



In case you missed it, the following are highlights from the February 19, 2025, Cape Coral City Council meeting.

Community Recognition Award: Daniel Lynn

City Council and the City Manager recognize the exemplary achievements of Cape Coral residents. Cape Coral resident and Cape Coral High School Junior Daniel Lynn has earned the City of Cape Coral Community Recognition Award for his excellence in bowling, including becoming the 2024 State bowling champion, News-Press Bowler of the Year, and Florida Daily Farmers Mr. Bowling.

Council Approves UEP Changes to Address Water Shortage

Council approved Resolution 65-25, prioritizing the Utilities Extension Project (UEP) area known as North 6, expanding its boundary to cover more of the area in northeast Cape Coral currently being impacted by an ongoing water shortage. This will also move up the completion date for this area by five years.

Council Awards Bid for As-Needed Emergency Disaster Assistance and Debris Removal Services

Council approved Resolution 37-25, awarding DRC Emergency Services LLC as primary, Crowder Gulf, LLC as secondary, and Ceres Environmental Services, Inc., Philips & Jordan Environmental Services, LLC, Aftermath Disaster Recovery, CTC Disaster Response, Inc., TFR Enterprises, Inc, and Looks Great Services of MS Inc. as alternates the bid to provide emergency disaster assistance and debris removal services on an as-needed basis. This ordinance ensures the use of these prepositioned contracts, allowing Cape Coral to conduct a deliberate procurement process outside the pressure and immediate demands of a disaster. It will additionally ensure that the City has contractors ready to perform work quickly after an incident occurs when needed most.

Council Approves Donation of Properties to Habitat For Humanity to be Developed With Affordable Single-Family Homes

Council approved Resolution 48-25, approving and amending the City's affordable housing inventory list and authorizing the donation of 14 listed properties for

the development of single-family homes through a partnership with Habitat for Humanity of Lee and Hendry Counties utilizing funds Lee County Community Development Block Grant Disaster funds.

Council Approves Purchase of Properties for Burrowing Owl Habitat Preservation

Council approved Resolution 49-25, Resolution 50-25, Resolution 51-25, Resolution 52-25, and Resolution 53-25, allowing for the purchase of five properties, comprising 11 lots for burrowing owl habitat preservation associated with the Burrowing Owl Habitat Protection grant project.

Upcoming Public Meetings

A Committee of the Whole is scheduled for Wednesday, February 26, 2025, at 9 a.m. in Council Chambers.