

**AGENDA
BARBERTON CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

July 28, 2025

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INVOCATION – Councilwoman-At-Large Mrs. Taylor Thompson

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR LEGISLATIVE MEETING HELD ON MONDAY, JULY 14, 2025 AS PRESENTED.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD ON MONDAY, JULY 21, 2025 AS PRESENTED.

FINANCIAL REPORT

ACCEPTANCE OF THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 2025 AS PRESENTED

PETITIONS AND CLAIMS

MATTERS REQUESTED

CITIZENS ADDRESSING COUNCIL

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

ORDINANCE NO. 95-2025

PRESENTED BY MR. HARRIS: TITLE: AMEND BCO CHAPTER 670: TREES, WEEDS, AND GRASS
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING BARBERTON CODIFIED ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 670 “TREES, WEEDS, AND GRASS” TO INCLUDE THREE NEW SECTIONS 670.06 “NUISANCES – TREES, SHRUBS, BUSHES, GRASSES, AND WEEDS”, 670.07 “ABATEMENT OF DECLARED NUISANCES—TREES, SHRUBS, BUSHES, GRASSES, & WEEDS” AND 670.08 “ASSESSMENT OF COSTS BY MUNICIPALITY OF DECLARED NUISANCES”, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

ORDINANCE NO. 96-2025

PRESENTED BY MS. GEARHART: TITLE: CDBG ANNUAL ACTION PLAN
AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BARBERTON TO APPROVE
THE FY2025-2029 CONSOLIDATED PLAN AND THE FY2025 COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) ANNUAL ACTION PLAN (AAP), AND
DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

ORDINANCE NO. 97-2025

PRESENTED BY MRS. THOMPSON TITLE: APPROPRIATION FIRE DEPARTMENT
AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$24,363.02 FROM THE UNAPPROPRIATED LINE
ITEM OF THE GENERAL FUND TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENT'S OPERATION AND
MAINTENANCE BUDGET IN THE GENERAL FUND, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

RESOLUTION NO. 98-2025

PRESENTED BY MR. GRIFFIN TITLE: OPWC FUNDING APPLICATION
14TH STREET NORTHWEST WATERLINE REPLACEMENT PROJECT, 16TH STREET
NORTHWEST WATERLINE REPLACEMENT PROJECT, 19TH STREET NORTHWEST
WATERLINE REPLACEMENT PROJECT, AND THE CONCRETE ROADWAY
REPLACEMENT PROJECT INCLUDING BENTON STREET, BREITON CIRCLE, AZALEA
CIRCLE, AND SAXON CIRCLE AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY A RESOLUTION
AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF BARBERTON TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT A
FUNDING APPLICATION TO THE OHIO PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION FOR THE 14TH
STREET NORTHWEST WATERLINE REPLACEMENT PROJECT, 16TH STREET
NORTHWEST WATERLINE REPLACEMENT PROJECT, 19TH STREET NORTHWEST
WATERLINE REPLACEMENT PROJECT, AND THE CONCRETE ROADWAY
REPLACEMENT PROJECT INCLUDING BENTON STREET, BREITON CIRCLE, AZALEA
CIRCLE, AND SAXON CIRCLE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

ORDINANCE NO. 99-2025

PRESENTED BY MRS. BECK & MRS. THOMPSON TITLE: APPROPRIATION
STREETS DEPARTMENT CONCRETE ROAD PROGRAM AN ORDINANCE
APPROPRIATING \$230,000.00 FROM THE UNAPPROPRIATED LINE ITEM OF THE STREET
CAPITAL FUND TO THE CAPITAL BUDGET OF THE STREET CAPITAL FUND, AND
DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

RESOLUTION NO. 100-2025

PRESENTED BY MR. HEITIC & MRS. HAGER FIRST ENERGY RELIABILITY OF SERVICE
A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF BARBERTON CONDEMNING FIRST ENERGY'S RELIABILITY OF SERVICE AND DISTRIBUTION OF A PUBLIC UTILITY, AND REQUESTING A \$100.00 CREDIT TO THE CITY OF BARBERTON'S RESIDENTIAL RATE PAYERS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

ORDINANCE NO. 101-2025

PRESENTED BY MR. HARRIS & MRS. THOMPSON TITLE: APPROPRIATION
POLICE DEPARTMENT AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$10,000.00 FROM THE UNAPPROPRIATED ITEM OF THE GENERAL FUND TO THE POLICE DEPARTMENT'S OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE BUDGET OF THE GENERAL FUND, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

ORDINANCE NO. 102-2025

PRESENTED BY MS. GEARHART TITLE: AMENDMENT CITY OF BARBERTON CHARTER
AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BARBERTON AMENDING THE CITY OF BARBERTON CHARTER TO REFLECT A CHANGE IN WORDING, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

ORDINANCE NO. 103-2025

PRESENTED BY MR. GRIFFIN TITLE: ENTER INTO COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT CITY OF NORTON AND THE CITY OF BARBERTON
AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO JOINT APPLICATIONS BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORTON AND THE CITY OF BARBERTON TO APPLY FOR THE OHIO PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION'S (OPWC) STATE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (SCIP), AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

ORDINANCE NO. 94-2025

PRESENTED BY MR. HEITIC TITLE: DISTRICT CREATION DOWNTOWN BARBERTON COMMUNITY ENTERTAINMENT DISTRICT
AN ORDINANCE DESIGNATING 100.5 ACRES IN AND AROUND DOWNTOWN BARBERTON, OHIO AS THE "DOWNTOWN BARBERTON COMMUNITY ENTERTAINMENT DISTRICT" PURSUANT TO SECTION 4301.80 OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

THIS IS THE SECOND READING. THE FIRST READING WAS ON JULY 14, 2025

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

THERE ARE NONE

APPOINTMENTS

To The Parks & Recreation Commission:

Mrs. Nina Angeloff

for a term beginning immediately
and ending 12-31-2026.

MISCELLANEOUS AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS

COMMUNICATION FROM THE BODY

COMMUNICATION FROM THE MAYOR

ADJOURNED: _____