

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Paul Helenberg called the regular meeting of the Castle Rock City Council to order at 7:33 PM.

a. Pledge of Allegiance

Mayor Helenberg led the Pledge of Allegiance.

b. Roll Call

Councilmembers present: Lee Kessler, Paul Simonsen, and Ellen Rose. Councilmember Art Lee was absent.

Staff present: Police Chief Charlie Worley, City Attorney Nikki Thompson, Public Works Senior Operator Tyler Stone, and Clerk-Treasurer Carie Cuttonaro.

c. Changes to Agenda

2. PROCLAMATIONS & PRESENTATIONS

3. CITIZEN COMMENTS - maximum 3 minutes

Richard Jamieson, Jon Davidson, Nikki Williams and James Bobst are reporting to Council regarding the work being done by the Astound contractor, and the negative impacts they have been experiencing. They also stated that the Public Works Department and Gibbs & Olson Inspectors have been very responsive, but are seeking additional help. The City will continue to assist residents in getting help.

4. DEPARTMENT REPORTS

- City Attorney Nikki Thompson

- Police Chief Charlie Worley

Police Chief Charlie Worley gave a verbal report. National Night Out is Tuesday, August 5 from 6-9 PM at the Castle Rock Middle School.

- Public Works Director Dave Vorse / Asst Public Works Director Tyler Stone

Assistant Public Works Director Tyler Stone gave a verbal report.

- City Engineer Tom Gower

- Clerk-Treasurer Carie Cuttonaro

1. Financials

Clerk-Treasurer Carie Cuttonaro gave a verbal report.

5. COUNCIL AND AD HOC COMMITTEE REPORTS

- Mayor / Mayor Pro-Tempore / Councilmembers

Mayor Helenberg gave a verbal report.

- CRCDA Representative

6. PUBLIC HEARINGS

7. CONSENT AGENDA

- a. July 14, 2025 Regular Council Meeting Minutes

This item was tabled to the next regular Council meeting.

8. OLD BUSINESS

9. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Contract with Longview Law Group to provide Indigent Defense Services in the amount of \$2,000 per month.

Councilmember Kessler made a motion, seconded by Rose, to approve the Indigent Defense Services contract with Longview Law Group. Motion carried by roll call vote. Councilmembers Kessler, Simonsen, and Rose voted 'Aye'.

- b. Special Event Permit #2025-0008; Greater Castle Rock Chamber - Mountain Mania Car Show; August 16, 2025 between 8:00 AM and 2:00 PM; insurance has been received. Street closure request includes: Front Ave from A St to Jackson St, Cowlitz St W from Huntington Ave to end of one-way, and 1st Ave between Cowlitz St W and A St SW. Jackson St NW will remain open. Also request to close city parking lot located by Jackson St NW, while leaving spaces open for Bredfields' customers and employees.

Councilmember Rose made a motion, seconded by Kessler, to approve SEP #2025-0008. Motion carried by roll call vote. Councilmembers Kessler, Simonsen, and Rose voted 'Aye'.

10. OTHER BUSINESS

11. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Mayor Helenberg adjourned the meeting at 8:16 PM.

Mayor Paul Helenberg

Clerk-Treasurer Carie Cuttonaro