



CITY OF WARD

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Council Meeting Agenda October 17, 2022 at 6:30 PM

I. City Council Meeting Call to Order:

- Prayer
- Pledge of Allegiance

II. Roll Call:

III. Review/approval of Council Minutes

- September 19, 2022 Council Meeting

IV. Department Reports and Financials:

- Animal Shelter, Court, Fire, Parks & Rec, Police, Probation, Reception, Street, Water/Wastewater
- Financials: to be included in next council package
- General, Fire, Parks & Rec, Police, Street, Water/Wastewater

V. Planning Commission Report: no meeting last month

VI. Unfinished Business:

A. ELECTION OF CITY COUNCIL MEMBER (WARD 1, POSITION 1)

- Each candidate will be given three (3) minute to speak to the council
- Discussion
- Vote
- Swearing-In

- B. RESOLUTION R-2022-26: A RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING THE ELECTION OF COUNCIL MEMBER FOR THE CITY OF WARD BY THE MAJORITY VOTE OF THE GOVERNING BODY.**
- Discussion
 - Public Input
 - Vote
- C. ORDINANCE NO. 2022-09: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY OF WARD ORDINANCE 2014-07, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES (2ND READING)**
- Discussion
 - Public Input
 - Vote
- D. ORDINANCE O-2022-13: AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING ANY PERSON BUILDING A PRIVATE OR PUBLIC DRIVEWAY OVER ANY PUBLIC DITCH TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE MEANS BY TITLE OR OTHER CONSTRUCTION, TO BE APPROVED BY THE WARD STREET SUPERINTENDENT, TO ALLOW FOR THE CONTINUED FLOW OF WATER THROUGH SAID DITCH, PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION HEREOF, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. (2ND READING)**
- Discussion
 - Public Input
 - Vote
- E. ORDINANCE O-2022-12: AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING OWNERS OR OCCUPANTS OF PREMISES ABUTTING ON STREETS TO KEEP THE STREET GUTTERS AND DRAINAGE DITCHES ALONGSIDE, IN FRONT, OR TO THE REAR OF THEIR PREMISES CLEAR OF ALL MATTER PREVENTING THE FREE FLOW OF WATER THEREIN AND PROHIBITING OBSTRUCTION TO SUCH FLOW, PRESCRIBING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION HEREOF, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. (1ST READING WITH MODIFICATIONS)**
- Discussion
 - Public Input
 - Vote

VII. New Business:

- ~~**A. RESOLUTION R-2022-29: A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE WILLINGNESS OF CITY OF WARD, ARKANSAS TO UTILIZE FEDERAL AID SURFACE TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM FUNDS**~~
- ~~• Discussion~~
 - ~~• Public Input~~
 - ~~• Vote~~

VIII. Mayor's Report:

IX. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items:

X. Announcements

- Early Voting: October 24 – November 7, times vary
- Planning Commission: October 24, 7 pm
 - UDO
- General Election Day: November 8, 7:30am-7:30pm
- City offices closed in observance of Veteran's Day: November 11
- City Council Meeting: November 21, 6:30 pm
- Culpepper Circus: March 26, 2023, 2 pm & 4:30 pm

XI. Adjournment