

AGENDA - CITY OF GHENT
REGULAR CITY COUNCIL/ JOINT EDA MEETING
TUESDAY, AUGUST 18, 2026 @ 6:30

Call the Meeting to Order:

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Minutes: **M**

Approval of the Agenda: **M**

Citizen's Comments – If a citizen has an item of concern that they would like to bring to the council's attention that "is not" on the agenda, they have approximately 2 minutes to address the council at this time. Please address the council from the podium. If further discussion is necessary, this item will be added to the agenda for next month's meeting.

LYON CO. SHERRIFF'S DEPT. REPORT

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT: BUDGET

- REQUEST THAT CHIEF COME THREE TIMES A YEAR AUGUST & DECEMBER BUDGET

WIDSETH: WATER/SEWER PROJECT:

- Schedule Work session with council at 5:00 September 8th.
- BONDING BILL GRANT: 46.22 Subd.28. Ghent: Water Infrastructure. Phase 1 improvements to municipal water infrastructure.
- Expansion East along Highway 68:
- DeRoode Swale in Alley

OFTEDAHL DONATION / MEMORIAL

RIGHT OF WAY BETWEEN 210 & 300 W MCQUESTION STREET: (Between Sussner & Moe) Sussner may be interested in purchasing **M**

LMC: RENEWAL: The City of Ghent "does not waive" the monetary limits on municipal tort liability established by state statute. **M**

- MOWER HOOD CLAIM

PARKING ORDINANCE: Change the 72 hours to "all vehicles" not just campers. & legally close the street for BA Days. **M**

BA DAYS RECAP: 2027 planning

SHOP GARAGE DOORS:

BOLTON & MENK: JORDAN IS JOINING US

- Possible Partnership with City of Lynd regarding wastewater ponds. – working on contacting landowners.
- RESOLUTION #08-18-2026: ACCEPT DNR GRANT **M** GRANT AMOUNT \$767,700/ MATCH AMOUNT \$312,000.
- RESOLUTION #08-1802-26-1: DECLARING INTENT TO REIMBURSE EXPENDITURES FROM THE PROCEEDS OF BONDS **M**

NUISANCE ENFORCEMENT:

- DeRoode Garage Permit was taken out in 5/2025.
- No Political Signs in the Right of Way – Dawn has notified.

2027 DRAFT BUDGET

ADJOURN: **M**

NEXT MEETING TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th, 2026 @ 6:30 P.M.

M = Requires a Motion