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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.	06/22/2026 - New site currently being reviewed is large parking area east of county bus transit center . The City already owns a small portion of the west side of the property. The City Manager's Office is reaching out to the property owner to discuss the feasibility of this location.	In Progress	3/19/2026
1	Updated Noise Study	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.	06/22/2026 - The draft LTC and report is under review by the City Manager.	In Progress	3/3/2026
1	Continuation on High Water Bill Discussion & Solutions	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.	06/22/2026 - City staff hosted 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	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.	06/22/2026 - Parking staff within the Transportation and Mobility (TAM) Department are actively advancing their research, gaining clearer insight, and shaping a solution that can be realistically implemented.	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.	06/17/2026 - 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.	06/22/2026 - City staff is preparing the ordinance amendment for the August 18, 2026, City Commission Meeting.	In Progress	12/2/2025
3	Safe Parking Program	Commissioner Beasley-Pittman Program requesting City support for this program and assistance with moving restrictions associated with this program.	06/22/2026 - An on-site meeting was held with LifeNet4Families on June 10, 2026. The proposed site appears suitable, however, LifeNet has not finalized its agreement with the property owner, and the operational model remains under review. Further advancement of the City agreement is pending confirmation of site approval, service delivery details, and any necessary agreement revisions. City staff is also meeting internally to evaluate program requirements and ensure the proposed Safe Parking Program is structured to effectively support participants and achieve intended outcomes.	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.	06/22/2026 - Final report is being finalized.	In Progress	4/7/2026
3	Strategy to Adopt a Smart City	Commissioner Beasley-Pittman requests a strategy to adopt to become a smart city.	06/22/2026 - The Information Technology Services Department is scheduled to conduct 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

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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.	06/22/2026 - This item is tentatively scheduled to be presented during the August 18, 2026, City Commission Conference Meeting.	In Progress	6/2/2026
4	Police Headquarter Update Discussion	Vice Mayor Sorensen requests to have another updated discussion on the Police Headquarters.	06/16/2026 - An initial meeting was held with AECOM, IT and the City to go over the error & report lists. There were a handful of items that AECOM and the City were not in agreement. The City provided counter arguments to the exclusion of certain line items and asked AECOM to take the information back to AECOM leadership for reconsideration. A follow up meeting is being scheduled.	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.	06/22/2026 - The Transportation and Mobility (TAM) and the Capital Projects Department (CPD) conducted a meeting on Wednesday, June 17, 2026. TAM is in the process of developing a public engagement flyer and a list of priority neighborhoods to advance public engagement efforts. SE 15th Street is on that list. A second meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, July 15, 2026, to further discuss details.	In Progress	1/22/2025
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.	06/22/2026 - City staff is reviewing the request. The City is implementing a new utility billing software and the requested information will be included for tracking purposes. The software is anticipated to go live in Summer 2027 when all AMI meters are expected to be installed.	In Progress	6/2/2026
4	Limitation of Outdoor Special Events	Vice Mayor Sorensen would like to limit the number of events happening on the Barrier Island.	06/22/2026 - After the June 16, 2026, City Commission Meeting, the City Commission requested City staff reach out to the group representing the Florida Lauderdale International Boat Show. A meeting was held on Monday, June 22, 2026 to discuss this item.	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.	06/23/2026 - 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.	06/15/2026 - 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.	COMPLETED	6/2/2026
5	Charter Review Survey Discussion	City Commission would like to discuss the Charter Review Survey questions.	06/16/2026 - A memo is being drafted to provide a complete update to the Charter Review Board. In addition, educational material has been placed on the City's spotlight page, however, it will be updated to add the three (3) amendments that are pending final language.	In Progress	5/20/2025
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.	06/15/2026 - The City Attorney's Office received feedback from the City Manger's Office - Real Estate Division, as well as the Procurement Services and Transportation and Mobility (TAM) Departments, and they will be working on amendments to the draft in response.	In Progress	1/6/2026
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.	06/22/2026 - The Stakeholder Group had its second meeting on Wednesday, June 17, 2026. The next meeting will be held on July 1, 2026.	In Progress	1/20/2026
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.	06/23/2026 - City staff is 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.	In Progress	6/2/2026
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.	06/22/2026 - The Transportation and Mobility Department (TAM) continues to work with the Fort Lauderdale Police Department (FLPD) on educational enforcement through the end of the fiscal year.	In Progress	6/18/2024

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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.	06/22/2026 - A Letter to the Commission (Update #2) was submitted to the City Manager's Office on Thursday, June 18, 2026, stating key takeaways and next steps from the June 11, 2026, Public Meeting. City Staff continues to work with the City Attorney's Office on a draft ordinance.	In Progress	12/2/2025
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.	06/22/2026 - This item is scheduled to appear on the August 18, 2026, City Commission Agenda.	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.	06/22/2026 - City staff has reached out to Nova Southeastern University for their thoughts since the City has supported their past work in City waterways. City staff is also engaging with Miami Waterkeeper. 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.	In Progress	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.	06/17/2026 - City staff delivered a Property Tax Impact Presentation during the City Commission Joint Workshop during the June 16, 2026, City Commission Meeting.	COMPLETED	6/2/2026