



## The City of York Pennsylvania

Office of City Council

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### York City Council Will Transition To Virtual Meetings Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

(13 APR 2020) York, PA — The City of York continues to take proactive and preventive measures in alignment with the statewide stay-at-home order issued by Governor Tom Wolf.

In an effort to protect citizens and city staff, City Council meetings will transition to a virtual format beginning with its Tuesday, April 21<sup>st</sup> legislative session at 6PM. City Council members will teleconference in from remote locations while staff essential to participating in legislative sessions will meet in Council Chambers while implementing social distancing.

Below are ways citizens may watch and participate in Council meetings until the stay-at-home order is lifted:

1. Watch the meetings on Comcast Cable Channel 18.
2. Watch the meetings live on Facebook (Search for “City of York”).
3. Watch the meetings online at [www.wrct.tv](http://www.wrct.tv)
4. Email comments on agenda items to the City Clerk at [dthompso@yorkcity.org](mailto:dthompso@yorkcity.org) no later than 3PM on the day of the scheduled meeting.
5. Call-in with comments at (717) 849-1425.
6. Mail comments on agenda items to: Office of City Clerk, Attn: Public Comment, 101 S. George St., York, PA 17401. Comments must be received the day prior to the scheduled meeting date by 4PM.
7. Persons with hearing impairments may call the Deaf Center at TDD (717) 848-6765 for assistance.

City Council will only hold meetings as deemed necessary for the continued operation of essential city services. Residents may keep updated on Council meetings by visiting <https://www.yorkcity.org/events/>. Agendas can be viewed by visiting <https://www.yorkcity.org/government/city-council/agendas/>.

President Nixon stated that, “City Council appreciates our residents’ cooperation, patience and understanding as we work through this pandemic while also protecting the health and safety of our citizens and city staff.”

Please contact the City Clerk at [dthompso@yorkcity.org](mailto:dthompso@yorkcity.org) with questions.

Your coverage is invited.

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