

City Council Building Chattanooga, Tennessee

COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

October 7, 2014 6:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER

Council Chairman Chip Henderson called the meeting to order with Vice Chair Dr. Carol Berz and Councilpersons Chris Anderson, Moses Freeman, Russell Gilbert, Larry Grohn, Yusuf Hakeem, Jerry Mitchell and Ken Smith all present. City Attorney Wade Hinton, Management Analyst Randy Burns and Deputy Clerk Nicole Gwyn, CMC, were also present.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Councilman Grohn led the Assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance and read portions of Psalms 16 from the Bible prior to the invocation.

APPROVAL OF LAST MINUTES

On motion of Councilman Anderson and seconded by Councilman Gilbert, the minutes of the last meeting (September 30, 2014) were approved as published.

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD - ELECTIONS & RE-ELECTIONS:

On motion of Councilman Hakeem and seconded by Councilman Freeman,

RESOLUTION #28034

A RESOLUTION TO ELECT DR. THOMAS RUMPH TO THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD.

ACTION: ADOPTED

On motion of Councilman Freeman and seconded by Councilman Hakeem,

RESOLUTION #28035

A RESOLUTION TO ELECT ALAN LEBOVITZ TO THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD.

ACTION: ADOPTED

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On motion of Councilman Gilbert and seconded by Vice Chair Dr. Berz,

RESOLUTION #28036

A RESOLUTION TO ELECT JIMMY RODGERS TO THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD.

ACTION: ADOPTED

On motion of Councilman Freeman and seconded by Councilman Smith,

RESOLUTION #28037

A RESOLUTION TO RE-ELECT RAY ADKINS TO THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD.

ACTION: ADOPTED

ORDINANCES -- FINAL READING:

On motion of Councilman Smith and seconded by Councilman Mitchell,

ORDINANCE #12862

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND PART II, CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, ARTICLE VI, CHAPTER 18, SECTION 18-106, RELATIVE TO WOOD RECYCLING AND COMPOST FACILITY.

ACTION: APPROVED

ORDINANCES - FIRST READING:

On motion of Councilman Hakeem and seconded by Councilman Freeman,

ORDINANCE #12863

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE XIII, CODE OF ETHICS ORDINANCE FOR CITY OF CHATTANOOGA PERSONNEL BY DELETING SECTION 2-754 IN ITS ENTIRETY AND SUBSTITUTING A NEW SECTION 2-754 IN LIEU THEREOF.

ACTION: PASSED ON FIRST READING

On motion of Councilman Anderson and seconded by Vice Chair Dr. Berz,

ORDINANCE #12864

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 25, ARTICLE III, SECTION 25-75(C), RELATIVE TO THE DOWNTOWN AMPLIFIED MUSIC DISTRICT PERMIT APPLICATION FEE.

ACTION: PASSED ON FIRST READING

RESOLUTIONS:

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On motion of Councilman Gilbert and seconded by Councilman Hakeem,

RESOLUTION #28038

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY OFFICER TO RENEW THE BLANKET CONTRACT WITH CDW-G (COMPUTER DATA WAREHOUSE-GOVERNMENT), FOR THE PROVISIONING OF BROCADE SWITCHES AND ROUTERS RELATED TO MAINTENANCE AND SUPPORT SERVICES AND ALSO WITH MIKE COLLINS AND ASSOCIATES OF CHATTANOOGA (MCA) FOR THE PROVISIONING OF RELATED SUPPORT SERVICES, FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$1.5 MILLION.

ACTION: ADOPTED

On motion of Councilman Mitchell and seconded by Councilman Anderson,

RESOLUTION #28039

A RESOLUTION TO CONFIRM THE MAYOR'S RE-APPOINTMENTS OF KAREN MCMAHON, TOM GRISCOM, HERB COHN, AND MAI BELL HURLEY TO THE LIBRARY BOARD.

The motion carried with Vice Chair Dr. Berz abstaining.

ACTION: ADOPTED

On motion of Vice Chair Dr. Berz and seconded by Councilman Anderson,

RESOLUTION #28040

A RESOLUTION TO CONFIRM THE MAYOR'S APPOINTMENT OF SHERRI ANDERSON TO THE LIBRARY BOARD.

ACTION: ADOPTED

On motion of Councilman Anderson and seconded by Councilman Freeman,

RESOLUTION #28041

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT A SPECIAL TREE PLANTING GRANT FROM THE ALLIANCE FOR COMMUNITY TREES, FOR AN AMOUNT UP TO AND INCLUDING \$10,500.00; OTHER COMPONENTS TO INCLUDE FUNDS FOR WATERING TREES; AND \$1,500.00 WILL BE USED TO CONDUCT AN I-TREE ANALYSIS TO PREDICT THE FUTURE DOLLAR VALUE OF THE ECOSYSTEM SERVICES, FOR A TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$12,000.00.

ACTION: ADOPTED

DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS:

<u>Purchases</u>

Brent Goldberg, Chief Operating Officer, briefed the Council on the following purchases:

R81645 - Fire Department

Estimated \$110,000 Annually

Blanket Contract Renewal for Firefighter's

Protective Clothing

Lowest/Best Bidder: NAFECO (North Alabama Fire

Equipment Company)

R48605 - General Services

Estimated \$500,000 Annually

Blanket Contract Renewal for Electrical Supplies

Lowest/Best Bidder: Electric Motor Sales and Supply

Company

R64511 - Information Technology

Estimated \$200,000 Annually

Blanket Contract Renewal for Surveillance

Camera Equipment

Lowest/Best Bidder: ERMC II, L.P.

R47618 - Public Works

Estimated \$105,000 Annually

Blanket Contract renewal for Chlorination

System Parts

Lowest/Best Bidder: Specialized Operations Services Inc.

R99895 - Public Works

Estimated \$75,000 Annually

Blanket Contract for Air Compressor Maintenance

and Repair Services

Lowest/Best Bidder: Ingersoll Rand

Councilman Grohn moved to approve the purchases, seconded by Vice Chair Dr. Berz. The motion carried.

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OTHER BUSINESS:

Board Appointment

Chairman Henderson announced Bret Noblitt as the Council's representative to the *Controlled Sound Board*.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Audit & I.T. Committee Councilman Grohn (No report)

Budget and Finance Committee Councilman Mitchell (No report)

Economic and Community Development Committee Councilman Anderson (No report)

HR Committee (Human Resources) Vice Chair Dr. Berz (No report)

Planning & Zoning Councilman Hakeem

• The committee met today to review agenda items for the next two (2) weeks.

Public Safety Committee Councilman Freeman (No report)

Public Works and Transportation Committee Councilman Smith

• The committee met today to discuss agenda items and will meet again in two (2) weeks.

Youth and Family Development Committee Councilman Gilbert (No report)

RECOGNITION OF PERSONS WISHING TO ADDRESS COUNCIL (Non-Agenda Items)

Chairman Henderson asked if there were persons in the Assembly who wished to address Council on non-agenda items. Seeing none, Chairman Henderson closed this portion of the agenda.

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ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Councilman Anderson, the meeting of the Chattanooga City Council was adjourned until Tuesday, October 14, 2014, at 6:00 p.m.

CHAIRMAN

CLERK OF COUNCIL

(A full digital audio of this Council meeting has been filed in the Clerk of the Council's office)

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