



**City of Rio Communities Council Regular Business Meeting**  
**City Council Chambers - 360 Rio Communities Blvd**  
**Rio Communities, NM 87002**  
**Monday, March 24, 2025 6:00 PM**  
**Agenda**

*Please silence all electronic devices.*

**Mayor - Joshua Ramsell**

**Mayor Pro Tem - Lawrence R. Gordon**

**Council - Arthur Apodaca, Thomas Nelson, Matthew Marquez**

**Call to Order**

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Roll Call**

**Approval of Agenda**

**Approval of Consent Agenda**

- 1. Approval of Minutes Regular Business Meeting March 10, 2025**
- 2. Approval of Accounts Payable**

**Public Comment:** The Council will take public comments in written format. These should be emailed to admin@riocommunities.net through 4:45 PM on Monday, March 24, 2025. These comments will be distributed to all Councilors for review. If you wish to speak during the public comment session, the Council will allow each member of the public to three (3) minutes to address the Council. Both the public and Council will follow rules of decorum. Give your name and where you live. The public will direct comments to the City Council. Comment(s) will not be disruptive or derogatory.

The Council will not take action or engage in discussion regarding the comments made or received, but when appropriate the matters raised may be referred to staff or others for further review. Both the public and Council will follow rules of decorum. Derogatory Comments or matters under litigation will not be allowed and any person or persons addressing the Council are liable for their own statements, not the Council. Statements are limited to a maximum of 3 minutes duration. Please give your name and where you live for the record.

**Manager Report**

- **Schedule of Budget Workshop**

**Public Hearing – For the Adoption of ORDINANCE NO. 2025-xx, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF RIO COMMUNITIES ADOPTING AN AMENDED AND RESTATED SOLID WASTE COLLECTION FRANCHISE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF RIO COMMUNITIES AND UNIVERSAL WASTE SYSTEMS, INC.**

- **Motion and roll call vote to recess Regular Business Meeting session and to go into Public Hearing**
- **Motion and roll call vote to go back into Regular Business Meeting session**

**Action Items**

**Old Business**

- 3. Discussion, Consideration, and Decision – Approval of Rio Communities Spring Festival Celebration Authorization not to exceed \$8,500.**

**New Business**

- 4. Discussion, Consideration, and Decision – Resolution 2025-008 to agree on first amendment to Local Government Transportation Project Fun: Amended deadline June 30, 2026.**
- 5. Discussion, Consideration, and Decision – Of Ordinance No. 2025-XX; An Ordinance of the City of Rio Communities adopting an Amended and Restated Solid Waste Collection Franchise Agreement Between the City of Rio Communities and Universal Waste System, Inc.**
- 6. Discussion, Consideration, and Decision – Notice of Award for ITB #2025-001 Goodman Avenue Reconstruction Project.**
- 7. Discussion, Consideration, and Decision – Resolution 2025-009 to cause in affect a 60-Day Burn Ban within the City of Rio Communities and its unincorporated areas.**
- 8. Discussion – To increase Public Works Temporary/Limited Term Positions.**

**Council Discussion**

**Adjourn**

NOTE: THIS AGENDA IS SUBJECT TO REVISION UP TO 72 HOURS PRIOR TO THE SCHEDULED MEETING DATE AND TIME (NMSA 10-15-1 F). A COPY OF THE AGENDA MAY BE PICKED UP AT CITY HALL, 360 RIO COMMUNITIES BLVD, RIO COMMUNITIES, NM 87002. IF YOU ARE AN INDIVIDUAL WITH A DISABILITY WHO IS IN NEED OF A READER, AMPLIFIER, QUALIFIED SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER OR ANY OTHER FORM OF AUXILIARY AND OR SERVICE TO ATTEND OR PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING, PLEASE CONTACT THE MUNICIPAL CLERK AT 505-861-6803 AT LEAST ONE WEEK PRIOR TO THE MEETING OR AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.