



**REGULAR MEETING OF THE TECHNOLOGY COMMISSION
WEDNESDAY, MAY 13TH, 2026 AT 6:30PM
AUSTIN CITY HALL, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS ROOM 1101
301 W 2ND ST
AUSTIN, TEXAS**

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Public comment will be allowed in-person or remotely via telephone. Speakers may only register to speak on an item once either in-person or remotely and will be allowed up to three minutes to provide their comments. Registration no later than noon the day before the meeting is required for remote participation by telephone. To register to speak remotely, contact Dan Martinez at (512)974-3510 or dan.martinez@austintexas.gov.

CURRENT COMMISSIONERS:

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AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

PUBLIC COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

The first ten speakers signed up to speak no later than noon the day before the meeting will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Approve the minutes of the Technology Commission regular meeting on April 8th, 2026.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

2. Presentation from Google Fiber on their affordable internet options for the city of Austin and surrounding area (John Michael Cortez, Governmental Relations, Google Fiber)

3. Presentation by the University of Texas' Bureau of Compass (Collaborative Optimization & Management of Power Allocation) coalition on environmental impact of data centers (Dr. Ning Lin and Shirpa Mishra, The University of Texas)
4. Presentation on an existing City developed artificial intelligence capability and Austin Public Health's internally developed artificial intelligence innovation platform (Phillip Bays, Senior IT Manager, Christopher Collins, IT Scrum Master Senior, and Brian Morris, IT Service Owner at Austin Public Health, Health IT Unit)
5. Technology Commission 2027 Annual Work Plan initial planning discussion

DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS

6. Report out and Approval of Grant for Technology Opportunities Program (GTOPs) Mini and Capacity 2026 selected recipients
7. Presentation and Approval of the Artificial Intelligence and Public Surveillance working groups recommendation on data centers

WORKING GROUP UPDATE

8. Group updates from the Artificial Intelligence and Public Surveillance working group on information gathered and learned regarding data centers after touring a center and meeting with other commissions and stakeholders

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

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