



Cleveland City Council's new public comment period allows for 10 pre-registered people to speak at council's regular meetings at 7 p.m. on Mondays. Public commenters get up to three minutes to speak. Want to participate? Here's what you need to know. You can find Cleveland Documenters full guide to public comment here: <https://bit.ly/3D06hTd>

HOW TO SIGN UP

Public commenters can register **online**, by **email** or by using a **paper form** starting on Wednesday at noon and ending on Monday at 2 p.m.

The first 10 people properly registered will get a 3-minute slot to speak. Public commenters who need special physical or language accommodations should request assistance three business days before the meeting.

Find the online form at: <https://clevelandcitycouncil.org/news-resources/public-comment>.

Download a printable version of the form at <https://bit.ly/3B2afu7>. The form can be emailed to publiccomment@clevelandcitycouncil.org or mailed or hand delivered to Cleveland City Hall, Room 220, 601 Lakeside Ave. Copies of the form are also available in Room 220.



Request accommodations here:

<https://clevelandcitycouncil.org/accessibility/request-for-reasonable-accommodation> or contact council staff member Anne Tillie at 216-664-4539 or at atillie@clevelandcitycouncil.org.

WHAT TO KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

Parking is now free on Monday evenings for public commenters on the top level of the Willard Parking Garage connected to City Hall on Lakeside Ave.



To find a **Greater Cleveland RTA Bus Route**, use GCRTA's "Plan a Trip" feature found at <http://www.riderta.com/routes>. There are also two bike racks located in front of City Hall.

To get into City Hall, you will need a **driver's license or other current identification card**.

At the security desk, tell the officer you are going to City Council chambers, which are located on the second floor.

COUNCIL'S RULES FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

Council's new procedures for public comment place limitations on speakers.

- Three minutes for each comment.
- Speakers can only address the topic they included on the registration form.
- Speakers can't address individual council members, only the council as a whole.
- Promoting products, services, or political campaigns is not allowed.
- Signs and banners are not permitted in council chambers.

