



AGENDA
ATHENS CITY COUNCIL
MONDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2024 AT 7:00 PM

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1. Establish Quorum

2. Disposition of Minutes:

- Regular Session of City Council held on October 7, 2024

3. Communications

4. Reports and Communications from Other Elected Officials

5. Ordinance for Third Reading:

0-94-24

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

6. Ordinances for Second 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

7. Ordinances for First Reading:

0-101-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ATHENS CITY CODE TITLE 1, GENERAL PROVISIONS, CHAPTER 1.03, CODE FEES ESTABLISHED, SECTION 5.04.08, SEWER RATES.

Introduced by All Council Members

0-102-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 131-23 TO INCREASE NON-UNION COMPENSATION FOR CURRENT WATER, SEWER, STREET, AND RECREATION SUPERVISORS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Introduced by the Finance & Personnel Committee

0-103-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2024 APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE 130-23.

Introduced by Council Member Risner

0-104-24

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT(S) FOR THE NEXT PHASE OF CONSTRUCTION AND CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING OF THE CITY SEWER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS, PROJECT #330; AMENDING ORDINANCE 10-24; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Introduced by Council Member Risner

0-105-24

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION IN FEDERAL GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION (GSA), A COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM.

Introduced by Council Member Risner

0-106-24

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF A SALT TRUCK FOR THE STREET DEPARTMENT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Introduced by Council Member Spjeldnes

0-107-24

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR TO ACCEPT BIDS AND ENTER INTO CONTRACT FOR CONSTRUCTION AND CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING FOR CITYWIDE CURB RAMPS, PROJECT #366.

Introduced by Council Member Spjeldnes

0-108-24

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A PUBLIC SAFETY TRAINING FACILITY, PROJECT #373.

Introduced by Council Member McCarey

0-109-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 77-24 APPROVING THE PETITION, PLAN, AND ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE ATHENS REGIONAL ENERGY SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT, INC. AND DECLARING THE NECESSITY OF ACQUIRING, CONSTRUCTING, AND IMPROVING CERTAIN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF ATHENS, OHIO IN COOPERATION WITH THE ATHENS REGIONAL ENERGY SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT, INC; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Introduced by Council Member Swank

0-110-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 78-24, DETERMINING TO PROCEED WITH THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, AND IMPROVEMENT OF CERTAIN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF ATHENS, OHIO IN COOPERATION WITH THE ATHENS REGIONAL ENERGY SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Introduced by Council Member Swank

0-111-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 79-24, LEVYING SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS FOR THE PURPOSE OF ACQUIRING, CONSTRUCTING, AND IMPROVING CERTAIN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF ATHENS, OHIO IN COOPERATION WITH THE ATHENS ENERGY SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT, APPROVING AN ENERGY PROJECT COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT AND A SPECIAL ASSESSMENT AGREEMENT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Introduced by Council Member Swank

8. One-Reading Resolution:

- **R-08-24**

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE PROPOSED CITIZENS NOT POLITICIANS (ISSUE I) AMENDMENT TO THE OHIO CONSTITUTION CREATING A CITIZEN-LED, TRANSPARENT COMMISSION TO DRAW LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS.

Introduced by All Council Members

9. Announcements & Other Business:

- Confirm Mayor's Reappointment(s) to the Board of Zoning Appeals

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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