

Council Goals

Envision a safe, flourishing downtown that provides a strong commercial tax base

Strive to be active stewards of existing aging infrastructure

Recognize importance of experience, well trained, and community minded staff

Ensure its electorate is well informed of on-going successes and future plans

Envision a safe, secure community for its families and youth

Promote redevelopment of existing businesses and neighborhoods and increase quality of life for all its residents



AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING LA JUNTA CITY COUNCIL

La Junta, Colorado
TUESDAY
September 2, 2025
6:00 PM
Council Chambers
Municipal Building
601 Colorado Avenue

CALL TO ORDER (Mayor Ayala)

INVOCATION (Mayor Ayala)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE (Mayor Ayala)

ROLL CALL (City Clerk)

Council Members

Supervisors

Others

Ramirez

Velasquez

Stoker

Ayala

Ochoa

Pantoya

Rikhof

CITIZEN PARTICIPATION *(5-minute time limit per person)*

REPORTS

A. Tourism and Economic Development (Pam Denahy) (Information)

CONSENT AGENDA

A. Regular Meeting Minutes August 18, 2025

NEW BUSINESS

A. Present 2026 Budget (Aliza Libby)

B. City of La Junta Drug & Alcohol Policy (Dawn Block) (Action)

C. Tourism Board Recommendation for Funding (Mayor) (Action)

1. National WIFE (Women Involved in Farm Economics) Convention, October 23-25 in La Junta at Otero College - \$5,000 sponsorship request

D. Committee/Board Report

E. City Manager Report

F. Community Events/Council Report

G. Governing Body Report

H. ADJOURN