



CITY COUNCIL CALLED MEETING AGENDA

Wednesday, October 30, 2024
1:00 P.M.

- I. CALL TO ORDER**
- II. INVOCATION** – Mayor Sherlin
- III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- IV. ROLL CALL**
- V. CITIZENS COMMENTS**
- VI. ORDINANCES**
 - a.) **Public Hearing**
Second Reading of Ordinance 1134
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE 8 CHAPTER 2 OF THE ATHENS MUNICIPAL CODE PERTAINING THE MEETING TIME OF THE BEER BOARD
 - b.) **Public Hearing**
Second Reading of Ordinance 1135
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE 1, CHAPTER 1 OF THE ATHENS MUNICIPAL CODE TO ALTER THE ORDER OF BUSINESS OF REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS.
- VII. ADJOURNMENT**

ORDINANCE NO. 1134

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE 8 CHAPTER 2 OF THE
ATHENS MUNICIPAL CODE PERTAINING TO THE MEETING TIME OF THE BEER BOARD**

WHEREAS, Section 8-202 of The Athens Municipal Code establishes the time for regular meetings as following each regular meeting of the city council at the city hall whenever there is business to come before the beer board; and

WHEREAS, this time is not convenient for new permit applicants nor the existing members of the Beer Board.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ATHENS, TENNESSEE, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1.

Title 8, Chapter 2, Section 8-202 of The Athens Municipal Code is hereby amended by replacing

“The board shall hold regular meetings following each regular meeting of the city council at the city hall whenever there is business to come before the beer board.”

with

“The board shall hold regular meetings at 5:30pm preceding each regular meeting of the city council at the city hall whenever there is business to come before the beer board.”

SECTION 2.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this ordinance shall become effective after final reading and publication of a notice for a public meeting in a newspaper of general circulation in the city.

PASSED ON FIRST READING: October 15, 2024

PASSED ON SECOND READING:

DATE OF PUBLIC HEARING: October 30, 2024

STEVEN S. SHERLIN, MAYOR

RANDALL DOWLING, CITY MANAGER

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

CHRISTOPHER M. CALDWELL, CITY ATTORNEY

ORDINANCE NO. 1135

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE 1, CHAPTER 1 OF THE ATHENS MUNICIPAL CODE
TO ALTER THE ORDER OF BUSINESS OF REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS**

WHEREAS, Section 1-102 of the Athens Municipal Code establishes the order of business for council meetings; and

WHEREAS, it now appears that the interest of the City of Athens, Tennessee, will be served if the order of business is amended.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ATHENS, TENNESSEE, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1.

That Title 1, Chapter 1, Section 102 entitled "Order of business." be amended by deleting the numbers and words:

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1. Call to Order
2. Invocation
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Roll Call
5. Approval of Minutes
6. Communications and Special Presentations
7. Citizens Comments
8. Consent Agenda
9. Ordinances
10. Old Business
11. New Business
12. Reports
13. Report from the City Manager
14. Adjournment

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and inserting in lieu thereof the numbers and words:

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SECTION 2.

Any Ordinance, Resolution, Motion or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed and superseded. If any sentence, clause, phrase, or paragraph of this Ordinance is declared to be unconstitutional by any Court of competent jurisdiction, such holding will not affect any other portion of this Ordinance.

SECTION 3.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it.

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