

**CITY OF SPANISH FORT
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
AGENDA**

Regular Meeting
April 1, 2024
Spanish Fort Community Center
6:00 p.m.

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. ROLL CALL
- III. INVOCATION
- IV. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- V. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS

Work Session March 18, 2024
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- VI. REPORTS OF COMMITTEES AND OFFICERS
- VII. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
- VIII. ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congressman Jerry Carl has sent out a survey to Spanish Fort residents asking for feedback about our postal service. Please check your email inbox and fill out the survey. If you did not receive a survey, please send your comments to jerry.carl@mail.house.gov. It is important the Congressman and his staff receive your feedback.

On Saturday, April 13, 2024, the Spanish Fort Junior City Council will conduct City Serve Day 2024 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. The Junior Council will lead volunteers in cleaning up the roadside along Jimmy Faulkner Drive. Participants should meet at 8:00 a.m. at the Spanish Fort High School Gymnasium parking lot and will be directed to a section for cleanup activities. The City will provide vests, disposable gloves and garbage bags as well as bottled water for volunteers.

On Sunday, April 14, 2024, the Mobile Pops Band will be performing at the Spanish Fort Community Center on Sunday, at 6:00 p.m. FAME, Fine Arts, Music & Entertainment will have an art guild show prior to the concert from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 27, 2024, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., the City is hosting the Fourteenth Annual Delta Woods & Waters Expo family day. The Expo will be held at 5 Rivers Delta Resource Center on the Mobile Bay Causeway. There will be lots of outdoor activities, including fly fishing, geocaching, demonstrations of turkey calling, archery and many other activities. Admission is free.

The City would like to thank Wallace Gilberry for co-sponsoring the annual Easter Egg Hunt. It was a great success. Over 10,000 eggs were picked up, and the children and adults had a great time.

- IX. OLD BUSINESS
- X. NEW BUSINESS

Proclamation of the Month of April 2024 as Child Abuse Awareness and Prevention Month in the City of Spanish Fort

Proclamation of National Library Week in the City of Spanish Fort

Swearing in of Police Department Employee

Promotion Ceremony for Police Department Employees

Presentation of Anniversary Plaque to Fire Department Employee

Ordinance No. 658-2024-----An Ordinance Amending Ordinance No. 1994-11 of the City of Spanish Fort to Amend the Levy of a Privilege or License Tax on Persons, Firms or Corporations in the Business of Selling at Retail Tangible Personal Property in the City of Spanish Fort, Alabama, or within Its Police Jurisdiction; Providing for the Collection of the Said Taxes; and Providing Penalties for the Violation of Said Ordinance

Ordinance No. 659-2024-----An Ordinance Amending Ordinance No. 1995-30 of the City of Spanish Fort Providing for the Levy and Assessment of a Tax on the Leasing or Renting of Tangible Personal Property

Ordinance No. 660-2024-----An Ordinance Amending Ordinance No. 192-2003 of the City of Spanish Fort Providing and Levying a Tax on Cigarettes, Tobacco Products and Rolling Papers

Ordinance No. 661-2024-----An Ordinance Amending Ordinance No 1995-29 of the City of Spanish Fort Providing for the Levy of a Use or Excise Tax against Persons, Firms or Corporations which Use or Consume Personal Property in the City of Spanish Fort Alabama, or within Its Police Jurisdiction and Providing for the Collection of Such Taxes

Ordinance No. 662-2024-----An Ordinance Amending Ordinance No. 51-96 of the City of Spanish Fort, Alabama

Ordinance No. 663-2024-----An Ordinance Amending Ordinance No. 51-96 of the City of Spanish Fort Changing the Zoning Classification of Certain Property Located on Battleship Parkway, Spanish Fort, Alabama, and Bearing Tax Parcel No. -5-31-08-27-0-000-007.000 from R-1 to B-3

Ordinance No 664-2024-----An Ordinance Amending Ordinance No. 51-96 of the City of Spanish Fort Extending the Rezoning of Certain Property Located at 10284 US Highway 31, Spanish Fort, Alabama, from R-1 to B-1

Ordinance No. 665-2024-----An Ordinance Exempting Certain “Covered Items” from the Municipal Sales and Use Tax during the Third Weekend of July, 2024, as Authorized by the State Back-to-School Sales Tax Holiday Legislation

Resolution No. 1395-2024----A Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Execute an Agreement between the City of Spanish Fort and Matthew Jones Engineering, LLC

Resolution No. 1396-2024----A Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Enter into an Agreement with Sunset Contracting, Inc., for Repairs at Alder Avenue

Resolution No. 1397-2024----A Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Enter into a Memorandum of Understanding on behalf of the Spanish Fort Fire Rescue Department

Resolution No. 1398-2024----A Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Execute an Agreement between the City of Spanish Fort and Baldwin County Emergency Communication District d/b/a Baldwin County 9-1-1

Resolution No. 1399-2024----A Resolution Rejecting Bids for the Construction of a New Central Fire Station No. 1 in the City of Spanish Fort, Alabama

Resolution No. 1400-2024----A Resolution Appointing a Voting Delegate for the City of Spanish Fort, Alabama, to Serve as the City's Voting Delegate to the Alabama League of Municipalities 2024 Annual Convention

Resolution No. 1401-2024----A Resolution Authorizing the Mayor and the Police Chief of the City of Spanish Fort to Make Applications for the Homeland Security Grant Program

Resolution No. 1402-2024---- A Resolution Authorizing the Mayor and the Fire Chief of the City of Spanish Fort to Make Applications for the Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) Grant from the Department of Homeland Security

XI. ADJOURN TO NEXT MEETING

XII. Work Session and Regular Meeting, April 15, 2024