



FINANCE COMMITTEE AGENDA

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MONDAY, August 3, 2026 at 7:00 P.M.

Meeting of the Finance Committee will be held **in the Cranston Council Chambers, Cranston City Hall, 869 Park Ave., Cranston, RI 02910**, for the purpose of considering the following items listed on the agenda. Remote participation is offered using the login information provided below as posted on the City's website at www.cranstonri.gov and Secretary of State's website at www.sos.ri.gov

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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES (*Votes may be taken*)

May 4, 2026 – Regular Committee Minutes

IV. COMMITTEE BUSINESS MATTERS CARRIED OVER

None

V. CORRESPONDENCE/COMMUNICATIONS

None

VI. PUBLIC COMMENT

Public comment is limited to the subject matter of docketed matters only. Written comment is accepted and may be submitted via email to this sub-committee of Council before the meeting at <https://www.cranstonri.gov/city-council-contact-form/> or nrenzulli@cranstonri.gov. All such written comment shall include the name of the person or entity offering comment, their home address, and it shall be signed and dated. All submissions shall be provided to committee members by the City Clerk before the meeting and the record shall be so noted.

(Vote will be taken to accept written testimony and to place it on record)

For meetings occurring via a collaboration platform (i.e., Zoom), those members of the public then present in the audience who wish to testify are invited to do so by calling in to the meeting or by appearing on screen.

VII. NEW MATTERS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

A. *Ordinances* (*Vote may be taken*)

None

B. *Resolutions* (*No Vote will be taken*)

Resolution *Loan Order Authorizing The City Of Cranston To Issue General Obligation School Refunding Bonds To Refund Outstanding General Obligation Bonds Of The City Issued To The Rhode Island Health And Educational Building Corporation* [\[click to view\]](#)
(*vote may be taken*)

Resolution *Loan Order Authorizing The City Of Cranston To Issue General Obligation Refunding Bonds To Refund Outstanding General Obligation Bonds Of The City* [\[click to view\]](#) (*vote may be taken*)

Resolution Evidencing The City's Intent To Pay \$22,560 Of Outstanding General Obligation Notes Without Extinguishing The Authority To Issue Bonds Or Notes In Such Amount [\[click to view\]](#) (vote may be taken)

C. Real Estate Tax Abatements (Votes may be taken)

[\[click to view\]](#)

D. Motor Vehicle Tax Abatements (Votes may be taken)

None

E. Tangible Tax Abatements (Vote may be taken)

None

F. Tax Interest Waiver Approvals (Vote may be taken)

None

G. Tax Interest Waiver Denials (Vote may be taken)

None

VIII. EXECUTIVE SESSION

*The City Council may vote to go into closed executive session under R.I.G.L. 42-46-5(a)(2) session pertaining to collective bargaining for the purpose of receiving an update from the Administration related to a **Tentative Agreement** between the City of Cranston and the IBPO 301 Contract 2026-2029 (Vote may be taken)*

MOTION to return to Open Session (Vote may be taken)

MOTIONS made in Executive Session (Vote may be taken)

MOTION to seal the minutes of Executive Session (Vote may be taken)

IX. COUNCIL MEMBER COMMUNICATIONS

Council President Wall:

- Monthly Financial Report [Monthly Financial Report June 2026](#)
- Bond ratings
 - Updated ratings
 - Potential concerns

X. ADJOURNMENT (Vote may be taken)

*Pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 42-46-6(c) Notice of this meeting was posted on the Secretary of State's website, on the city's website, at Cranston City Hall and at the Cranston Library on **July 30, 2026***