

AGENDA
CITY OF TAYLOR, TEXAS
MOODY MUSEUM BOARD MEETING
114 W. 9TH STREET TAYLOR, TEXAS 76574, TAYLOR, TEXAS
JANUARY 20, 2026, 5:30 PM

CALL TO ORDER AND DECLARE A QUORUM

CONSENT AGENDA

(The Consent Agenda includes non-controversial and routine items that the Council may act on with one single vote. Any Council member may pull any item from the Consent Agenda to discuss and act upon individually on the Regular Agenda.)

1. Review and approve the minutes of the November 18, 2025 regular meeting.
2. Receive the financial reports of the Ned Trust (100-100-108) and Nancy Moody Fund (100-100-113)

REGULAR AGENDA; REVIEW/DISCUSS AND CONSIDER ACTION

3. Receive the report from the Friends of the Moody Museum
4. Discuss and reflect on the Moody Museum participation in the Conservation and Heritage Society's Christmas Tour of Homes
5. Discuss and take possible action on the coordination of the Valentine's Gala to be held on February 12, 2026 from 4 pm - 8 pm.
6. Discuss and take possible action on the establishment of a Taylor Texas History Room
7. Discuss and take possible action on monthly event programming at the Moody Museum for this year.

ADJOURN

Next scheduled meeting date: March 24, 2026

The Board or Commission may vote and/or act upon each of the items listed in this Agenda. The Board or Commission reserves the right to retire into executive session concerning any of the items listed on this Agenda, whenever it is considered necessary and legally justified under the Open Meetings Act. I certify that the notice of meeting was posted in the Taylor City Hall Lobby before 5:30 pm on January 12, 2026.

Posted by: Ruby Fisher Date: January 12, 2026
Special Event Coordinator

The Moody Museum Advisory Board meets on the third Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. in January, March, May, July, September, and November. Special meetings are called as needed.

MINUTES

CITY OF TAYLOR, TEXAS

MOODY MUSEUM ADVISORY BOARD MEETING

Dan Moody Museum, 114 W. 9th Street, Taylor, Texas 76574

November 18, 2026 at 5:30 pm

MEMBERS PRESENT

- Susan Komandosky
- Samye Turner
- Eloise Breckenridge
- Marilyn Flemming
- DeAnn Stuart
- Travis Summerlin
- Cissie Pierce
- Gracie Yanez
- Reverend Terry Pierce

MEMBERS ABSENT

- Leslie Hill

OTHERS PRESENT

Joe Burgess
Ruby Fisher, City Liaison
Marcie Svatek

CONSENT AGENDA

(The Consent Agenda includes non-controversial and routine items that the Commission or Board may act on with one single vote. The Chairman or a Board member may pull any item from the Consent Agenda in order to discuss and act upon it individually as part of the Regular agenda.)

1. Review and Approve the minutes of the September 2025 Meeting
2. Receive the financial reports of the Ned Trust (100-100-108) and the Nancy Moody Fund (100-100-113)

The consent agenda was approved as presented.

REGULAR AGENDA – REVIEW/DISCUSS AND/OR RECOMMEND:

3. Introduce Downtown Director – Niecy Baum.
 - a. The introduction was marked as received.
4. Receive the report from the Friends of the Moody Museum
 - a. Joe Burgess reported that another \$1,000 had been received for the Moody Statue – from the law firm that Dan Moody Jr assisted with funding. Currently \$48,810.52 has been raised. The Livingston Grant is being utilized for the preparation of the Taylor, Texas history room. It was requested that a meeting be scheduled for coordinating the base of the statue and the moving of the office from upstairs. Dan Boss came across a Cotton Bowl program that references a famous Taylor and a signed photograph that has been donated. The photograph is signed by Dickey Moegle, who was from Taylor and playing for Rice University. Tuesday, December 2nd is the Taylor Day of Giving – where everything donated for the Governor Dan Moody Statue will be matched. The Wehby endowment has offered to fill the gap.
5. Discuss and reflect on The Ladies Tea held on September 20, 2025.
 - a. It was reflected that Marilyn Flemming and DeAnn Stuart put together a lovely ladies tea. Susan Komandosky noted that the courses were too much to handle, when served

individually – that tiered services will be used in the future to lower folks step counts. It was noted that the event went well, and they wanted the event to happen again. It was noted that the event should be held on Sunday afternoon so that standard tour hours are not impacted. For the future, it may be impactful to do a less formal style of tea for Mother’s Day.

6. Discuss and take possible action on the Salute to the Troops program.
 - a. Joe Burgess noted that the Veteran’s event went well and was thankful for the weather. The American Legion Comm, reported by Commander Scott Dean, is donating \$10,000 to the Governor Dan Moody Statue. Including the children in the Veteran’s program was one of the strongest parts of the event. Susan Komandosky has already invited the MSI choir to come back for next year. It was noted that the board is thankful for Marcie – who coordinated the performance. Susan Komandosky said that the program went really well.
7. Discuss and take possible action on the Moody Museum participating in the Conservation and Heritage Society's Christmas Tour of Homes
 - a. Susan Komandosky brought a copy of the First Flour tour for the Museum, for folks who are assisting host during the event. Susan Komandosky requested that members of the board come and be present. It was noted that Krystal Young, of the Friends of the Moody, would be present at the Museum greeting folks in Victorian Christmas Garb.
8. Discuss and take possible action on the coordination of the Valentine's Gala to be held on February 12, 2026 from 4 pm - 8 pm.
 - a. The event is occurring on the same day as Gracie Yanez’s birthday. Tickets will be sold, for \$25.00/person. Pat Felfy will be serving food as is traditional. The Museum provides the wine and finger foods. It is asked the board bring desserts for the event. The Museum will need to be decorated for the event. “A Victorian Valentine Gala” – the tickets should include a historic Valentine and the cost of \$25.00. Susan Komandosky will call Chuck Rich out of Granger to tune the piano. Ruby Fisher will design the event poster and the tickets. A pianist needs to be hired for the evening.
9. Discuss and take possible action on rental guidelines and application for the Moody Museum Grounds.
 - a. A motion was made to generate an event and use exclusionary policy, defining that events hosted at the Museum must be in partnership with the Moody Museum Advisory Board, Friends of the Moody Museum, and/or the City of Taylor by Terry Pierce, seconded by Eloise Breckenridge. Passed unanimously.
10. Discuss and take possible action on the establishment of a Taylor Texas History Room.
 - a. It was noted that it is time to move the office facilities downstairs along with the internet and the computers and scanners. It was noted that Ruby Fisher will have a carpenter come and give a quote to create a built in at the Museum, Cicada Builders.

Disbanded at **6:56 pm** – Moved by Cissie Pierce, seconded by Marilyn Flemming, and supported unanimously.

Ruby Fisher
Main Street, Special Events Coordinator

Susan Komandosky
Chair, Moody Museum

FUND : 100-GENERAL FUND

PERIOD TO USE: Oct-2025 THRU Sep-2026

DEPT : N/A

ACCOUNTS: 100-108 THRU 100-108

POST DATE TRAN # REFERENCE PACKET=====DESCRIPTION===== VEND INV/JE # NOTE =====AMOUNT===== BALANCE=====

100-108 NED TRUST(MOODY)TEXSTAR
B E G I N N I N G B A L A N C E 232,949.49

10/31/25 11/05 B88847 Interest000000 08667 OCT 2025 TEXSTAR INTEREST JE# 032662 814.46 233,763.95
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11/30/25 12/09 B89298 Interest000000 08747 NOV 2025 TEXSTAR INTEREST JE# 032802 764.74 234,528.69
===== NOVEMBER ACTIVITY DB: 764.74 CR: 0.00 764.74

12/31/25 1/09 B89755 Interest000000 08834 DEC 2025 TEXSTAR INTEREST JE# 033026 761.82 235,290.51
===== DECEMBER ACTIVITY DB: 761.82 CR: 0.00 761.82

===== ACCOUNT TOTAL DB: 2,341.02 CR: 0.00

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** REPORT TOTALS ** --- DEBITS --- --- CREDITS ---
BEGINNING BALANCES: 232,949.49 0.00
REPORTED ACTIVITY: 2,341.02 0.00
ENDING BALANCES: 235,290.51 0.00
TOTAL FUND ENDING BALANCE: 235,290.51

FUND: 129-LIBRARY GRANTS/DONATIONS

100-108 NED TRUST (LIBRARY) TEXSTAR
B E G I N N I N G B A L A N C E 327,253.68

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===== DECEMBER ACTIVITY DB: 1,070.24 CR: 0.00 1,070.24

===== ACCOUNT TOTAL DB: 3,288.73 CR: 0.00

FUND : 129-LIBRARY GRANTS/DONATIONS

PERIOD TO USE: Oct-2025 THRU Sep-2026

DEPT : N/A

ACCOUNTS: 100-108 THRU 100-108

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** REPORT TOTALS **

--- DEBITS ---

--- CREDITS ---

BEGINNING BALANCES: 327,253.68 0.00

REPORTED ACTIVITY: 3,288.73 0.00

ENDING BALANCES: 330,542.41 0.00

TOTAL FUND ENDING BALANCE: 330,542.41

FUND: 162-GRANT CAPITAL PROJECTS

100-108 TEXPOOL 2465300013 GEN CNST 12
B E G I N N I N G B A L A N C E 0.00

FUND: 164-MDUS IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

100-108 TEXPOOL 2465300014 MDUS 2012
B E G I N N I N G B A L A N C E 0.00

FUND: 340-PUBLIC UTILITIES FUND

100-108 CHASE GLOBAL #10203188.1
B E G I N N I N G B A L A N C E 0.00

FUND: 384-FLEET REPLACEMENT FUND

100-108 2018 FLEET/EQUIP TEXSTAR 20180
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10/31/25 11/05 B88847 Interest000000 08667 OCT 2025 TEXSTAR INTEREST JE# 032662 884.64 253,901.06

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===== DECEMBER ACTIVITY DB: 827.46 CR: 0.00 827.46

===== ACCOUNT TOTAL DB: 2,542.67 CR: 0.00

FUND : 384-FLEET REPLACEMENT FUND

PERIOD TO USE: Oct-2025 THRU Sep-2026

DEPT : N/A

ACCOUNTS: 100-108 THRU 100-108

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REPORTED ACTIVITY:		2,542.67			0.00	
ENDING BALANCES:		255,559.09			0.00	
TOTAL FUND ENDING BALANCE:		255,559.09				

SELECTION CRITERIA

FISCAL YEAR: Oct-2025 / Sep-2026
 FUND: All
 PERIOD TO USE: Oct-2025 THRU Sep-2026
 TRANSACTIONS: BOTH

ACCOUNT SELECTION

ACCOUNT RANGE: 100-108 THRU 100-108
 DEPARTMENT RANGE: - THRU -
 ACTIVE FUNDS ONLY: NO
 ACTIVE ACCOUNT ONLY: NO
 INCLUDE RESTRICTED ACCOUNTS: NO
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PRINT ENCUMBRANCES:	NO
PRINT VENDOR NAME:	NO
PRINT PROJECTS:	NO
PRINT JOURNAL ENTRY NOTES:	NO
PRINT MONTHLY TOTALS:	YES
PRINT GRAND TOTALS:	NO
PRINT: INVOICE #	
PAGE BREAK BY:	NONE

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FUND : 100-GENERAL FUND

PERIOD TO USE: Oct-2025 THRU Sep-2026

DEPT : N/A

ACCOUNTS: 100-113 THRU 100-113

POST DATE TRAN # REFERENCE PACKET=====DESCRIPTION===== VEND INV/JE # NOTE =====AMOUNT===== BALANCE=====

100-113 TEXPOOL 2465300015 N MOODY
B E G I N N I N G B A L A N C E 24,786.39

10/31/25 11/05 B88848 Interest000000 08667 OCT 2025 TEXPOOL INTEREST JE# 032663 87.18 24,873.57
===== OCTOBER ACTIVITY DB: 87.18 CR: 0.00 87.18

11/30/25 12/09 B89300 Interest000000 08747 NOV 2025 TEXPOOL INTEREST JE# 032804 81.54 24,955.11
===== NOVEMBER ACTIVITY DB: 81.54 CR: 0.00 81.54

12/31/25 1/09 B89757 Interest000000 08834 DEC 2025 TEXPOOL INTEREST JE# 033028 81.09 25,036.20
===== DECEMBER ACTIVITY DB: 81.09 CR: 0.00 81.09

===== ACCOUNT TOTAL DB: 249.81 CR: 0.00

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** REPORT TOTALS ** --- DEBITS --- --- CREDITS ---
BEGINNING BALANCES: 24,786.39 0.00
REPORTED ACTIVITY: 249.81 0.00
ENDING BALANCES: 25,036.20 0.00
TOTAL FUND ENDING BALANCE: 25,036.20

FUND: 161-2005 GO ISSUE

100-113 TEXSTAR 2006-000
B E G I N N I N G B A L A N C E 0.00

FUND: 162-GRANT CAPITAL PROJECTS

100-113 TEXSTAR 2010-162 (GEN CONST)
B E G I N N I N G B A L A N C E 0.00

FUND: 340-PUBLIC UTILITIES FUND

100-113 TEXSTAR 2006-000
B E G I N N I N G B A L A N C E 0.00

SELECTION CRITERIA

FISCAL YEAR: Oct-2025 / Sep-2026
 FUND: All
 PERIOD TO USE: Oct-2025 THRU Sep-2026
 TRANSACTIONS: BOTH

ACCOUNT SELECTION

ACCOUNT RANGE: 100-113 THRU 100-113
 DEPARTMENT RANGE: - THRU -
 ACTIVE FUNDS ONLY: NO
 ACTIVE ACCOUNT ONLY: NO
 INCLUDE RESTRICTED ACCOUNTS: NO
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OMIT ACCOUNTS WITH NO ACTIVITY:	NO
PRINT ENCUMBRANCES:	NO
PRINT VENDOR NAME:	NO
PRINT PROJECTS:	NO
PRINT JOURNAL ENTRY NOTES:	NO
PRINT MONTHLY TOTALS:	YES
PRINT GRAND TOTALS:	NO
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**City Council Meeting
January 20, 2026
Transmittal Letter**

STRATEGIC PILLAR

Agenda Item Number: 3.
Agenda Title: Receive the report from the Friends of the Moody Museum
Council Action to be Taken:
Department Submitted:
Staff Contact:

1. PURPOSE / DESCRIPTION

2. STAFF ANALYSIS / BACKGROUND / PRIOR COUNCIL ACTIONS

3. PROS and CONS	
<u>PROS</u>	<u>CONS</u>
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4. RECOMMENDATION

5. FUNDING SOURCE

6. TIMELINE

7. OTHER OPTIONS

8. ATTACHMENTS

None



**City Council Meeting
January 20, 2026
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STRATEGIC PILLAR

Agenda Item Number: 4.

Agenda Title: Discuss and reflect on the Moody Museum participation in the Conservation and Heritage Society's Christmas Tour of Homes

Council Action to be Taken:

Department Submitted:

Staff Contact:

1. PURPOSE / DESCRIPTION

2. STAFF ANALYSIS / BACKGROUND / PRIOR COUNCIL ACTIONS

3. PROS and CONS	
<u>PROS</u>	<u>CONS</u>
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4. RECOMMENDATION

5. FUNDING SOURCE

6. TIMELINE

7. OTHER OPTIONS

8. ATTACHMENTS

None



**City Council Meeting
January 20, 2026
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STRATEGIC PILLAR

Agenda Item Number: 5.

Agenda Title: Discuss and take possible action on the coordination of the Valentine's Gala to be held on February 12, 2026 from 4 pm - 8 pm.

Council Action to be Taken:

Department Submitted:

Staff Contact:

1. PURPOSE / DESCRIPTION

2. STAFF ANALYSIS / BACKGROUND / PRIOR COUNCIL ACTIONS

3. PROS and CONS

<u>PROS</u>	<u>CONS</u>
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4. RECOMMENDATION

5. FUNDING SOURCE

6. TIMELINE

7. OTHER OPTIONS

8. ATTACHMENTS

None



**City Council Meeting
January 20, 2026
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STRATEGIC PILLAR

Agenda Item Number: 6.

Agenda Title: Discuss and take possible action on the establishment of a Taylor Texas History Room

Council Action to be Taken:

Department Submitted:

Staff Contact:

1. PURPOSE / DESCRIPTION

2. STAFF ANALYSIS / BACKGROUND / PRIOR COUNCIL ACTIONS

3. PROS and CONS	
<u>PROS</u>	<u>CONS</u>
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4. RECOMMENDATION

5. FUNDING SOURCE

6. TIMELINE

7. OTHER OPTIONS

8. ATTACHMENTS

None



**City Council Meeting
January 20, 2026
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STRATEGIC PILLAR

Agenda Item Number: 7.

Agenda Title: Discuss and take possible action on monthly event programming at the Moody Museum for this year.

Council Action to be Taken:

Department Submitted:

Staff Contact:

1. PURPOSE / DESCRIPTION

2. STAFF ANALYSIS / BACKGROUND / PRIOR COUNCIL ACTIONS

3. PROS and CONS	
<u>PROS</u>	<u>CONS</u>
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4. RECOMMENDATION

5. FUNDING SOURCE

6. TIMELINE

7. OTHER OPTIONS

8. ATTACHMENTS

None