



Chattanooga City Council
Chattanooga, Tennessee
John P. Franklin, Sr. City Council Building

COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

September 19, 2023
6:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Raquetta Dotley called the meeting to order. A quorum was present that also included Vice Chair Jenny Hill and Councilpersons Carol Berz, Demetrus Coonrod, Chip Henderson, Isiah Hester, Darrin Ledford, Marvene Noel, and Ken Smith. Other participants present were Phil Noblett, City Attorney, and Melissa Bardoner, Council Support Specialist. Video of this meeting is available on YouTube [see [here](#)].

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Councilman Smith led the Assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance.

NEW BUSINESS

2023-0117

G.T. Issa c/o Premier Homes

Planning Version #2

District No. 4

RESOLUTION #31775

A RESOLUTION APPROVING A SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS PERMIT FOR A RESIDENTIAL PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1619 GRAY ROAD, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

Councilman Ledford moved to reconsider this item, based on updated information he received regarding the proposed direction of R-1 zoning. Vice Chair Hill seconded. The motion carried and discussion ensued, which may be viewed [here](#).

Councilman Ledford moved to approve with conditions [see below].

1. *Community lot at cul-de-sac to have gazebo type structure with outdoor seating and landscaping;*
2. *Dedicate ten feet (10') of right-of-way along Gray Road to City of Chattanooga;*
3. *Minimum buildable lot width to be fifty-five feet (55');*
4. *A decorative fence with landscaping to be installed along Gray Road. Trees to be planted at a spacing no less than twenty-five feet (25') on center;*
5. *Evergreen trees to be planted at a minimum spacing of fifteen feet (15') on center along the rear property lines of lots 2-14 and 20-30, as indicated on the drawing dated 8/8/23;*
6. *A ten foot (10') vegetative buffer shall be required along the rear of lots 16-18, as indicated on the drawing dated 8/8/23; and*
7. *No accessory dwelling units allowed within the development.*

(continued)

Vice Chair Hill seconded. The motion carried. **Vice Chair Hill moved** to amend by removing condition #7 regarding accessory dwelling units. Councilman Ledford seconded. The motion carried. **Councilman Ledford moved** to approve as amended. Vice Chair Hill seconded. The motion carried.

**ACTION: RESOLUTION ADOPTED
(WITH CONDITIONS) AS AMENDED**

APPROVAL OF LAST MINUTES

On motion of Councilman Henderson and seconded by Councilman Hester the minutes of the last meeting (September 12, 2023) were approved as published.

ORDINANCES – FINAL READING:

PROCEDURAL NOTE: Chair Dotley instructed the Clerk to group and read the following ten ordinances for one Council vote.

2023-0127
Stone Creek Consulting, LLC c/o Allen Jones
Planning Version #2
District No. 1

ORDINANCE #14025

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 3111 KELLY’S FERRY ROAD, FROM R-1 RESIDENTIAL ZONE TO R-3 RESIDENTIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

2023-0114
Sam Koebley and Will Haisten
Planning Version #2
District No. 2

ORDINANCE #14026

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 217 TREMONT STREET, FROM R-3 RESIDENTIAL ZONE TO E-RM-3 URBAN EDGE MULTI-UNIT RESIDENTIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

2023-0111
Jay Simpson
District No. 3

ORDINANCE #14027

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 5026 OLD GODSEY LANE, FROM R-1 RESIDENTIAL ZONE TO C-2 CONVENIENCE COMMERCIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

2023-0134
David Fidati c/o Wise Construction
District No. 5

ORDINANCE #14030

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 6011 LEE HIGHWAY, FROM C-2 CONVENIENCE COMMERCIAL ZONE TO UGC URBAN GENERAL COMMERCIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

2023-0133
Pointe Holdings
District No. 6

ORDINANCE #14031

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 7283 BONNY OAKS DRIVE, FROM R-4 SPECIAL ZONE WITH CONDITIONS AND R-1 RESIDENTIAL ZONE TO C-2 CONVENIENCE COMMERCIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

2023-0119
Melissa Graveline
District No. 9

ORDINANCE #14032

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 510 SOUTH WILLOW STREET, FROM R-4 SPECIAL ZONE TO C-2 CONVENIENCE COMMERCIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

2023-0125
Stone Creek Consulting, LLC
District No. 9

ORDINANCE #14033

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE AN UNADDRESSED TRACT OF LAND LOCATED IN THE 3100 BLOCK OF EAST 26TH STREET, FROM R-1 RESIDENTIAL ZONE TO UGC URBAN GENERAL COMMERCIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

2023-0129
Raun Swafford
District No. 9

ORDINANCE #14034

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2000 DODSON AVENUE, FROM M-2 LIGHT INDUSTRIAL ZONE TO R-3 RESIDENTIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

Councilman Smith moved to approve eight of the ten ordinances but **moved to defer** Agenda Item V(d) and V(e)—formerly assigned as ordinance #14028 and #14029—for three months, to December 19, 2023. Councilman Henderson seconded the motion to approve eight of the ordinances. Vice Chair Hill seconded the motion to defer. Both motions carried.

2023-0121
Lyons Group Acquisitions (Lift Conditions)
District No. 3

AGENDA ITEM V(d):

*[Formerly Ordinance #14028-new number will
be reassigned upon passage]*

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO LIFT CONDITION NOS. 2, 3, AND 4; AND AMENDING CONDITION NO. 1 FROM ORDINANCE NO. 9135 OF PREVIOUS CASE NO. 1989-0046 FOR PART OF A PROPERTY LOCATED AT 5431 HIXSON PIKE.

2023-0122
Lyons Group Acquisitions
Planning Version #2
District No. 3

AGENDA ITEM V(e):

*[Formerly Ordinance #14029-new number will
be assigned upon passage]*

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 5138, 5144, 5150, AND 5157 STRICKLAND DRIVE, 5422 OLD HIXSON PIKE, AND AN UNADDRESSED PARCEL IN THE 5400 BLOCK OF OLD HIXSON PIKE, FROM R-2 RESIDENTIAL ZONE TO R-3 RESIDENTIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

**ACTION: ORDINANCES 14025 – 14027 & 14030 – 14034 APPROVED
AGENDA ITEMS V(d) and V(e) DEFERRED TO DECEMBER 19, 2023**

ORDINANCES – FIRST READING:

On motion of Councilman Ledford and seconded by Vice Chair Hill,

ORDINANCE #14041

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING A FRANCHISE TO UNITI FIBER LLC, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ALLOWING IT TO CONSTRUCT, INSTALL, AND OPERATE CERTAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS WIRES AND CABLING WITHIN THE PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY IN ORDER TO PROVIDE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES WITHIN THE CITY; SETTING FORTH CONDITIONS ACCOMPANYING THE GRANT OF THE FRANCHISE; PROVIDING FOR REGULATION AND USE OF THE SYSTEM AND THE PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE CITY'S RIGHT-OF-WAY ORDINANCE; AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATIONS OF THE PROVISIONS HEREIN.

The motion carried.

ACTION: PASSED ON FIRST READING

2023-0112
Nathan Brown
District No. 8

Agenda Item VI(b):

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 1115 AND 1117 EAST 14TH STREET AND AN UNADDRESSED PROPERTY IN THE 1100 BLOCK OF EAST 4TH STREET, FROM R-3 RESIDENTIAL ZONE AND R-T/Z RESIDENTIAL TOWNHOUSE/ZERO LOT LINE ZONE WITH CONDITIONS TO R-T/Z RESIDENTIAL TOWNHOUSE/ZERO LOT LINE ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

Councilwoman Noel moved to defer one week to September 26, 2023. Councilwoman Berz seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: DEFERRED TO SEPTEMBER 26, 2023

2023-0118
Chambliss, Bahner & Stophel
District No. 8

Agenda Item VI(c):

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PART OF A PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1710 SOUTH HOLTZCLAW AVENUE, FROM R-2 RESIDENTIAL ZONE TO UGC URBAN GENERAL COMMERCIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

Councilwoman Noel moved to defer two weeks to October 3, 2023. Councilwoman Berz seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: DEFERRED TO OCTOBER 3, 2023

2023-0126
Stone Creek Consulting, LLC
District No. 8

Agenda Item VI(d):

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2910 CALHOUN AVENUE, FROM R-2 RESIDENTIAL ZONE TO UGC URBAN GENERAL COMMERCIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

Councilwoman Noel moved to defer two weeks to October 3, 2023. Councilwoman Berz seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: DEFERRED TO OCTOBER 3, 2023

MR-2023-0120
N&R Properties c/o Rostis Timoshchuk (Abandonment)
Planning Version #2
District No. 4

On motion of Councilman Ledford and seconded by Vice Chair Hill,

ORDINANCE #14035

AN ORDINANCE CLOSING AND ABANDONING AN UNOPENED RIGHT-OF-WAY IN THE 7500 BLOCK OF OVERCUP OAK TRAIL, AS DETAILED ON THE ATTACHED MAPS, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

The motion carried.

ACTION: PASSED ON FIRST READING

MR-2023-0070
Berry Engineers, LLC c/o Jake Simco (Abandonment)
District No. 7

On motion of Vice Chair Hill and seconded by Councilwoman Berz,

ORDINANCE #14036

AN ORDINANCE CLOSING AND ABANDONING AN UNOPENED PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY LOCATED IN THE 3400 BLOCK OF OHLS AVENUE, AS DETAILED ON THE ATTACHED MAPS.

The motion carried.

ACTION: PASSED ON FIRST READING

MR-2023-0071
Berry Engineers, LLC c/o Jake Simco (Abandonment)
District No. 7

On motion of Vice Chair Hill and seconded by Councilwoman Berz,

ORDINANCE #14037

AN ORDINANCE CLOSING AND ABANDONING AN UNOPENED RIGHT-OF-WAY LOCATED IN THE 400 BLOCK OF WEST 35TH STREET, AS DETAILED ON THE ATTACHED MAPS.

The motion carried.

ACTION: PASSED ON FIRST READING

RESOLUTIONS:

PROCEDURAL NOTE: With no objection from the Council, Chair Dotley instructed the Clerk to group and read the following two resolutions for one Council vote.

RESOLUTION #31776

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF SHARON MICKEL TO THE HIXSON COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR DISTRICT 3, WITH A TERM BEGINNING ON SEPTEMBER 20, 2023, AND ENDING ON SEPTEMBER 19, 2025.

RESOLUTION #31777

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF WHITNEY BRAZIL TO THE HEAD START GOVERNING BOARD FOR DISTRICT 7, WITH A TERM BEGINNING ON SEPTEMBER 20, 2023, AND ENDING ON SEPTEMBER 19, 2025.

Councilman Smith moved to approve both resolutions. Vice Chair Hill seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: RESOLUTIONS 31776 & 31777 ADOPTED

On motion of Councilman Henderson and seconded by Councilman Ledford,

RESOLUTION #31778

A RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT A MATERIALS DONATION VALUED IN THE AMOUNT OF \$70,000.00 FROM CLEAN SWEEP PRODUCTS, LLC FOR HAZARDOUS MATERIALS RESPONSE SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS, INCLUDING ABSORBENT PADS AND SOCKS, OVERPACK DRUMS, INDUSTRIAL RUGS, SPILL KITS, AND SIMILAR ITEMS.

The motion carried.

ACTION: ADOPTED

PROCEDURAL NOTE: With no objection from the Council, Chair Dotley instructed the Clerk to read the alternate version of this item for Council vote.

RESOLUTION #31779
Alternate Version

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING REVISIONS TO THE EMPLOYEE INFORMATION GUIDE (EIG) TO BE EFFECTIVE UPON APPROVAL, REVISIONS INCLUDE: POLICY 1 – PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVE; POLICY 2 – GENERAL POLICIES; POLICY 4 – PERSONNEL-HUMAN RESOURCES RECORDS; POLICY 6 – OUTSIDE EMPLOYMENT; AND POLICY 8 – SEPARATION OF EMPLOYMENT, AND AUTHORIZING FORMATTING AND TABLE OF CONTENTS UPDATES.

Councilman Ledford moved to approve the alternate version of this resolution. Vice Chair Hill seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: ALTERNATE VERSION ADOPTED

PROCEDURAL NOTE: With no objection from the Council, Chair Dotley instructed the Clerk to group and read the following five resolutions for one Council vote.

RESOLUTION #31780

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING MAYOR KELLY’S APPOINTMENT OF DARNELL WALKER TO THE HEAD START GOVERNING BOARD, FOR A TERM BEGINNING ON SEPTEMBER 20, 2023, AND ENDING ON SEPTEMBER 19, 2025.

RESOLUTION #31781

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING MAYOR KELLY’S REAPPOINTMENT OF MATT MCDONALD TO THE HISTORIC ZONING COMMISSION, FOR A TERM BEGINNING ON SEPTEMBER 20, 2023, AND ENDING ON SEPTEMBER 19, 2028.

RESOLUTION #31782

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING MAYOR KELLY’S APPOINTMENT OF ROSALYN RUFFIN TO THE OFFICE OF FAMILY EMPOWERMENT BOARD, FOR A TERM BEGINNING ON SEPTEMBER 20, 2023, AND ENDING ON SEPTEMBER 19, 2025.

RESOLUTION #31783

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING MAYOR KELLY’S APPOINTMENT OF LAURA WRIGHT TO THE STORMWATER REGULATIONS BOARD, FOR A TERM BEGINNING ON SEPTEMBER 20, 2023, AND ENDING ON SEPTEMBER 19, 2026.

RESOLUTION #31784

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS DESIGNEE TO ENTER INTO A SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT WITH LEGAL AID OF EAST TENNESSEE, FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$566,000.00.

Councilman Henderson moved to approve all five resolutions. Councilwoman Berz seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: RESOLUTIONS 31780 – 31784 ADOPTED

On motion of Councilman Ledford and seconded by Vice Chair Hill,

RESOLUTION #31785

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA TO APPLY FOR, AND IF AWARDED, ACCEPT A BLUE CROSS HEALTHY PLACES GRANT IN THE FORM OF AMENITIES FOR THE RENOVATION OF SHEILA M. JENNINGS PARK, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$4,725,000.00.

The motion carried.

ACTION: ADOPTED

PROCEDURAL NOTE: With no objection from the Council, Chair Dotley instructed the Clerk to group and read the following three resolutions for one Council vote.

RESOLUTION #31786

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH GRESHAM SMITH FOR UPDATING THE PLAN SET, BID BOOK, AND ESTIMATE FOR THE MANUFACTURERS-HAMM GATEWAY MULTI-MODAL PATHWAY TO CURRENT TDOT STANDARDS, FOR AN INCREASE OF \$8,000.00, FOR A REVISED CONTRACT TOTAL IN THE AMOUNT OF \$279,595.00.

RESOLUTION #31787

A RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 31396 FOR THE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES ON-CALL BLANKET CONTRACT FOR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES CONTRACT NO. E-22-026-101 WITH (1) ALLEN & HOSHALL, INC.; (2) ARTECH DESIGN GROUP, INC.; (3) DERTHICK, HENLEY & WILKERSON ARCHITECTS PLLC; (4) FRANKLIN ASSOCIATES ARCHITECTS, INC.; (5) HEFFERLIN KRONENBERG ARCHITECTS PLLC; (6) MBI COMPANIES, INC.; AND (7) RARDIN CARROLL ARCHITECTS, INC., TO INCREASE THE ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF \$2 MILLION BY \$4.4 MILLION, FOR A REVISED ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF \$6.4 MILLION, DUE TO ADDITIONAL CONTRACT UTILIZATION BY THE SPORTS AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF HAMILTON AND THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, FOR THE SOUTH BROAD DISTRICT BALLPARK.

RESOLUTION #31788

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF KURT MARTIG, AS SPECIAL POLICE OFFICER (UNARMED) FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, LAND DEVELOPMENT OFFICE, TO DO SPECIAL DUTY AS PRESCRIBED HEREIN AS LANDSCAPE INSPECTOR 1, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

Councilman Hester moved to approve all three resolutions. Vice Chair Hill seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: RESOLUTIONS 31786 – 31788 ADOPTED

PROCEDURAL NOTE: With no objection from the Council, Chair Dotley instructed the Clerk to group and read the following two resolutions for one Council vote.

RESOLUTION #31789

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN ANNUAL SPEND LIMIT FOR THE EXISTING FIRST DUE BLANKET CONTRACT NO. PA100422 FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT'S RECORD MANAGEMENT APPLICATION TO COVER THE ASSESSOR DATA ADD-ON MODULE ADDITIONAL EXPENSE, FOR AN OVERALL BLANKET INCREASE FROM \$572,856.70 TO \$646,211.12, AN INCREASE OF \$73,354.42 FOR THE FIVE YEAR TERM, AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN THE RESOLUTION.

RESOLUTION #31790

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A SPEND LIMIT INCREASE FOR THE EXISTING BLANKET CONTRACT NO. PA100296, YEARS 2 AND 3, WITH MONDAY.COM FOR THE ANNUAL PROJECT MANAGEMENT APPLICATION NOW USED CITYWIDE FROM \$30,000.00 TO \$75,000.00, REPRESENTING A TOTAL INCREASE OF \$45,000.00 TO COVER THE COST OF LICENSES FOR ADDITIONAL USERS.

Councilman Smith moved to approve both resolutions. Vice Chair Hill seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: RESOLUTIONS 31789 & 31790 ADOPTED

On motion of Councilman Smith and seconded by Councilman Ledford,

RESOLUTION #31791

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE WASTEWATER DEPARTMENT TO AWARD CONTRACT NO. W-19-007-201, WET WEATHER STORAGE PHASE 6 – HIXSON PUMP STATION #1 TO CLARK CONSTRUCTION GROUP, STERLING, VA, FOR FIVE MILLION GALLONS OF WET WEATHER STORAGE, A NEW PUMPING STATION, AND ASSOCIATED CONVEYANCE PIPING IMPROVEMENTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$41,684,042.00, WITH A CONTINGENCY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$4,168,404.20, FOR A TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$45,852,446.20.

The motion carried.

ACTION: ADOPTED

DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS:

Recommended New Purchase

Brooke Satterfield, Deputy Chief of Staff, recommended the following new purchase:

556552 DTS \$5.5 million
Technology Contract – City Wide Usage
Lowest/Best Bidder: CDW Government Inc
230 N Milwaukee Ave
Vernon Hills, IL 60061

Councilwoman Berz moved to approve. Councilman Hester seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: PURCHASE APPROVED

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Affordable Housing Committee

Vice Chair Hill (No report)

Budget and Finance Committee

Councilwoman Berz (No report)

Economic Development Committee

Equity and Community Development Committee

Councilwoman Coonrod reported:

- The Council heard reports from the Departments of Economic Development and Equity and Community Engagement during the 3:30 p.m. Agenda Session.
- There will be a joint Economic Development and Chamber of Commerce meeting on Thursday, September 21, 2023, at 6:00 p.m., held at RISE Chattanooga, 2901 Taylor St.

Education and Innovation Committee

Councilwoman Noel (No report)

Legislative Committee

Councilman Smith (No report)

Planning and Zoning Committee

Councilman Ledford (No report)

- Reminded the Council to fill out the RPA's growth plan survey at planchattanooga.org
- Recognized audience member Jackson [a minor], who has been attending frequent Council meetings recently.

Parks and Public Works

Councilman Hester reported:

- The committee met today in open meeting.

Public Safety Committee

Councilman Henderson

- Councilman Henderson informed the Council of proposed PARC ordinance revisions and requested scheduling a Public Safety Committee meeting at the Chair's earliest convenience.

OTHER BUSINESS

City Attorney Noblett presented and recommended to the Council the agreement reached during mediation this week, regarding the payment of \$175,000.00 to Synagro South LLC for fuel surcharges.

RECOGNITION OF PERSONS WISHING TO ADDRESS COUNCIL (Listen and view on YouTube [here](#))

Attorney Noblett read the rules of procedure for persons wishing to address the Council. After which, Chair Dotley recognized the following persons:

Speaker Name	District	Primary Topics:
• Sharon Drake	7	Thanked the Council for applying for the grant to be used to renovate Sheila M. Jennings Park & asked if the community would be involved in the renovation process.
• Edward Green Jr.	9	Lighting issues in the Wilcox & Missionary Ridge tunnels
• Monty Bell	(N/A)	Hamilton County Election Commission

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Councilman Henderson, Chair Dotley adjourned the meeting of the Chattanooga City Council until next Tuesday, September 26, 2023, at 6:00 p.m.

COUNCIL CHAIR

CLERK OF COUNCIL