

City Commission Action Items Report for 06-16-2026

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District (Requesting Official)	Title	Description	Summary Update	Status	Date Reported
0	Bus Station as Possible Site for A-5 Lift Station	Mayor Trantalis requested City staff to contact Broward County to ask if the City could consider the bus transit center as a possible location for the proposed A-5 Lift Station.	06/08/2026 - New site currently being reviewed is large parking area east of county bus transit center. City already owns a small portion of the west side of the property. DDA and staff will reach out to the property owner to discuss the feasibility of this location.	In Progress	3/19/2026
1	Continuation on High Water Bill Discussion & Solutions	Vice Mayor/Commissioner Herbst requested a charette-like workshop to further discuss High Water Bills including a demonstration of how meters are read and to rebuild trust with the community regarding the subject.	06/08/2026 - City staff will host a virtual Community Information Workshop titled "Your Utility Bill Explained" on Wednesday, June 17, 2026, at 12 p.m.	In Progress	2/17/2026
1	Updated Noise Study	Vice Mayor/Commissioner Herbst requested that the City update the City's 2002 Noise Study, which was referenced during the neighbor presentation (26-0228) delivered by Suzanne Jacob.	06/10/2026 - The draft LTC, along with the report, is under further review by Deputy City Manager Cooper.	In Progress	3/3/2026
1	Free parking for people with disabilities	Commissioner Herbst would like City staff to explore allowing City neighbors and visitors who hold disabled/handicap parking permits and/or license plates to receive free parking in City-owned parking facilities. Follow up to Memorandum No: 23-032 Disabled Parking Payment Requirements in Parking Lots and Garages, February 28, 2023.	06/08/2026 - City staff is conducting research on the legal, operational, and financial impacts the proposed change would have. A substantive update will be provided to the City Commission as soon as City staff has completed its research.	In Progress	5/19/2026
2	Public Art Ordinance	Commissioner Glassman would like a review and staff recommendations on the Public Art ordinance to increase engagement and funding.	06/08/2026 - This item has been rescheduled to the August 18, 2026, City Commission Meeting.	In Progress	10/1/2024
2	Vacation Rentals	Commissioner Glassman requested updates to the Vacation Rentals ordinance.	06/08/2026 - City staff is preparing revisions to the current ordinance as discussed during the June 2, 2026, City Commission Meeting. Further, City staff reviewed the City of Hollywood's code and found that the \$5,000 fine is tied to operating a vacation rental without a license during a suspension period. Fort Lauderdale's code currently applies the \$5,000 penalty threshold to repeat violations only, which is consistent with Chapter 162, Florida Statutes.	In Progress	12/2/2025
3	Strategy to Adopt a Smart City	Commissioner Beasley-Pittman requests a strategy to adopt to become a smart city.	06/08/2026 - City staff via the Information Technology Services Department has scheduled nine (9) training sessions between June 30, 2026 and July 2, 2026, for the staff in the Fire Rescue Department.	In Progress	1/26/2023
3	Safe Parking Program	Commissioner Beasley-Pittman Program requesting City support for this program and assistance with moving restrictions associated with this program.	06/08/2026 - City staff met with LifeNet4Families on Wednesday, June 10, 2026, at 11:30 a.m. to evaluate the proposed location and confirm that the contracted services can be provided at the site.	In Progress	4/7/2026
3	Stormwater Drains	Commissioner Beasley-Pittman requested to for City staff to inspect drains NW 18th Ave and NW 8th Ct (Stormwater Drain Filled with Dirt) and a Report of Drains that have been cleaned in D3	06/10/2026 - Assistant City Manager Rogers completed his review of the report. City staff shared that a total of 6,088 inspections were performed in District 3 between January 1, 2025 and April 9, 2026. In addition, City staff completed 602 work orders within the district, and the work included inlet jetting/cleaning, Closed Circuit TV (CCTV), plus repairs of gravity mains and inlets. The final report is being finalized for distribution to the City Commissioner.	In Progress	4/7/2026
3	FLFR Florida Department of Health Harm Reduction Overdose Program	Commissioner Beasley-Pittman requested a conference report item on the status of the City of Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue's Florida Department of Health Harm Reduction Overdose Program.	06/09/2026 - This item is tentatively scheduled to be presented during the August 18, 2026, City Commission Conference Meeting.	NEW	6/2/2026

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4	Police Headquarter Update Discussion	Vice Mayor Sorensen requests to have another updated discussion on the Police Headquarters.	06/09/2026 - AECOM Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, June 10, 2026. In addition, a motion Approving Change Order No. 35 for Construction Management in the amount of \$1,191,064.34 is scheduled for the June 16, 2026, City Commission Agenda (CAM 26-0510).	In Progress	9/3/2025
4	SE 15 Street sidewalk	Vice Mayor Sorensen would like to explore feasibility of implementing pedestrian path or a sidewalk along SE 15 Street east of Cordova Road.	06/08/2026 - A meeting with key representatives from the Capital Projects and the Transportation and Mobility Departments has been scheduled for Thursday, June 11, 2026. The purpose of this meeting is to review current progress, clarify forthcoming steps, confirm roles and responsibilities, and ensure alignment on the actions required for successful implementation.	In Progress	1/22/2025
4	Limitation of Outdoor Special Events	Vice Mayor Sorensen would like to limit the number of events happening on the Barrier Island.	06/08/2026 - The City Commission received a presentation during the June 2, 2026, City Commission Conference Meeting, and the Commission provided direction on next steps. City staff in the Parks and Recreation Department are preparing the ordinance with the recommended changes.	In Progress	3/18/2025
4	Plain Language for Unsolicited Proposal Process for Fortify Fort Lauderdale	Vice Mayor Sorensen requested a process for unsolicited proposals to be written in simplified language, or plain language.	06/10/2026 - City staff met with the City Manager on Thursday, June 4, 2026, to finalize the unsolicited proposal language. During this meeting, the City Manager provided final comments and feedback to staff. At this time, City staff is currently revising the document to incorporate the requested revisions.	In Progress	1/6/2026
4	Sandbag Equipment	Vice Mayor Sorensen would like the City to explore sandbag equipment to enhance sandbag distribution.	06/08/2026 - City staff in the Parks and Recreation Department has researched equipment and the machines in the market are not conducive to efficient sandbag production. In addition, City staff has implemented an efficient process that allows for the production of sandbags for each site and for mass sandbag production.	NEW	6/2/2026
4	High Water Bill Credit Applicants	Vice Mayor Sorensen requested the City to begin tracking the number of requesters for credits for high water bills in addition to whom has been approved for a credit and incorporate into Customer Service Intake process.	06/10/2026 - City staff is reviewing the request.	NEW	6/2/2026
5	Charter Review Survey Discussion	City Commission would like to discuss the Charter Review Survey questions.	06/09/2026 - Second readings of the proposed charter amendments were approved during the June 2, 2026, City Commission Meeting agenda. In addition, City staff is coordinating with the City Attorney's Office on the amended items, as well as with the Strategic Communications Department to include on the City's spotlight page.	In Progress	5/20/2025
5	For-hire Low Speed Vehicles	City Commission would like to know how many vehicles will be operating under the for-hire low speed vehicles. In addition, they are requesting an operation and regulation plan for these vehicles.	06/08/2026 - LTC No. 26-164 titled "Vehicle for Hire Program Update" was published and distributed via email on Friday, May 29, 2026. The revised program was launched and City staff from the Transportation and Mobility (TAM) Department have begun accepting new applications for the remainder of Fiscal Year 2026 and for Fiscal Year 2027. No permits have been issued thus far, but two (2) applications are currently under staff review. TAM will continue educational enforcement efforts in collaboration with the Police Department through the rest of Fiscal Year 2026.	In Progress	6/18/2024
5	E-Bikes	Commissioner Glassman expressed concern about the increase in bad e-bike behavior. Commissioners Beasley-Pittman and Sorensen requested City staff to identify the type of engines on the disruptive e-bikes and create an enforceable ordinance.	06/08/2026 - LTC No. 26-176, titled "Proposed E-Bikes and Micromobility Ordinance Public Meeting and Next Steps" was published on Wednesday, June 3, 2026, at 5:34 p.m. A public meeting is scheduled for Thursday, June 11, 2026, at 6:30 p.m. at Arserve located at 1350 E Sunrise Blvd. During this meeting, City staff will present an overview of proposed Senate Bill 382, which aims to regulate E-bike operations. City staff will also outline the proposed local ordinance and gather public input on the use of E-bikes and other micromobility devices, particularly on high-pedestrian sidewalks. Further, a discussion about the operation of conventional bicycles in these areas is expected at the meeting. City staff will provide the City Commission with an update after the summer recess.	In Progress	12/2/2025
5	IKE Smart City Unsolicited Proposal	The City Commission requested City Staff to deliver a presentation regarding the IKE Smart City unsolicited proposal that was received in December 2025.	06/10/2026 - To facilitate the program, the City will need to amend the code of ordinances. City staff is continuing to coordinate the ordinance language with the City Attorney's Office.	In Progress	1/6/2026

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5	FXE Lease and Rate Presentation	The City Commission agreed to defer the presentation delivered by City Staff during the January 20, 2026, City Conference Meeting to allow the Airport Advisory Committee to review and consider the lease and rate amendments as well as all relevant documents. In addition, the item should be reviewed by the City Attorney's Office.	06/04/2026 - The Aviation Advisory Board meeting held a meeting on Thursday, May 28, 2026. During this meeting, a Lease Policy Stakeholder Group was formed and two Board members were chosen to serve on this subcommittee. The first Stakeholder Group meeting was held on Wednesday, June 3, 2026 and the next meeting is currently scheduled for Wednesday, June 17, 2026.	In Progress	1/20/2026
5	Naming of Brickell	Mayor Trantalis and Commissioner Glassman requested the City to complete the naming of NW 1st Avenue and Sistrunk Boulevard with pioneer Mary Brickell's name. A related Commission Item may have been passed in the early 2000's.	06/08/2026 - Upon the City Attorney Office's review, it was determined that the prior Brickell Ave renaming was done by Ordinance, requiring a public hearing to rescind. Because the public hearing advertising deadlines for the June 16, 2026, and July 2, 2026, City Commission Meeting Agendas have passed, the item has been moved to August 18, 2026, to rescind the existing Ordinance and Resolution as well as bring forward one (1) Resolution for the Mary Brickell Avenue primary designation.	In Progress	3/3/2026
5	Citywide Waterway Cleanup Strategy	The City Commission requested for the City to develop a wholistic strategy to further investigate the waterways that have been tested continuously and begin cleaning it up. City Manager requested a partnership with an academic institution to which the Commission agreed.	06/08/2026 - City staff has reached out to Nova Southeastern University for their thoughts since the City has supported their past work in City waterways. In addition, City staff has determined that this is a long term project, so this item will move to the Quarterly Long Term Action Items report.	NEW	6/2/2026
5	Offering City Communications in Various Languages	The Commission requested City staff to offer communications in various languages to accommodate the City's residents and visitors.	06/10/2026 - The newly launched City website includes translation capabilities in Spanish and Haitian Creole, providing more accessibility. City staff is also developing a protocol to guide which public-facing materials should be translated based on audience, purpose, urgency and community need. In addition, City staff is exploring professional translation services to support accessible communications.	NEW	6/2/2026
5	Property Tax Legislation Impact Conference Agenda Item	The City Commission requests a City Commission Conference Meeting dedicated to solely to discussing City's potential impact of the State's proposed referendum of increased property tax exemptions.	06/08/2026 - City staff has confirmed a Property Tax Impact Presentation during the City Commission Joint Workshop scheduled for the June 16, 2026, City Commission Meeting.	NEW	6/2/2026