



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

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1. Public Hearing:

- Recommendation from the Athens City Planning Commission to Amend the City's Zoning Code Schedule of Bulk Controls, Front Yard Setback, and to Remove the Ground Story Height of Terraces, Steps, or Stoops (0-88-24).

2. Committee of the Whole

- Street Closure (Cool Digs, Union Street)

3. Establish Quorum

4. Disposition of Minutes:

- Regular Session of City Council held: September 16, 2024

5. Communications

6. Reports and Communications from Other Elected Officials

7. Ordinances for Third Reading:

- **0-84-24**
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2024 APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE 130-23;
AND AUTHORIZING AN INTERFUND TRANSFER.
Introduced by Council Member Risner
- **0-86-24**
AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE AN EMPLOYMENT
AGREEMENT WITH THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF STATE, COUNTY, AND
MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES (AFSCME) LOCAL 2403(1) CONCERNING WAGES
AND WORKING CONDITIONS.
Introduced by the Finance & Personnel Committee

- **0-87-24**
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ATHENS CITY CODE TITLE 21, SUBDIVISION REGULATIONS, CHAPTERS 21.03, APPLICATION, PROCEDURE FOR SUBDIVISION APPROVAL, 21.04, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS, AND 21.10, HILLSIDE REGULATIONS.
Introduced by Council Member Swank
- **0-88-24**
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ATHENS CITY CODE TITLE 23, ZONING, CHAPTER 23.03, GENERAL REGULATIONS AND PERMITTED MODIFICATIONS, SECTIONS 23.03.08(C), YARD REGULATIONS, AND 23.03.14, FENCES, WALLS, TERRACES, AND STOOPS; AND TABLE A, SCHEDULE OF BULK CONTROLS.
Introduced by Council Member Swank
- **0-89-24**
AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN ANNEXATION AGREEMENT WITH THE ATHENS TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES FOR PROPERTY LOCATED EAST OF CABLE LANE.
Introduced by Council Member Swank
- **0-90-24**
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 7, TRAFFIC CODE, SECTIONS 7.02.11, 7.02.17, 7.02.23, 7.03.07, 7.03.07.1, 7.03.25, 7.04.58, AND 7.05.31; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES INCONSISTENT THEREWITH.
Introduced by All Members of Council
- **0-91-24**
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 13, GENERAL OFFENSES, SECTIONS 13.02.04, 13.03.01, 13.05.01, 13.05.08, AND 13.05.13; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES INCONSISTENT THEREWITH.
Introduced by All Members of Council
- **0-92-24**
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2024 APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE 130-23.
Introduced by Council Member Risner
- **0-93-24**
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCES 74-21, 116-22, and 36-24; AUTHORIZING ATHENS UPTOWN DESIGNATED OUTDOOR REFRESHMENT AREA (DORA) HOURS OF OPERATION.
Introduced by Council Member Thomas

8. Ordinance for Second Reading:

0-94-24

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

9. Ordinances for First Reading:

0-95-24

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING DISPOSAL OF EQUIPMENT AND VEHICLES NO LONGER NEEDED FOR A MUNICIPAL PURPOSE.

Introduced by Council Member Spjeldnes

0-96-24

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR TO ENTER INTO A BUYOUT AGREEMENT FOR THE CARPORT-MOUNTED SOLAR ARRAY AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER.

Introduced by Council Member McCarey

0-97-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ATHENS CITY CODE TITLE 5, PUBLIC UTILITIES, CHAPTER 5.07, STORM WATER REGULATIONS, SECTIONS 5.07.14, APPEAL OF NOTICE OF VIOLATION, AND 5.07.15, ENFORCEMENT MEASURES AFTER APPEAL.

Introduced by Council Member McCarey

0-98-24

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE ATHENS-HOCKING SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN.

Introduced by All Members of Council

0-99-24

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, AND TO CHANGE REQUESTED DATES OR CANCEL EVENTS AS NECESSARY.

Introduced by Council Member Swank

0-100-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 16-24, SUSPENDING THE ENFORCEMENT OF ATHENS CITY CODE CHAPTER 11.04, VENDING, PEDDLING AND SOLICITING, TO ALLOW VENDING IN DESIGNATED EVENT AREAS.

Introduced by Council Member Swank

10. Resolution for Third Reading

- **R-06-24**

A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE AMOUNTS AND RATES AS DETERMINED BY THE BUDGET COMMISSION AND AUTHORIZING THE NECESSARY TAX LEVIES AND CERTIFYING THEM TO THE COUNTY AUDITOR.

Introduced by Council Member Risner

11. Announcements & Other Business:

- Remove From the Table: Reappointments to the Board of Zoning Appeals

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

13. Executive Session:

- Two Items of Pending Litigation

14. Adjournment

Sam Crawl
President of Council

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