



CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
CONFERENCE MEETING

#26-0221

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Rickelle Williams, City Manager

DATE: March 3, 2026

TITLE: Public Engagement in the Budget Process – Office of Management and Budget (**Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4**)

Staff will present an overview of the ways Fort Lauderdale residents can actively participate in the City's upcoming budget development cycle and share their input.

The presentation (Exhibit 1) will begin with a general overview of the budget calendar, then outline opportunities for public engagement at various stages of the process.

Additional Information on the City's budget development process can also be found at fortlauderdale.gov/budget.

Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact associated with this action.

Strategic Connections

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2029* Strategic Plan, specifically advancing the following Guiding Principles:

- Fiscal Responsibility;
- Customer Service;
- Innovation;
- Technology Adaption; and
- Inclusivity

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035* Vision Plan: We Are Ready

Attachment

Exhibit 1 – Public Engagement in the Budget Process Presentation

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