



AGENDA
ATHENS CITY COUNCIL
MONDAY, JUNE 17, 2024 AT 7:00 PM

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- 1. Establish Quorum**
- 2. Disposition of Minutes:**
 - Regular Sessions held May 20 and June 3, 2024
- 3. Communications**
- 4. Reports and Communications from Other Elected Officials**
- 5. Ordinances for Third Reading:**

0-45-24

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO PAY THE 2024 MEMBERSHIP FEE FOR THE OUTDOOR RECREATION COUNCIL OF APPALACHIA (ORCA), TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM THE CITY'S TRANSIENT GUEST TAX FOR THE BAILEYS TRAIL SYSTEM ALONG WITH OTHER RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES.

Introduced by Council Member Wood

0-53-24

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO TAKE ALL STEPS NECESSARY TO JOIN THE SOUTHEAST OHIO RECYCLING TERMINAL (SORT) COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS (COG); AND TO PROVIDE THE ANNUAL DUES PAYMENT.

Introduced by All Council Members

0-54-24

AN ORDINANCE REZONING PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 14, 20, 24, 30, 32, 34 and 36 ELLIOTT STREET, FROM R-3 RESIDENTIAL, MULTI-FAMILY ZONE TO B-1 NEIGHBORHOOD BUSINESS ZONE.

Introduced by Council Member Swank

0-55-24

AN ORDINANCE REZONING UNDEVELOPED LOTS ON GRAND PARK BOULEVARD AND

EDEN PLACE FROM R-2 RESIDENTIAL, ONE FAMILY/TWO FAMILY ZONE TO R-3 RESIDENTIAL, MULTI-FAMILY ZONE.
Introduced by Council Member Swank

0-56-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 15-24; AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR TO CLOSE STREETS IN THE UPTOWN AREA FOR SPECIAL EVENTS DURING THE 2024 CALENDAR YEAR.
Introduced by Council Member Spjeldnes

0-57-24

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR TO ENTER INTO A 20-YEAR LEASE AGREEMENT WITH STATE OF OHIO, DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, TO LEASE 8.334 ACRES LOCATED NORTH OF WEST STATE STREET FOR PROPOSED SOCCER FIELDS.
Introduced by Council Member McCarey

0-58-24

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF SOCCER NETTING AS PART OF THE WEST STATE PARK SOCCER FIELDS, PROJECT #355.
Introduced by Council Member McCarey

0-59-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 22(A1) OF ORDINANCE 132-23, THE 2024 FRINGE BENEFITS PACKAGE FOR NON-UNION PERSONNEL WITHIN THE CITY OF ATHENS.
Introduced by the Finance & Personnel Committee

0-60-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 28-24; CORRECTING THE TRANSFER AMOUNT NEEDED TO MAKE AN INTERFUND TRANSFER.
Introduced by Council Member Risner

0-62-24

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR TO ADVERTISE AND ACCEPT BIDS, WHERE NECESSARY, AND ENTER INTO CONTRACTS FOR THE WOODSEGE INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT #370 AT UNIVERSITY ESTATES.
Introduced by Council Member Swank

6. Ordinance for Second Reading:

0-61-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2024 APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE 130-23.
Introduced by Council Member Risner

7. Ordinances for First Reading:

0-63-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2024 APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE 130-23.

Introduced by Council Member Risner

0-64-24

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING A SPECIAL RIGHT-OF-WAY USE PERMIT AT 810 EAST STATE STREET FOR OFF-STREET VEHICLE PARKING AND LIGHT POLES LOCATED IN THE CITY RIGHT-OF-WAY.

Introduced by Council Member Swank

0-65-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ATHENS CITY CODE TITLE 23, ZONING, CHAPTER 23.04, PERMITTED USES, FOR TOBACCO AND CANNABIS ESTABLISHMENTS.

Introduced by Council Member Swank

8. One-Reading Resolution:

- **R-04-24**

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING A NEW MEMBER TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE RIDGES NEW COMMUNITY AUTHORITY TO REPLACE A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITIZEN MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES; RE-APPOINTING A MEMBER TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE RIDGES NEW COMMUNITY AUTHORITY; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Introduced by All Members of Council

9. Announcements & Other Business:

- Appointment to the Community Relations Commission
- Motion to Accept the May 2024 Financial Reports
- Motion to Accept the April 2024 Credit Card Transactions

10. Opportunity for Citizens to Speak on Legislative Items and City Services Not Covered on the Agenda

11. Adjournment

Sam Crowl
President of Council

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