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Provide Your Comments Online for Council Agendas

Harrisonburg, VA – It is a priority for the City of Harrisonburg to keep its residents informed on what discussions are taking place within their local government.

The city has taken a proactive, multi-prong approach on engaging and informing all community members on these conversations.

Once the agenda for a City Council meeting is uploaded online, typically the Thursday prior to the meeting, it is also loaded to www.BeHeardHarrisonburg.org. This site allows members of the public to share their ideas and comments on the different agenda items. Comments are read by City Council members and administration and accepted until 9:00 a.m. the morning of each meeting.

City Council meetings are held on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month and begin at 7:00 p.m. in Council Chambers, 409 South Main Street. All meetings are open to the public. The next meeting is Tuesday, March 11.

These meetings are also broadcast live through the city's Public Education Government channel, formerly known as City Span, on channel 3. When meetings are not taking place, this channel is still used for informational purposes. A slideshow runs around the clock with city and community related information and announcements.

Even if you miss attending or watching a meeting live, the meetings are recorded and anyone is able to watch archived videos of the meetings, which date back to 2011. Soon after each meeting has concluded, the video is available to watch by visiting www.HarrisonburgVA.gov/agendas.

To follow all of the latest news, be sure to visit the city's website at www.HarrisonburgVA.gov.

*We want to hear from **YOU!** Do you have a new idea for Harrisonburg? Let us and other members of the community know what that idea is. Participate in a discussion, support other ideas, and give feedback on community projects. This is YOUR chance to **Be Heard Harrisonburg** by visiting www.BeHeardHarrisonburg.org.*



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