

# CITY of LA GRANDE

## City Council Work Session

Wednesday, July 22, 2020  
6:00 p.m.

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## AGENDA

*The purpose of a Council Work Session is to provide the Council with an opportunity to informally discuss topics of common concern and interest and to exchange ideas with Staff, not to make decisions or to direct Staff toward a specific action or conclusion beyond identifying additional information the Council would like to have presented at a later date. As no decisions are made, there will be no voting by the Council at the Work Session. The City Manager or members of the Staff may confirm any additional information the Council requires as part of any future discussions regarding the presented topic(s). If a Work Session topic subsequently requires official action, it will become an action (voting) item on a following Regular Session Agenda. Per ORS 192.670(1), Councilors will be participating in this Work Session by electronic communication. Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic this City Council Work Session is for the sole purpose of conducting business on the agenda. No public comments will be entertained at this meeting. This meeting will be held via electronic communications.*

1. **CALL to ORDER** 6:00 p.m.  
~ Stephen E. Clements, Mayor
2. **COVID-19 CURRENT SITUATION UPDATE**  
~ Robert Strope, City Manager; Department Directors
  - a. The City Manager and Department Directors will update the City Council on the current status of City facilities, services, and operations under the restrictions currently in place.
  - b. The City Manager and Economic Development Director will update the City Council on the programs in place for providing economic relief to La Grande and Union County, including but not limited to the City's Emergency Loan Program; Business Oregon funding; and CDBG funding.
3. **COVID-19 REOPENING PLANS**  
~ Robert Strope, City Manager; Department Directors
  - a. The City Manager and Department Directors will share with the City Council intentions regarding reopening of City facilities, services, and operations as restrictions are relaxed in the future.
4. **COUNCIL GUIDANCE**  
~ Mayor Stephen Clements, City Council
  - a. The Mayor and City Council will provide guidance and feedback to the City Manager and Department Directors based on the information presented.

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7:30 p.m.

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Kayla M. Rock  
City Recorder