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FROM: COUNCILOR DONNA THIGPEN, PRESIDENT

DATE: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2025

The Agenda for the Council Planning Session on Tuesday, September 9, 2025 at 9:00 a.m. is outlined below. Other matters and information for the council follow the Agenda.

*******AGENDA*******

- ITEM 1. Call to Order/ Invocation**
- ITEM 2. Pledge of Allegiance**
- ITEM 3. Council Roll Call**
- ITEM 4. Pyro Shows of Alabama Update – Marvin Jones**
- ITEM 5. City of Bessemer Insurance Update – Bruce Pettway**
- ITEM 6. Camp Bessemer Update – Andrea Kirk-Cook**
- ITEM 7. Bob Sykes BBQ & BLUES Festival (Van Sykes)**
- ITEM 8. Central Alabama Caribbean American Organization (Pauline Ford and Gina Sealy)**
- ITEM 9. Discussion on Employee's Appreciation Day**
- ITEM 10. Discuss the Bessemer Farmers Market Fall Festival for October and November. Mrs. Alisha Ruffin -Brown**
- ITEM 11. Groundbreaking- Old City Hall Lofts- 11:00 following council meeting**