Knox County Commission

NOTICE

TO: MEMBERS OF THE RULES COMMITTEE
Commissioner Durrett Commissioner Jackson
Commissioner Beeler Commissioner Thompson

FROM: Commissioner Angela Russell, Madam Chair

DATE: November 10, 2026

THE KNOX COUNTY COMMISSION'S RULES COMMITTEE IS SCHEDULED TO MEET ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2026 AT 2:00 P.M. IN THE COMMISSION CONFERENCE ROOM, 6TH FLOOR OF THE CITY-COUNTY BUILDING, 400 MAIN STREET, KNOXVILLE. ALL AGENDA ITEMS ARE SUBJECT TO VOTE.

NOTE: *Those wishing to speak on any Rules Committee agenda item can sign up via the Commission website at commission.knoxcountytn.gov, by emailing commission@knoxcounty.org or calling the office at 865-215-2534. The deadline to sign up to speak is Sunday, November 15, 2026 at 4:00 p.m.*

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Amendments and additions to the Agenda
3. Approval of minutes from the previous meeting
4. Public Forum *(Agenda items only)*
5. Discussion and consideration of any late additions
6. Discussion and consideration of amending Rule I, Section B, "Order of Business", to rearrange order to move non-controversial (less time consuming) items to beginning of meeting and controversial (more time consuming) items to end of meeting – Russell
7. Discussion and consideration of amending Rule I, Section O, "Public Forum", to have public forum in legislative meeting at the time of consideration of item – Russell
8. Discussion and consideration of amending Rule I, Section O, "Public Forum", to clarify the permissible scope of questions by Commissioners and Knox County Staff to individuals addressing the Commission – Fox

9. Discussion and consideration of amending Rule IV, Section I, “Rules Committee”, regarding the review and approval process for proposed changes to the Commission Rules - Durrett
10. Discussion and consideration of amending Rule VI, Section E, “Honorary Resolutions, Proclamations, Presentations, Discussion Items, Ordinances, and Resolutions”, to limit number of proclamations, presentations, & honorary resolutions that can be submitted per Commissioner & placing time limits – Russell
11. Discussion and consideration of amending Rule VI, Section E, “Honorary Resolutions, Proclamations, Presentations, Discussion Items, Ordinances, and Resolutions”, to amend Rules for Legislative Agendas – Fox
12. Discussion and consideration of deleting Rule V, Section J, “Telecom Committee”, thereby dissolving the Telecom Committee – Durrett
13. Other Business
14. Schedule next meeting
15. Adjournment