CITY OF WARD



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Council Meeting Agenda August 16, 2021 at 6:30 PM

I. <u>Call to Order:</u>

- Prayer
- Pledge of Allegiance

II. Roll Call (COVID-19 Protocols):

- In Person
- On Line/Call In

III. <u>Review/approval of July 19, 2021 Council Minutes:</u>

IV. <u>Department Reports and Financials:</u>

- Fire
- Parks & Rec
- Police
- Street
- Water/Wastewater
- Financials

V. <u>Planning Commission Report</u>:

VI. <u>Unfinished Business:</u>

- a. **ORDINANCE 2021-07:** AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING REPEALING AND REPLACING ORDINANCE 2014-01, AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING INDEPENDENT CANDIDATES FOR MUNICIPAL OFFICE IN THE CITY OF WARD, ARKANSAS; REQUIRING CANDIDATES TO FILE FOR OFFICE ON DATES/TIMES PRESCRIBED BY THE ARKANSAS SECRETARY OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. (Third Reading)
 - Discussion
 - Public Comment
 - Vote

- b. **ORDINANCE 2021-08**: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A CHANGE TO THE CITY OF WARD PERSONNEL HANDBOOK (First Reading)
 - Discussion
 - Public Comment
 - Vote

VI <u>New Business:</u>

- a. ORDINANCE 2021-09: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF WATER AND SEWER REVENUE REFUNDING BONDS TO REFUND CERTAIN OUTSTANDING BONDS; PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS; CONFIRMING WATER AND SEWER RATES; PRESCRIBING OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.
 - Discussion
 - Public Comment
 - Vote
- b. **ORDINANCE 2021-10**: AN ORDINANCE REPEALING AND REPLACING ORDINANCE O-CF-F-89, AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A MUNICIPAL VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
 - Discussion
 - Public Comment
 - Vote
- c. **ORDINANCE 2021-11:** AN ORDINANCE REPEALING AND REPLACING ORDINANCE O-2012-05; ADOPTING AND PROMULGATING ANEW POLICE DEPARTMENT "POLICIES AND PROCEDURES MANUAL", MARKED AND "EXHIBIT A"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
 - Discussion
 - Public Comment
 - Vote
- d. **RESOLUTION 2021-19**: A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING MINIMUM HOURLY RATES AND SALARY FOR MEMBERS OF THE WARD WATER WASTEWATER DEPARTMENT; AND TO APPROPRIATE ADDITIONAL FUNDS
 - Discussion
 - Public Comment
 - Vote
- IX. <u>Mayor's Report:</u>
- X. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items:
- XI. <u>Announcements (COVID-19 Protocols Apply, as needed)</u>

- Planning Commission: August 23, 2021 7:00pm
- City Council: September 20, 6:30 pm

XII. <u>Adjournment</u>