

The City of Lee's Summit
Action Letter
Legislative and Intergovernmental Relations Committee

Monday, February 10, 2025

11:30 AM

Via Video Conference

Notice is hereby given that the Legislative and Intergovernmental Relations Committee of the City of Lee's Summit will meet on Monday, February 10, 2025 at 11:30 am via video conference as provided by Section 2-50 of the City of Lee's Summit Code of Ordinances, adopted by the City Council on June 15, 2021, Ordinance No. 9172. Persons wishing to comment on any item of business on the agenda may do so by sending a request prior to 5:00 p.m. on Friday, February 7, 2025, to the City Clerk at clerk@cityofls.net to attend the meeting on the video conferencing platform. The City Clerk will provide instructions regarding how to attend by this method. The meeting can be viewed on the City's YouTube Channel ([YouTube.com/@cityofLS](https://www.youtube.com/@cityofLS)), the City's website (WatchLS.net) and on various cable providers (Spectrum Channel 2 & Comcast Channel 7).

1. Call to Order

Chairperson Lovell called the February 10, 2025 Legislative and Intergovernmental Relations Committee to order at 11:32 a.m.

2. Roll Call

Staff in attendance:

Brian Head
Christal Weber
Jina Bellamy

Present: 3 - Chairperson John Lovell
Vice Chair Mia Prier
Mayor Bill Baird

3. Approval of Agenda

Mayor Baird made a motion to approve the February 10, 2025 Legislative and Intergovernmental Relations Committee meeting agenda. Motion was seconded by Councilmember Prier. Motion passed with vote 3-0.

4. Public Comments

There were no public comments.

5. Business

- A. [2025-6763](#) Approval of the Action Letter for the January 13, 2025 Legislative and Intergovernmental Relations Committee meeting.

Mayor Baird made a motion to approve the Action Letter for the January 13, 2025 Legislative and Intergovernmental Relations Committee meeting. Motion was seconded by Councilmember Prier. Motion passed with vote 3-0.

B. [2025-6764](#) Discussion: Update on Legislative actions - Lobbyist Report

Brian Head gave an update on the following Legislative actions from the Lobbyist Report focusing primarily on those that could impact the City of Lee's Summit.

Specifically:

1. The State had a decrease in overall revenue of - 2.1%.
2. HB431: Land Transfer Bill (Hwy Patrol land gets transferred to MoDot and then MoDot will transfer to City of Lee's Summit.)
3. SB10 - Repeal - Repeals the Sunset on Design build
4. SB92 - Agreements of support with other jurisdictions in the event of crisis - this bill expands on our ability to use for World Cup.
5. Special Taxing districts - information has been provided to our lobbyists
6. Sunshine Law Bill - specifically designed to allow closure of records if document contains identifiable personal information of a 17 year old or younger.

Mayor inquired about the excess of 2.6 Billion in ARPA funds that must fully be expended by end of 2026 and what the intent for those funds means. He would like Staff to get clarification on how those funds can be used.

6. Roundtable

Mayor mentioned the trip to Jeff City.

Regarding the following:

1. Obtaining hard copies of the 470 traffic congestion presentation and the "shovel ready" items list for the meetings with the Legislators.
2. Inviting the Legislators to attend the ribbon cutting of the Downtown Farmers Market
3. Keeping them informed about the World Cup.

The next meeting of the Legislative and Intergovernmental Relations Committee meeting is scheduled for March 10, 2025 at 11:30 a.m.

Chairperson Lovell adjourned the February 10, 2025 Legislative and Intergovernmental Relations Committee at 11:51 a.m.

7. Adjournment

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