

VOLUSIA COUNTY COUNCIL ACTION LIST
MEETING DATE: October 6, 2026

Roll Call

Reinhart	Virtual
Robins	Present
Santiago	Present
Dempsey	Present
Johansson	Present
Kent	Present
Brower	Present

Item 01: Approval of the Agenda

Item #	Subject	Motion	Action/Vote
Item 01	The Council will approve the agenda, which sets the order of the meeting. This approval could include an addendum representing new items, additions, order, corrections, and/or deletions of existing items.	APPROVED the agenda with Items 09,10 and 11 being Tabled to October 20, 2026 Meeting.	Motion by Kent; seconded by Santiago; carried 7 to 0.

Item 02: Consent Agenda

Item #	Subject	Motion	Action/Vote
Item A	Budget Resolution: Approval of an agreement with Priority Dispatch Corporation for telephone triage emergency dispatch system. Expenditure: \$1,929,962	APPROVED and ADOPTED Budget Resolution 2026-150	Motion by Kent; seconded by Johansson; carried 7 to 0.
Item B	Award of agreement to Column Software PBC for a publicly accessible website for the publication of legal notices, 25-P-92JRD.	APPROVED was contingent on Ordinance 2026-18 being approved.	Motion by Kent; seconded by Johansson; carried 7 to 0.
Item C	Resolution: Legal advertisements public website fee structure.	APPROVED and ADOPTED Resolution 2026-151 was contingent on Ordinance 2026-18 being approved.	Motion by Kent; seconded by Johansson; carried 7 to 0.

Item #	Subject	Motion	Action/Vote
Item D	Proclamations to be presented outside county council chambers. • Hispanic Heritage Month – September 15 to October 15, 2026. • Domestic Violence Workshop Day – October 22, 2026. • Family Literacy Day – November 1, 2026.	APPROVED	Motion by Kent; seconded by Johansson; carried 7 to 0.
Item E	Contract and task assignment with Jones Edmunds & Associates, Inc., for the Transform 386 funded Taylor Road Flood Mitigation Design and Engineering, 26-SQ-83KW, TA 1. Expenditure: \$1,023,587	APPROVED	Motion by Kent; seconded by Johansson; carried 7 to 0.
Item F	Selection of Kimley-Horn & Associates to provide Port Orange Sleepy Hollow Drainage Improvement Design 26-SQ-102KW using CDBG-DR funds.	APPROVED	Motion by Kent; seconded by Johansson; carried 7 to 0.
Item G	Renewal of legal services contract with Fisher Phillips, LLP for specialized labor issues.	APPROVED	Motion by Kent; seconded by Johansson; carried 7 to 0.
Item H	Purchase of tables for the Ocean Center using BuyBoard Contract 789-25. Expenditure: \$320,850	APPROVED	Motion by Kent; seconded by Johansson; carried 7 to 0.
Item I	Federal Cost Share Agreement with the Department of the Army for the Volusia County, Florida Coastal Storm Risk Management Feasibility Study.	APPROVED	Motion by Kent; seconded by Johansson; carried 7 to 0.
Item J	Selection of CDM Smith, Inc. for Construction, Engineering and Inspection Services for Old Mission Road Safety Improvements, 26-SQ-86SR.	APPROVED	Motion by Kent; seconded by Johansson; carried 7 to 0.
Item K	Budget Resolution: Application for an appropriation of FY 2026-27 FDOT/KFB-KAB Affiliates Litter Prevention Education Program Grant. Revenue: \$15,000 Local match: \$15,000	APPROVED and ADOPTED Budget Resolution 2026-152	Motion by Kent; seconded by Johansson; carried 7 to 0.
Item L	Right of Way Consent Agreement with Florida Power & Light Company.	APPROVED	Motion by Kent; seconded by Johansson; carried 7 to 0.

End of Consent Items

Item #	Subject	Motion	Action/Vote
Item 03	Retirement of Chandra Gordon after almost 30 years of dedicated service.	Recognition	Motion by Santiago; seconded by Kent; carried 7 to 0.
Item 04	Council direction concerning law enforcement license plate readers in County right of ways.	APPROVED to have a 12-month moratorium on license plate readers on county owned-property, for staff to bring back an agenda item before the moratorium expires, excluding beach parking cameras and removing current license plate readers in County rights-of-way within 30 days.	Motion by Santiago; seconded by Robins; carried 7 to 0.
Item 05	First reading of Ordinance 2026-22, ban on large-scale data centers.	APPROVED First Reading of the Ordinance 2026-22 and to be brought back on October 20, 2026 at 5:01pm	Motion by Kent; seconded by Dempsey; carried 7 to 0.
Item 06	2026 ECHO Grant Cycle Award Recommendations. Total potential grant awards: \$13,144,290	APPROVED as presented by staff with the exception of the Daytona proposal. APPROVED Harvey Avenue Boardwalk Extension and Beach Access Improvement project submitted by the City of Daytona Beach.	Motion by Santiago; seconded by Johansson; carried 6 to 1 with Dempsey OPPOSED. Motion by Reinhart; seconded by Santiago; carried 4 to 3 with Robins, Johansson and Kent OPPOSED.
Item 07	Resolution: Proposed plat vacation of a portion of the plat of Part Two New Glencoe, Map Book 9 Page 117 and a portion of the plat of New Glencoe Gersen & Ferreira, Map Book 9 Page 85. Council District #3 (New Smyrna Beach Area). Applicants: Deanna J. Helton and Curtis P. Helton Owners: Deanna J. Helton and Curtis P. Helton	APPROVED and ADOPTED Resolution 2026-153	Motion by Johansson; seconded by Robins; carried 7 to 0.
Item 08	Ordinance 2026-18 Legal Notices on County Website.	APPROVED and ADOPTED Ordinance 2026-18	Motion by Kent; seconded by Robins; carried 7 to 0.

Item #	Subject	Motion	Action/Vote
Item 09	Resolution 2026-xx. Rezoning of 10 acres from the Forestry Resource (FR) to the Prime Agriculture (A-1) zoning classification, located on the west side of Harper Road, approximately 350 feet south of its intersection with Pridgeon Road, Pierson (Z-26-086) (County Council District 1). Applicant: Matt S. Dowst, P.E., Mark Dowst & Associates, Inc. Owner: Jon Walker	Tabled to October 20, 2026 Meeting during approval of Item 01: Approval of the Agenda.	N/A
Item 10	Ordinance 2026-17. Small-scale Comprehensive Plan amendment of 10 acres from the Forestry Resource (FR) to the Agricultural Resource (AR) Future Land Use Map designation, located on the west side of Harper Road, approximately 350 feet south of its intersection with Pridgeon Road, Pierson (CPA-26-085) (County Council District 1). Applicant: Matt S. Dowst, P.E., Mark Dowst & Associates, Inc. Owner: Jon Walker	Tabled to October 20, 2026 Meeting during approval of Item 01: Approval of the Agenda.	N/A
Item 11	Resolution 2026-xx. Rezoning of 6.5 acres from the Prime Agriculture (A-1) to the Rural Agriculture (A-2) zoning classification, located at 5793 State Road 11, DeLeon Springs (Z-26-076) (County Council District 4). Applicants: John and Audrey Freeborough Owner: John and Audrey Freeborough	Tabled to October 20, 2026 Meeting during approval of Item 01: Approval of the Agenda.	N/A

Matters not on the agenda

Subject	Motion	Action/Vote
Allow Council Member Reinhart to vote and attend the meeting virtually due to extenuating circumstances.	APPROVED	Motion by Kent; seconded by Dempsey; carried 7 to 0.
To direct staff to bring back a proposal to honor Eli Schaperow within the Bird Sanctuary at Lyonia Preserve.	APPROVED	Motion by Santiago; seconded by Robins/Kent; carried 7 to 0.
To direct staff to bring back a discussion regarding ECHO applications that do not meet the 80 point threshold to not be recommended to Council, at a future meeting	APPROVED	Motion by Kent; seconded by Robins; carried 7 to 0.