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Two or more commissioners may attend the following:

2025 Board of County Commissioners and associated meetings
Board of County Commissioners

All meetings take place in the McPherson Governmental Campus auditorium, 601 SE 25th Ave., Ocala. Meetings are held at 9 a.m. on the first and third Tuesday* of each month. For more information, contact the commission office at 352-438-2323.

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| Jan. 21 | Feb. 4 | Feb. 18 | Mar. 5 | Mar. 18 | |
| Apr. 1 | Apr. 15 | May 6 | May 20 | June 3 | June 17 |
| July 1 | July 15 | Aug. 5 | Aug. 19 | Sept. 3 | Sept. 16 |
| Oct. 7 | Oct. 21 | Nov. 4 | Nov. 18 | Dec. 2 | Dec. 16 |

Board of County Commissioners Zoning, final hearing

All meetings take place at 1:30 p.m. on the third Monday, and 2 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each month in the McPherson Governmental Campus Auditorium, 601 SE 25th Ave., Ocala. First Tuesdays are as needed. For more information, contact Growth Services at 352-438-2600.

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| Jan. 13* | Jan. 21 | Feb. 17 | Feb. 18 | Mar. 17 | Mar. 18 |
| Apr. 14 | Apr. 15 | May 19 | May 20 | June 16 | June 17 |
| July 15 | July 21 | Aug. 18 | Aug. 19 | Sept. 15 | Sept. 16 |
| Oct. 20 | Oct. 21 | Nov. 17 | Nov. 18 | Dec. 15 | Dec. 16 |

Code Enforcement Board

Marion County's Code Enforcement Board meets at 9 a.m. on the second Wednesday of each month* in the Growth Services Training Room, 2710 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. For more information, contact Code Enforcement at 352-671-8901.

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| Jan. 8 | Feb. 12 | Mar. 12 | Apr. 9 | May 14 | June 11 |
| July 9 | Aug. 13 | Sept. 10 | Oct. 8 | Nov. 12 | Dec. 10 |

Planning & Zoning Commission, first hearing

The Planning & Zoning Commission conducts hearings are held at 5:30 p.m. on the last Monday of each month* in the McPherson Governmental Campus Auditorium, 601 SE 25th Ave., Ocala. For more information, contact Autumn Williams at 352-438-2600.

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| Jan. 27 | Feb. 24 | Mar. 31 | Apr. 28 | May 28 * | June 30 |
| July 28 | Aug. 25 | Sept. 29 | Oct. 27 | Nov. 24 | Dec. 29 |

*Altered schedule (Date/Time)

Local Mitigation Strategy

All meetings take place at 10:00 a.m. on the third Wednesday quarterly in the Growth Services Training Room, 2710 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. For more information, contact Kelly Hill at 352-438-2622.

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| Jan. 15 | Apr. 16 | July 16 | Oct. 15 |
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Board of Adjustment Variances

The Board of Adjustment Variances meets at 2 p.m. on the first Monday* of each month in the Growth Services Training Room, 2710 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. For more information, contact Kelly Hill at 352-438-2622.

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| Jan. 6 | Feb. 3 | Mar. 3 | Apr. 7 | May 5 | June 2 |
| July 7 | Aug. 4 | Sept. 8* | Oct. 6 | Nov. 3 | Dec. 1 |

*Altered schedule (Date/Time)

Tourist Development Council

The Tourist Development Council meets at 9 a.m. on the following dates in the Visitors and Convention Bureau Conference Room, 109 W. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. For more information, contact Candace Shelton 352-438-2800.

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| Jan. 16 | Feb. 27 |
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Land Development Regulation Committee

The Land Development Regulation Committee will hold workshops at 5:30 p.m.

Services at 352-438-2600.

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| Jan. 15 | Feb. 5 | Feb. 19 | Mar. 5 | Mar. 19 | |
| Apr. 2 | Apr. 16 | May 7 | May 21 | June 4 | June 18 |
| July 2 | July 16 | Aug. 6 | Aug. 20 | Sept. 3 | Sept. 17 |
| Oct. 1 | Oct. 15 | Nov. 5 | Nov. 19 | Dec. 3 | Dec. 17 |

Historical Commission

Meetings are held at 6 p.m. on the second Monday of each month in the Growth Services Training Room, 2710 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. For more information, contact Jennifer Clark at 352-438-2300.

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| Jan. 13 | Feb. 10 | Mar. 10 | Apr. 14 | May 12 | June 9 |
| July 14 | Aug. 11 | Sept. 8 | Oct. 13 | Nov. 10 | Dec. 8 |

Parks & Recreation Advisory Council

The Marion County Parks & Recreation Advisory Council meets at 3 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month in the Parks & Recreation Conference Room, 111 SE 25th Ave., Ocala. For more information, contact Parks & Recreation at 352-671-8560.

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| Jan. 15 | Feb. 19 | Mar. 19 | Apr. 16 | May 21 | June 18 |
| July 16 | Aug. 20 | Sept. 17 | Oct. 15 | Nov. 19 | Dec. 17 |

Housing Finance Authority of Marion County

The Housing Finance Authority of Marion County will meet at 12 p.m. on the third Wednesday of each month, excluding December. Meetings will be held at the McPherson Governmental Campus, Conference Room A, 601 SE 25th Avenue, Ocala. For more information, please call 352-322-1987.

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| Jan. 15 | Feb. 19 | Mar. 19 | Apr. 16 | May 21 | June 18 |
| July 16 | Aug. 20 | Sept. 17 | Oct. 15 | Nov. 19 | |

Central Florida Community Land Trust

The Central Florida Community Land Trust will meet at 1:30 p.m. on the dates listed below, meetings will be held at the McPherson Governmental Campus, Conference Room A, 601 SE 25th Avenue, Ocala. For more information, please call 352-322-1987.

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| Jan. 15 | Apr. 16 | July 16 | Oct. 15 |
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Development Review Committee (DRC)

The Development Review Committee meets at 9 a.m. on Mondays in the Office of the County Engineer, Building 1, Conference Room, 412 SE 25th Ave., Ocala. For more information, contact the Office of the County Engineer at 352-671-8686.

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| May 12 | May 19 | May 26* | June 2 | June 9 | June 16 |
| June 23 | June 30 | July 7 | July 14 | July 21 | July 28 |
| Aug. 4 | Aug. 11 | Aug. 18 | Aug. 25 | Sept. 1* | Sept. 8 |
| Sept. 15 | Sept. 22 | Sept. 29 | Oct. 6 | Oct. 13 | Oct. 20 |
| Oct. 27 | Nov. 3 | Nov. 10 | Nov. 17 | Nov. 24 | Dec. 1* |
| Dec. 8 | Dec. 15 | Dec. 22 | Dec. 29 | | |

*Indicates no meeting

MSTU Advisory Boards

Hills of Ocala MSTU for Recreation Advisory Council

The Hills of Ocala MSTU for Recreation will meet at 6 p.m. quarterly on the first Monday, every 3 months in the Hills of Ocala Clubhouse, 10475 SW 136th Terrace, Dunnellon. For more information, call Peter Hodges at 352-438-2650.
 Feb. 3 May 5 Aug. 4 Nov. 3

Marion Oaks MSTU for General Services Advisory Board

The Marion Oaks MSTU for General Services Advisory Board meets at 10:30 a.m. on the second Tuesday of the following months in the Annex Building, 294 Marion Oaks Lane, Ocala. For more information, please call 352-307-1037.
 Jan. 14 Feb. 11 May 13 Sept. 9 Oct. 14

Marion Oaks MSTU for Recreation Services and Facilities Advisory Board

The Marion Oaks MSTU for Recreation Services and Facilities Advisory Board helps determine the budget and projects for the Marion Oaks Community Center. The board meets at 9:30 a.m. on the second Tuesday of the following months in the Annex Building, 294 Marion Oaks Lane, Ocala. For more information, please call 352-438-2828.
 Jan. 14 Feb. 11* Apr. 8 July 15 Oct. 14

*Advisory Board Pre Budget Workshop at 9:30 a.m.

Pine Run Estate Public Advisory Board

Advisory Board Meetings are held at 10 a.m. on the third Thursday of every month, excluding December. The meetings are held at Clubhouse 1, located at 10379 SW 88th Terrace, Ocala. For more information, please call 352-438-2828.
 Jan. 16 Feb. 20 Mar. 20 Apr. 17 May 15 June 19
 July 17 Aug. 21 Sept. 18 Oct. 16 Nov. 20

Rainbow Lakes Estates Public Advisory Board

The Rainbow Lakes Estates Public Advisory Board meets at 6:30 p.m. on the

Pamela Spicuzza at 352-489-4280.

Jan. 16 Feb. 20 Mar. 11* Mar. 20 Apr. 17 May 15
 June 19** July 17 Aug. 21 Sept. 18 Oct. 16 Nov. 20

* 10:00 a.m. budget workshop

** 10:00 a.m. BCC budget hearing. Date subject to change

Silver Springs Shores Tax Advisory Council

The Silver Springs Shores Tax Advisory Council meets at 6 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the following months in the Silver Springs Shores Community Center, 590 Silver Road, Ocala. For more information, call 352-438-2810.

Jan. 14 Mar. 11 May 13 July 8 Sept. 9 Nov. 11

Member and Appointee Participation

Soil & Water Conservation District Board

The Marion County Soil and Water Conservation District Board will meet 9 a.m. on the second Monday of every month in Growth Services, 2710 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. For more information, contact the district office at 352-438-2475.

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 July 14 Aug. 11 Sept. 8 Oct. 13 Nov. 10 Dec. 8

East Central Florida Regional Planning Council

The East Central Florida Regional Planning Council will meet at 9:30 a.m. on the third Wednesday of the months listed at 455 N. Garland Ave., Orlando (unless otherwise noted). For more information, call 407-245-0300.

Feb. 19* Apr. 16 May 21** Aug. 20** Sept. 17** Nov. 19**

*Location: Lake Mary Events Center, 260 N. Country Club Rd, Lake Mary, FL

**Location: To be determined

Ocala Metro Chamber & Economic Partnership

The Ocala Metro Chamber & Economic Partnership will hold its exCEptional Breakfast at 7:30 a.m. on the third Wednesday of every month at the Reilly Arts Center, 500 NE 9th St, Ocala. For more information, contact the CEP at 352-629-8051.

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 July 16 Aug. 20 Sept. 17 Oct. 15 Nov. 19 Dec. 17

Central Florida MPO Alliance

All scheduled meetings begin at 10 a.m. on the below dates at MetroPlan

Feb. 14 Apr. 11 Oct. 10

SW Florida Water Management District Springs Coast Steering Committee

The schedule meetings begin at 2 p.m. on the below dates at the Brooksville office, 2379 Broad St., Brooksville. For more information, contact 352-796-7211 ext. 4400.

Jan. 22 Mar. 5 Jul 23

Withlacoochee Regional Water Supply Authority

All scheduled meeting begin at 3:30 p.m. on the following Wednesdays in the Lecanto Government building, room 166, 3600 W. Sovereign Path, Lecanto. For more information, contact the office at 32-527-5795 or visit wrwsa.org

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