

A Missouri-Made Landmark Capital City Conference Center



City Council Work Session

July 6, 2026

Program

Hotel & Amenities

Hotel

- Guestrooms: 215
- Annual available rooms: 78,475
- Occupancy rate: 64% - 70%
- Average daily rate: \$177 - ↑

Amenities

- Ground-level market, lounge, bar, restaurant
- Terrace-level lounge, outdoor patio, fitness center

Parking & Meeting Space

Parking

- Garage: 567
- Surface stalls: 52

Meeting | Event Space

- Grand ballroom: 14,250 sqft
- Junior ballroom: 4,500 sqft
- Boardroom: 550 sqft
- Meeting room: 550 sqft
- Pre-function levels 1 & 2: 7,800 sqft
- Flexible event space: 3,000 sqft

Cost Estimate

Cost Category	Amount
McCownGordon (pre-construction, design consultants, construction)	\$ 119,770,000
Owner Furniture Fixtures Supplies Equipment	\$ 13,224,000
Garfield Public/Private Developer Fee Total	\$ 8,359,000
Brand Costs	\$ 2,359,000
Third Party Consultants	\$ 633,000
Due Diligence	\$ 115,000
Owner Project Contingency Total	\$ 1,461,000
Total Project Cost	\$ 145,921,000

Capital Stack

Fund Sources	Amount	Total
Project Revenue Bonds		
Hotel & Incentive Bonds	\$ 47,100,443	
Lodging Tax Bonds	\$ 25,977,069	
Parking System Bonds	\$ 29,118,376	
Project Fund Interest Earnings	\$ 4,026,619	
		\$ 106,222,507
City Funds		
Lodging Tax Contribution	\$ 11,200,000	
Parking Fund Contribution	\$ 3,000,000	
City Non-ARPA Contribution	\$ 500,000	
		\$ 14,700,000
State Funds		
FY 2025 State Appropriation	\$ 2,000,000	
FY 2027 State Appropriation	\$ 15,000,000	
		\$ 17,000,000
Contribution Proceeds		
"Missouri Made" Contributions	\$ 8,000,000	
		\$ 8,000,000
Total Sources of Funds		\$ 145,922,507

Bond Summary

	Hotel-Incentive	Lodging Tax	Parking	Total
Sources				
Par Amount of Bonds	\$ 58,600,000	\$ 27,215,000	\$ 31,720,000	\$ 117,535,000
Original Issue Premium/(Discount)	\$ -	\$ 242,154	\$ 292,343	\$ 534,497
DSRF Contribution	\$ 5,860,000			
Total Sources of Funds	\$ 64,460,000	\$ 27,457,154	\$ 32,012,343	\$ 118,069,497
Uses				
Net Proceeds/Deposit to Project Fund	\$ 47,100,443	\$ 25,977,069	\$ 29,118,376	\$ 102,195,888
Deposit to Operating Account/Working Capital Reserve	\$ 1,000,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,000,000
Deposit to Capitalized Interest Fund	\$ 8,741,557	\$ 663,635	\$ 1,942,368	\$ 11,347,560
Deposit to Debt Service Reserve Fund	\$ 5,860,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,860,000
Estimated Cost of Issuance	\$ 1,758,000	\$ 816,450	\$ 951,600	\$ 3,526,050
Total Uses of Funds	\$ 64,460,000	\$ 27,457,154	\$ 32,012,344	\$ 123,929,498
Coverage Ratios	1.75x	1.00x	1.00x	
Yield	7.00%	4.86%	4.86%	

Schedule of Events

Date	Activity / Event	Responsibility
7/6/2026	Special City Council Meeting: Council Update, Resolution for DBA Amendments #2 & #3	JCREP, GPP
7/10/2026	Due Diligence Questionnaire Circulated - Developer & City	Q&B, G&B
Early July	County Clerk mails PID ballot to City	County Clerk
7/15/2026	Revenue Study, Hotel Documents, etc. to Quarles & Brady	GPP, PGAV, G&B
7/20/2026	City Council Meeting: Resolution for DBA Amendment #4 (GMP Contract)	JCREP, GPP
7/21/2026	MDFB Inducement Resolution	MDFB
7/28/2026	County Clerk counts PID ballot & certifies election results (PID Complete)	G&B
7/29/2026	Final Copies of all Project Documents sent to City for Inclusion in Council Packets	Q&B, G&B
8/3/2026	City Council Meeting: First Reading of Ordinance Approving project documents	City
8/11/2026	MDFB Adoption of Parameters Resolution	MDFB
8/14/2026	Due Diligence Call - Developer & City	All
8/18/2026	Receive Approvals/Consent and Final Documents from CBRE Market Study, PGAV Revenue Study	All
8/19/2026	Finalized Due Diligence Responses Received from City & Developer	City, Dev
8/26/2026	Distribute Near Final Draft POS / PLOM and Bond Documents	Q&B, G&B
8/31/2026	City Council Meeting: Final Approval of Ordinance Approving Project Documents	City, G&B, Stifel
9/1/2026	Stifel Commitment Committee (Final Review)	Stifel
9/1/2026	Early work design package submitted for permit	MCG
9/15/2026	Bond Sale / Pricing / Approval of Documents by City	City, Stifel
9/15/2026	Draft Closing Memo Circulated	Stifel
9/16/2026	Official Statement / LOM & Bond Documents Circulated for Comments	Q&B, G&B
9/18/2026	Comments due on Official Statement / LOM & Bond Documents	All
9/22/2026	Print and Distribute Official Statement / LOM	All
9/29/2026	Comments due on Closing Memo; Circulate Final Closing Memo	All; Stifel
10/1/2026	Bond Closing Date / Notice to Proceed	All

Resolution 2026-10

Approving Amendments to the Design Build Agreement with McCownGordon Construction for construction of a Hotel Model Room and Hotel & Conference Center Brand Development Document.

DBA Amendment #2 - Construction of Hotel Model Room

- Finished king room, unfinished double queen room, finished partial corridor; including all furniture, fixtures & equipment.
- Required for brand approval. Used by trades & early sales marketing.
- Construction Cost - \$385,458

DBA Amendment #3 – Hotel Branding Study, RSM Design

- Development of unique brand identities for the hotel, conference center, restaurant, lobby bar, café, & terrace lounge.
- Brand Discovery – market research; people, places, history, culture
- Platform & Naming – themes & naming strategy
- Brand Story & Identity – logos, fonts, graphic styling – Brand Standards Manual
- Fee for Service - \$185,845

Resolution 2026-11

Approving an Amendment to the Master Development Agreement with Garfield Public/Private to Modify Project Development Phase Deadlines.

“Project Agreements Deadline”

- ~~June 15, 2026~~
- September 30, 2026

“Project Funding Deadline”

- ~~June 30, 2026~~
- October 15, 2026

Resolution 2026-12

Authorizing Execution of Legal Engagement Letters with Gilmore & Bell, P.C. and Quarles & Brady, LLP Outlining Services for Bond Counsel and Underwriters Counsel.

Gilmore & Bell – Bond Counsel to the City

- Prepare or review all legal documents
- Provide “Bond Opinion” for each bond series
- Coordinate closing of the transaction
- Fee for Service - \$500,000 payable from bond proceeds (\$150,000 payable by City if transaction does not close)

Quarles & Brady – Underwriter’s Counsel to Stifel, Nicolaus & Company

- Preparation of Preliminary & Final Official Statements
- Assist Stifel in performance of due diligence with respect to information contained in Official Statements
- Fee for Service - \$500,000 payable from bond proceeds (\$150,000 payable by City if transaction does not close)

Resolution 2026-13

Authorizing Execution of an Engagement Letter with PGAV Planners, LLC for Market and Revenue Analysis Services.

Bond Revenue Study

- Review Project Data
 - Project Program & Plans
 - CBRE Market Study
 - Construction Cost Estimate & Schedule
- Independent 3rd Party Revenue Analysis
 - Operational Revenues
 - Lodging Tax Revenues
 - Incentive Revenues (TDD, CID, PID)
 - Parking Revenues
- Fee for Service - \$35,000

Thank You!!

