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Memo from the City Clerk

To: Council Members, Mayor, Controller, Department Heads and Media

From: Gale A. Neulieb

Date: September 17, 2026

Subject: 2027 Finance Committee Budget Workshop Schedule

The 2027 Finance Council Workshop has been called by Finance Council Chair Bryant Dabney and will be held in the EOC Room at City Hall, 100 East Michigan Boulevard. Please review the following schedule:

2027 FINANCE COMMITTEE BUDGET WORKSHOPS

September 21, 2026, at 6:00 p.m.

The meeting is called to review the following:

Controller, Tamiko Smith – Summary of 2027 Budget and review all proposed salary/hourly pay increases.

Mayor 6:25 p.m.

- . Mayor – Angie Nelson Deutch
- . City Administrator – Kelley Smith
- . Office Manager – Gianna Galante
- . Special Events Director - Terry Greetham
- . Special Event Assistant – Eric Williams
- . Constituent Services Director
- . Administrative Assistant II
- . Workforce Development & Education Director – Kila Ward
- . Municipal Intern

Controller's Office, Board of Works 6:45 p.m.

- . Controller – Tamiko Smith
- . Assistant Controller – Ann Shaffer
- . 2nd Assistant Controller- Debi Studtman
- . Grant Administrator
- . Accounts Payable/Receivable Administrator
- . Accounts Payable/ Receivable Specialist

Attorney 7:05 p.m.

- Corporate Counsel – Amber LaPaich-Stalbrink
- City Attorney
- Office Manager

Human Resources 7:20 p.m.

- Director – Melisha Henderson
- Assistant Director- Shanty Ivy
- Payroll Administrator
- Administrative Assistant III

Engineer 7:35 p.m.

- City Engineer – Tim Werner
- Engineering Tech

- **September 22, 2026, at 6:30 p.m.**

Sanitation & Refuse Department 6:30 p.m.

Street Department 7:00 p.m.

- Street Department Executive I – Shong Smith
- Operator
- Driver

Central Maintenance 7:25 p.m.

- Central Maintenance Superintendent- Darrell Garbacik
- Mechanic
- Office Manager

Police Department 7:50 p.m.

- Chief – Steve Forker
- Deputy Chief – Shiparski
- Deputy Chief – Cooney
- Office Manager
- Administrative Assistant II
- Administrative Assistant III
- Maintenance Foreman
- Custodian II
- Animal Control Officer
- Social Worker
- Crossing Guard

- **September 23, 2026, at 6:15**

Cemetery 6:15 p.m.

- Superintendent – Jeff Loniewski
- Administrative Assistant – Roxanne Derolf
- Administrative Assistant II
- Greenwood Working Foreman
- Swan Lake Working Foreman
- Mechanic
- Laborer/Driver
- Temporary/Seasonal Laborer

Planning and Inspection 6:35 p.m.

- Planning Executive Director II – Dr. Dominique Edwards
- Zoning Specialist
- Building Superintendent
- Building Commissioner- Sue Downs
- Associate Planner- Lucas Lopez- Isabello
- Code Enforcement Manager- D'Marcus Brisco
- Project & Development Coordinator
- Administrative Assistant II
- Building Inspector (FT/ PT)
- Code Enforcement Inspector
- CDBD Housing Specialist (PT)
- Permit Specialist #1
- Permit Specialist #2

Building Department 6:45 p.m.

Fire Department 7:00 p.m.

- Chief- Barrett Taylor
- Deputy Chief – Shannon Borders
- Deputy Chief – Frank Rebac
- Office Manager – Jennifer Clouse
- Season Lifeguard
- Season Assistant Head Lifeguard
- Season Head Lifeguard
- Administrative Assistant I (part-time)

- **Thursday September 24, 2026, at 6:00 p.m.**

Information Technology 6:00 p.m.

- . Director – Andrew Matanic

Vector Control 6:45 p.m.

- . Officer Brett Kelley
- . Assistant Officer
- . Administrative Assistant II
- . Laborer
- . Seasonal Laborer

M.C. Transit 7:00 p.m.

- . MC Transit Executive I – Robin Belzoni -Tillman
- . Logistics Supervisor Transit
- . Assistant Transit Director
- . Driver
- . Administrative Assistant II
- . Washier/Custodian

Aviation 7:10 p.m.

- . Airport Manager – Jessica Ward
- . Foreman
- . Laborer (part-time)
- . Seasonal Laborer

Park Administration 7:25 p.m.

- . Park Executive – Shannon Eason
- . Assistance Park Executive I – William Walker
- . Administrative Director- Melissa Moore
- . Administrative Assistance II – Payroll
- . Administrative Assistance II Rec Program Coordinator –
- . Season Parking Sticker Clerk
- . Season Parking Attendant
- . Season Parking Enforcement
- . Season Parking Enforcement Supervisor

- **September 30, 2026, 6:30 p.m.**

2027 Budget Review Wrap-up and Finance Committee Recommendations