



**City of Rio Communities Council Regular Business Meeting**  
**City Council Chambers - 360 Rio Communities Blvd**  
**Rio Communities, NM 87002**  
**Monday, April 14, 2025 6:00 PM**  
**Agenda**

*Please silence all electronic devices.*

**Mayor - Joshua Ramsell**

**Mayor Pro Tem - Lawrence R. Gordon**

**Council - Arthur Apodaca, Thomas Nelson, Matthew Marquez**

**Call to Order**

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Roll Call**

**Approval of Agenda**

**Approval of Consent Agenda**

- 1. Approval of Minutes Regular Business Meeting March 24, 2025**
- 2. Approval of Accounts Payable**

**Public Comment:** The Council will take public comments in written format. These should be emailed to [admin@riocommunities.net](mailto:admin@riocommunities.net) through 4:45 PM on Monday, April 14, 2025. These comments will be distributed to all Councilors for review. If you wish to speak during the public comment session, the Council will allow each member of the public to three (3) minutes to address the Council. Both the public and Council will follow rules of decorum. Give your name and where you live. The public will direct comments to the City Council. Comment(s) will not be disruptive or derogatory.

The Council will not take action or engage in discussion regarding the comments made or received, but when appropriate the matters raised may be referred to staff or others for further review. Both the public and Council will follow rules of decorum. Derogatory Comments or matters under litigation will not be allowed and any person or persons addressing the Council are liable for their own statements, not the Council. Statements are limited to a maximum of 3 minutes duration. Please give your name and where you live for the record.

**Manager Report**

**Action Items**

- 3. Discussion, Consideration, and Decision – Business Licenses for Spring Festival Food Vendors**
- 4. Discussion, Consideration, and Decision – Resolution 2025-13: Authorizing and Approving submission of completed application for financial assistance and project approval to the New Mexico Finance Authority for the purchase of a Fire Department Engine**
- 5. Discussion – City of Rio Communities Budget Review**

**Council Discussion**

- Executive Session - For the purpose of Police Chief Evaluation pursuant to NMSA 10-15-1(H)(2) - Limited Personnel Matters**
  - \* Motion and roll call vote to go into closed session**
  - \* Motion and roll call vote to go back into the regular business meeting session**
  - \* Welcome everyone back and statement by the Mayor:**

**Action Item**

- 6. Discussion, Consideration, and Decision – Amended Contract for Police Chief**

**Adjourn**

NOTE: THIS AGENDA IS SUBJECT TO REVISION UP TO 72 HOURS PRIOR TO THE SCHEDULED MEETING DATE AND TIME (NMSA 10-15-1 F). A COPY OF THE AGENDA MAY BE PICKED UP AT CITY HALL, 360 RIO COMMUNITIES BLVD, RIO COMMUNITIES, NM 87002. IF YOU ARE AN INDIVIDUAL WITH A DISABILITY WHO IS IN NEED OF A READER, AMPLIFIER, QUALIFIED SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER OR ANY OTHER FORM OF AUXILIARY AND OR SERVICE TO ATTEND OR PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING, PLEASE CONTACT THE MUNICIPAL CLERK AT 505-861-6803 AT LEAST ONE WEEK PRIOR TO THE MEETING OR AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.