



City Hall  
206 N. Main St  
Toledo, Oregon 97391  
6:00 PM

Toledo City Council  
**Regular Meeting – also via Zoom Meeting Platform**  
May 27, 2026

**Virtual Meeting:** The Toledo City Council will host the meeting in person in the City Hall Council Chambers for the City Council and staff as well as through video conferencing. The public is encouraged to attend the meeting electronically. Visit the [meetings](#) page on the city website for meeting information.

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- 1. Call to Order & Pledge of Allegiance**
- 2. Roll Call & Quorum Determination**
- 3. Requests for Council Action**
  - a. Resolution No. 1608 Adopting Temporary Fireworks Vendor Policies
  - b. Nomination and Election of the City Council President
- 4. Adjournment**

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**City of Toledo  
Request for City Council Action**

Council Goal:	Meeting Date:	Agenda Topic
Enhance civic engagement and transparency by implementing a comprehensive community outreach program	<b>May 27, 2026</b>	Temporary Fireworks Vendor Policies
	<b>Agenda Type:</b>	
	Request for Council Action (RCA)	
<b>Prepared By:</b>		<b>Approved by:</b>
Rich Huebner, City Manager		

**Reviewed by:**

Paul Johnson  
Rich Huebner

**Recommendation:**

Motion to adopt Resolution No. 1608 as presented.

**Background:**

For several meetings, the City Council has discussed potential guidelines regarding the sale of Oregon Safe Fireworks within the Toledo city limits. This discussion has become pertinent this year due to the ban on the sale of fireworks in nearby communities. Council consensus has been that the Toledo community desired to maintain the opportunity for the sale of Oregon Safe Fireworks in a manner that is economically responsible and public safety focused.

The City Manager and City Attorney have discussed the legal avenues the City retains to limit the sale of Oregon Safe Fireworks, and recommends Council adopt the following guidelines:

- Fireworks sales be regulated through the City's current business license process. This is current practice, and will not require a new process or license.
- Applicants will need to identify the proposed location, which must be a physical location on private property, within a commercial zone, with permission from the owner.
- Business licenses for the sale of Oregon Safe Fireworks will be limited to three applications annually.
- Priority will be extended first to Toledo-based nonprofit organizations or fundraising groups.

The above guidelines will apply to applicants seeking to sell Oregon Safe Fireworks as a temporary vendor. It will not apply to established commercial businesses which sell

Oregon Safe Fireworks as part of their ongoing operations.

Fiscal Impact:	Fiscal Year:	GL Number:
N/A	2025-2026	

**Attachments:**

- 1. Resolution No. 1608 Adoption of Temporary Fireworks Vendor Policies

**CITY OF TOLEDO  
RESOLUTION NO. 1608**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOLEDO CITY COUNCIL ADOPTING POLICIES RELATED TO THE ISSUANCE OF BUSINESS LICENSES FOR TEMPORAY FIREWORKS VENDORS**

**WHEREAS**, multiple municipalities in Lincoln County, Oregon, have banned the sale of all fireworks, including Oregon Safe Fireworks; and

**WHEREAS**, the sale of Oregon Safe Fireworks remains legal under Oregon law; and

**WHEREAS**, the Toledo City Council desires to establish policies to ensure the sale of Oregon Safe Fireworks remains authorized within the City of Toledo; and

**WHEREAS**, the Toledo City Council desires to ensure that said policies pertaining to the sale of Oregon Safe Fireworks are economically responsible and public safety focused;

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF TOLEDO HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Fireworks sales shall be regulated through the City's business license process, as established at the date of passage of this Resolution and as amended in the future.

Section 2. Applicants seeking a business license as a temporary fireworks vendor will need to identify the proposed location, which must be a physical location on private property, within a commercial zone, with permission from the land owner.

Section 3. The City will review all applications received from prospective temporary fireworks vendors. The number of licenses issued annually will be limited to three applicants. Licenses will be valid for a limited duration, and applicants will need to re-apply annually.

Section 4. Priority will be extended to Toledo-based nonprofit organizations or fundraising groups.

Section 5. The policies established by this Resolution apply only to applicants seeking to sell Oregon Safe Fireworks as a temporary vendor, and will not apply to or preclude such sale by an established commercial business which sells Oregon Safe Fireworks as part of their ongoing operations.

Section 6. That this Resolution shall be effective immediately upon passage by the Toledo City Council.

This resolution is hereby adopted by the Toledo City Council on this 27th day of May, 2026.

APPROVED

ATTEST

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Mayor Tracy Mix

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City Recorder Paul Johnson



**City of Toledo  
Request for City Council Action**

<b>Council Goal:</b>	<b>Meeting Date:</b>	<b>Agenda Topic</b>
N/A	<b>May 27, 2026</b>	Nomination and Election of a new City Council President
	<b>Agenda Type:</b>	
	Request for Council Action (RCA)	
<b>Prepared By:</b>		<b>Approved by:</b>
Paul Johnson		Rich Huebner, City Manager

**Reviewed by:**

Paul Johnson  
Rich Huebner

**Recommendation:**

Staff recommends that a new City Council President be nominated by a member of the council and subsequently elected if the nomination is accepted.

**Background:**

The recent resignation of the previous Council President has left a vacancy on the City Council. The Council President is a necessary position on the council as he/she acts on behalf of the Mayor in his/her absence. Therefore, it is requested that a council member be nominated, voted on and installed as a new City Council President.

<b>Fiscal Impact:</b>	<b>Fiscal Year:</b>	<b>GL Number:</b>
<b>None</b>	<b>2025-2026</b>	<b>N/A</b>

**Attachments:**

None