not scheduled for a public hearing. Each person will have two minutes to talk. General comment registration closes at 7:30 p.m.)

   Public Comments:

   MJ Powell spoke against automatic license plate readers and expanded police surveillance technology, citing concerns about data misuse and vendor or federal access and requesting additional public safeguards

   Keiko Jones advocated for Westside seniors, discussed food insecurity and social isolation, and asked the City to continue supporting the Food Equity Microgrant program and community-based services.

   En Canada, representing Wasatch Assembly, opposed automatic license plate readers

and additional police spending and encouraged greater investment in alternative social services.

Val Belokon opposed automatic license plate readers, citing concerns about privacy, potential misuse, and whether current safeguards and enforcement mechanisms would adequately prevent abuse.

Jeff Bair raised concerns about scooters being ridden on downtown sidewalks, pedestrian safety, aggressive rider behavior, and insufficient enforcement of existing rules.

Brennon Rosen opposed automatic license plate readers, citing concerns about surveillance, privacy, and insufficient public benefit.

E. NEW BUSINESS:

NONE.

F. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

1. **Ordinance: Administrative Organization Text Amendment for Public Services**

The Council will consider adopting an ordinance that would amend Subsections 2.08.080, 2.08.050, and 2.39.030 of the *Salt Lake City Code* pertaining to City department organizational and responsibility changes. The proposal would codify the move of the Engineering Division from the Department of Public Services to the Department of Community and Neighborhoods, the name change of the Compliance Division to Urban Services, and an updated description of the responsibilities and requirements of the City Architect, including the delegation of duties from the City Engineer to the City Architect.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, August 25, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - n/a
Hold hearing to accept public comment - n/a
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, September 15, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Refer to motion sheet(s).

Motion:
Moved by Council Member Young, seconded by Council Member Carlsen to adopt Ordinance 49 of 2026, amending the Title 2, Administrative Organization, for Public Services.
AYE: Alejandro Puy, Victoria Petro, Chris Wharton, Jennifer Napier-Pearce, Erika Carlsen, Daniel Dugan, Sarah Young
Final Result: 7 – 0 Pass

2. **Resolution: Building Permit Fee Waiver for Ivory Innovations Development at Approximately 707 South 400 East**

The Council will consider adopting a resolution that would approve a development fee waiver for a new housing project at approximately 707 South 400 East, the former Liberty Wells Center. The applicant, Ivory Innovations, intends to develop 66 new housing units, with 75% of the units planned to be affordable for households at or below 80% area median income (AMI). As required by City code section 18.20.220, an informal public hearing was held on this application on January 14, 2026, by the Community and Neighborhood (CAN) Division. After receiving additional information as needed, the application was approved by the CAN Director.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, August 25, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - n/a
Hold hearing to accept public comment - n/a
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, September 15, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Refer to motion sheet(s).

Motion:
Moved by Council Member Petro, seconded by Council Member Napier-Pearce to adopt Resolution 18 of 2026, Fee Waiver – Non-profit Affordable Housing Developer
AYE: Alejandro Puy, Victoria Petro, Chris Wharton, Jennifer Napier-Pearce, Erika Carlsen, Daniel Dugan, Sarah Young
Final Result: 7 – 0 Pass

G. CONSENT:

1. **Ordinance: Budget Amendment No.1 for Fiscal Year 2026-27**

The Council will set the date of Tuesday, September 22, 2026 at 7 p.m. to accept public comment and consider adopting an ordinance amending the final budget of Salt Lake City, including the employment staffing document for the Fiscal Year 2026-27 Budget. Budget amendments happen several times each year to reflect adjustments to the City's budgets, including proposed project additions and modifications. The proposed amendment includes $11.5 million in grant funding for Fleet Block and 9 Line improvements, $1 million in grant funds for a pump track, adaptive pump track, and skate park at Glendale Park, and a $700,000 fund transfer for the Old Library Building Project, among other items.

For more information visit https://link.slc.gov/slcfy27.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, September 15, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - Tuesday, September 15, 2026
Hold hearing to accept public comment - Tuesday, September 22, 2026 at 7 p.m.
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, October 6, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Set date.

2. **Resolution: Waiver of Proximity for Taste of Thai at 2130 South Highland Drive**

The Council will set the date of Tuesday, October 6, 2026 at 7 p.m. to accept public comment on a resolution that would establish a waiver of proximity for Taste of Thai Restaurant, LLC at 2130 South Highland Drive, pursuant to Utah Code 32B-1-202. The restaurant is located across the street from Sprague Library within Council District 7. As of May 2026, State code requires local municipalities to approve a waiver of proximity for liquor permits prior to the Utah Department of Alcoholic Beverage Services (DABS) granting the license when the location is within a specific proximity to a community location, such as a library, public park, or playground. The City is required to hold a public hearing at least 30 days before a waiver can be approved.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, September 15, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - Tuesday, September 15, 2026
Hold hearing to accept public comment - Tuesday, October 6, 2026 at 7 p.m.
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, November 10, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Set date.

3. **Resolution: Conservation Easement Public Benefits Analysis**
The Council will set the date of Tuesday, October 6, 2026 at 7 p.m. to accept public comment and consider adopting a resolution that would waive any amounts due for the grant of a conservation easement over City-owned parcels of real property adjacent to the Great Salt Lake, to Utah Open Lands.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, September 8, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - Tuesday, September 15, 2026
Hold hearing to accept public comment - Tuesday, October 6, 2026 at 7 p.m.
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, October 20, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Set date.

4. **Informational: Wetland Mitigation Disposition of Significant Parcel Required Public Hearing**
The Council will set the date of Tuesday, October 6, 2026 at 7 p.m. to accept public comment on a proposal to sell a significant parcel of surplus real property, controlled by the Department of Airports, to the Utah Department of Natural Resources (DNR) for a waterfowl management area, which shall be managed in accordance with requirements under the conservation easement held by Utah Open Lands (if the purchase price of the conservation easement is waived). A public hearing is required under *Salt Lake City Code* Section 2.58.040, but no further action is required by the Council.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, September 8, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - Tuesday, September 15, 2026
Hold hearing to accept public comment - Tuesday, October 6, 2026 at 7 p.m.
TENTATIVE Council Action - n/a

Staff Recommendation - Set date.

5. **Board Appointment: Administrative Appeals Officer – Todd Newman**
The Council will consider approving the appointment of Todd Newman, resident of Utah County, prior to considering appointment as an Administrative Appeals Officer for a term ending September 15, 2031.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, September 15, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - n/a
Hold hearing to accept public comment - n/a
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, September 15, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Approve.

6. **Board Appointment: Administrative Appeals Officer – Ryan Richards**
The Council will consider approving the appointment of Ryan Richards, resident of Salt Lake County, as an Administrative Appeals Officer for a term ending September 15, 2031.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, September 15, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - n/a
Hold hearing to accept public comment - n/a
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, September 15, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Approve.

7. **Board Appointment: City and County Building Conservancy and Use Committee – Conrad Duerr**
The Council will consider approving the appointment of Conrad Duerr, resident of District 4, prior to considering appointment to the City and County Building Conservancy and Use Committee for a term ending July 15, 2030.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, September 15, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - n/a
Hold hearing to accept public comment - n/a
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, September 15, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Approve.

8. **Board Appointment: Library Board – Katherine Johnson**

The Council will consider approving the appointment of Katherine Johnson, resident of District 5, to the Library Board for a term ending June 30, 2029.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - Tuesday, September 15, 2026
Set Public Hearing Date - n/a
Hold hearing to accept public comment - n/a
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, September 15, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Approve.

9. **Board Reappointment: Utah Performing Arts Center Agency – Katie Riggs Hansen**

The Council will consider approving the reappointment of Katie Riggs Hansen, resident of District 6, to the Utah Performing Arts Center Agency, for a term ending September 15, 2030.

FYI – Project Timeline: (subject to change per Chair direction or Council discussion)
Briefing - n/a
Set Public Hearing Date - n/a
Hold hearing to accept public comment - n/a
TENTATIVE Council Action - Tuesday, September 15, 2026

Staff Recommendation - Approve.

Motion:
Moved by Council Member Wharton, seconded by Council Member Petro to approve the Consent Agenda.
AYE: Alejandro Puy, Victoria Petro, Chris Wharton, Jennifer Napier-Pearce, Erika Carlsen, Daniel Dugan, Sarah Young
Final Result: 7 – 0 Pass

H. ADJOURNMENT:

Meeting adjourned at 8:09 p.m.

Minutes Approved: October 6, 2026

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City Council Chair – Alejandro Puy

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City Recorder – Keith Reynolds

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