

A = APPROVAL C = REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

AD = APPROVAL DENIED T = TABLED

NA = NO ACTION RA = REMOVED FROM AGENDA

D = DEFERRED I = INTRODUCED

R = REFERRED RW = REQUEST WITHDRAWN

O = OTHER RCA = REMOVED FROM CONSENT AGENDA

ACTION AGENDA FOR A REGULAR RESCHEDULED MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCKY MOUNT HELD MONDAY, JUNE 12, 2023, AT 7:00 P.M. IN THE GEORGE W. DUDLEY CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER OF THE FREDERICK E. TURNAGE MUNICIPAL BUILDING

- 1. Meeting Called to Order by the Mayor
- 2. Prayer
- 3. Roll Call by the City Clerk
- 4. Consideration of the Minutes of a Regular Scheduled City Council Meeting held February 13, 2023
- **A~** Recommended Action: Approve Minutes
- A~ 5. Consideration of additions or deletions to the agenda
 - a. Remove items 9D, 9H and 9I from Consent Agenda
 - b. Remove item 9J from Agenda
 - 6. Community Update City Manager Keith Rogers Jr.
 - 7. Presentations and Recognitions:
 - Presentation of Lion's Club Police Officer and Firefighter of the Year Plaques and Checks
 - 8. Petitions to be Received from the Public

Note: Please complete Citizen Sign-In Sheet and provide to Security Officer prior to speaking. Please limit presentations to three (3) minutes. Time will be monitored.

The following individuals spoke (more details to be included in minutes):

- Robert Cordell
- Arnie Jones
- Willie Arrington
- Edith Joyner Josephs
- Mumtaz Shaik
- Mary Warren
- Rev. Nehemiah Smith
- Nellene Richardson
- Nathlyn Ohree

- Curmilus Dancy
- Bronson Williams
- Troy Davis

9. **CONSENT AGENDA:**

- A. Consideration of Request from Public Works, for an Ordinance Approving Temporary Street Closings for the Juneteenth Community Empowerment Festival (ordinance adoption requirement of NCDOT standards):
 - <u>Friday, June 16, 2023, from 10:00 a.m. until 11:00 p.m.</u>
 Temporary Closures of Tarboro Street (US 64 Business) from NE Main Street to Atlantic Avenue (NC 97), N Washington Street from Hill Street to E Thomas Street (US 64 Business), Albemarle Avenue from E Thomas Street to Tarboro Street and W Rose Street from Albemarle Avenue to Atlantic Avenue;
 - Saturday & Sunday, June 17 & 18, 2022, from 9:00 a.m. until 11:00 p.m.
 Temporary Closure of S Church Street (US 301 Business) from Andrews Street to Nash Street, Hammond Street from S Franklin Street (US 301 Business) to SW Main Street, SW Main Street from Hammond Street to a point 200 feet north of Hammond Street and Coastline Street

City Manager Recommendation: Adopt Ordinance Approving Temporary Street Closure

- B. Consideration of the Following Tax Releases and/or Refunds:
 - Schedule A Report of taxes under \$100 approved for release and/or refund by the City Manager; and
 - Schedule B Report of taxes over \$100 recommended for release and/or refund by the City Council

City Manager Recommendation: Approve Tax Releases

C. Consideration of Declaring Certain Personal Property Surplus and Authorizing Disposal by Electronic Auction via GovDeals, Inc.

City Manager Recommendation: Adopt Resolution Declaring Property Surplus and Authorizing Disposal by Electronic Auction

*RCA~ D. Consideration of a Quitclaim Deed for 0.023 acre gap between the property line of the Ruby Grey Heirs and the Municipal Stadium to the Nash Board of Education

City Manager Recommendation: Authorize Mayor and City Clerk to Execute Quitclaim Deed

E. Consideration of Resolution to accept and appropriate ARP funds in the amount of \$400,000 from North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality Division of Water Infrastructure

City Manager Recommendation: Adopt Resolution and Authorize Mayor and City Clerk to
execute required documentation including final application,
subsequent grant agreement and certifications and assurances
on behalf of the City

F. Consideration of Adoption of the Following FY 2022-2023 Ordinances:

Budget Ordinance Amendments:

- 1. Appropriates funds in the Emergency Telephone (E911) Fund for Qualified improvements to the E911 Telecommunications Center (\$159,820)
- 2. Appropriates funds in the General Fund for necessary Site Survey and Engineering Work for Peele Road Economic Development Site (\$268,000); and

Project Ordinance Amendment:

3. Appropriates Funds from the Occupancy Tax Fund to the General Fund as Appropriated in FY 2022-2023 Annual Operating Budget (\$250,000)

City Manager Recommendation: Adopt Ordinances

G. Consideration of the 2023 Annual Action Plan for the Down East Home Consortium

City Manager Recommendation: Approve Plan and Authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to Execute Any Required Documentation or Certifications

RCA~ H. Consideration of 1) Rescinding Resolution R-2021-51 entitled, "Resolution Declaring Official Intent of the City of Rocky Mount to Reimburse Expenditures Made for the Construction of Fire station # 2 (the project has increased from \$4,100,000 to \$11,100,000); and 2) Resolution Declaring Official Intent of the City to Reimburse Expenditures Made for the Construction of Fire Station 2 (expected maximum obligation = \$11,100,000 approved in annual budget; expected financing = secured installment pursuant to NCGS 160A-20; resolution requirement of United States Treasury)

City Manager Recommendation: Rescind Resolution R-2021-51; Adopt new Resolution

RCA~ I. Consideration of Resolution Authorizing the filing of an Application for Approval of an Installment Financing Contract Authorized by NCGS 160A-20 for Fire Station #2

City Manager Recommendation: Adopt Resolution

RA~ J. Consideration of Offer from Glandon Forest Equity, LLC on behalf of Dollar General to purchase property located at 1006 Cokey Road (\$200,000)

> City Manager Recommendation: Adopt Resolution Authorizing an Upset Bid Process (authorizes City Clerk to Advertise Offer for Upset Bids Pursuant to G.S. 160A-269; and, if no qualifying upset bid received, authorizes appropriate City Officials to execute Purchase Agreement)

Recommended Action: Approve Consent Agenda inclusive of:

- 1) Approve Street Closure;
- 2) Approve Tax Releases;
- 3) Authorize Mayor and City Clerk to Execute Quitelaim Deed
- 4) Authorize Mayor/City Manager, City Clerk to execute required documentation including final application, subsequent grant agreement and certifications and assurances on behalf of the City;
- 5) Approve Annual Action Plan

- 6) Rescind Resolution R-2021-51
- 7) Adopt Ordinances and Resolutions;
- 8) Adopt Resolution Authorizing an Upset Bid Process (authorizes City Clerk to Advertise Offer for Upset Bids Pursuant to G.S. 160A-269; and, if no qualifying upset bid received, authorizes appropriate City Officials to execute Purchase Agreement)
- 10. **Public Hearing** Relative to the Proposed Budget for FY 2023-2024
- A~ Recommended Action: Receive Public Comment
 - 11. Consideration of the Minutes and Recommendations from a Planning Board Meeting held on May 9, 2023:
 - *Overview of request(s) and recommendation(s) by the Director of Development Services or his designee
- A~ Recommended Action: Acknowledge Receipt of Planning Board Minutes
 - **A. Public Hearing** Relative to the Following Rezoning Request Recommended for Approval and Found in Compliance with the Comprehensive Plan by the Planning Board:
 - Request by Shields Family Partnership to rezone two parcels containing <u>+</u>0.32-acers at 803 Carter Street & 612 N. Tillery Street from I-1 to B-5
- A~ Recommended Action: 1) Receive Public Comment; and 2) Adopt Ordinance
 - 12. Consideration of Resolution requested by City Council in response to SB 169
- A~ Recommended Action: Adopt Resolution
 - 13. Consideration of 1) Rescinding Resolution R-2021-51 entitled, "Resolution Declaring Official Intent of the City of Rocky Mount to Reimburse Expenditures Made for the Construction of Fire station # 2 (the project has increased from \$4,100,000 to \$11,100,000); and 2) Resolution Declaring Official Intent of the City to Reimburse Expenditures Made for the Construction of Fire Station 2 (expected maximum obligation = \$11,100,000 approved in annual budget; expected financing = secured installment pursuant to NCGS 160A-20; resolution requirement of United States Treasury)
- **A~** Rescind Resolution R-2021-51
- **A~** *Adopt new Resolution*
 - 14. Consideration of Resolution Authorizing the filing of an Application for Approval of an Installment Financing Contract Authorized by NCGS 160A-20 for Fire Station #2
- A~ City Manager Recommendation: Adopt Resolution
 - 15. Consideration of a Quitclaim Deed for 0.023-acre gap between the property line of the Ruby Grey Heirs and the Municipal Stadium to the Nash Board of Education
- T~ City Manager Recommendation: Authorize Mayor and City Clerk to Execute Quitclaim Deed