

CITY OF WASHINGTON REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA WASHINGTON CITY COUNCIL

APRIL 4, 2024 6:00 P.M.



<u>City Council</u>

Ken Westcott, Councilman Joe Pintola, Councilman Andrew Callan, Councilman Joseph De Thomas, Councilman

ROLL CALL:

Councilman Joseph DeThomas Councilman Andrew Callan Councilman Joe Pintola Councilman Ken Westcott Mayor JoJo Burgess

SOLICITOR:

Jack Cambest, Esquire

MOMENT OF SILENCE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: Individuals or group representatives who have signed in prior to the meeting will have 5 minutes of microphone time to address Council during the public participation portion of the meeting. We prefer if there is a group, a representative be chosen to speak. Audience comments will not be permitted following the public participation portion of the meeting; therefore, we ask that you please review the agenda for any item(s) you may wish to discuss. We have, in the past, had individuals' direct comments to the Mayor and Council that were not correct or could not be documented. For that reason, we ask that your information be to the point and factual. Although we may not be able to answer your question at this meeting, we will refer your request or recommendation to the proper department for any necessary action.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

CLOSED TO PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

- 1. Motion to approve the Minutes from the March 4, 2024 Regular Council Meeting.
- 2. **Motion** to approve the following payments (A.-O.) in the amount of \$32,645.39.
- 3. **Motion** to approve the following transfers: (A. -B.) in the amount of \$12,231.00.
- 4. Motion to approve the 2024 TWIST Softball Lease Agreement.
- 5. Motion to approve the 2024 Washington Youth Baseball Lease Agreement.
- 6. **Motion** to approve the 2024 Tournaments Inc. Lease Agreement.
- Motion to approve the following address change for Skid Rid Holdings at 370 West Chestnut Street:
 - 1. 370 West Chestnut Street Suite 100
 - 2. 370 West Chestnut Street Suite 200
- 8. Motion to approve the lot consolidation at 605 Ewing Street.
- Motion to authorize the Civil Service Board to conduct promotional testing for the Fire Department rank of Engineer.

JoJo Burgess, Mayor

- Motion to authorize the Fire Department purchase of replacement turnout gear storage lockers, Decontamination sinks and fitness equipment using the awarded PA OSFC grant funding. (Not to exceed \$16,951.99.)
- 11. **Motion** to place B.D. Police Department on non-work-related accident and sickness disability effective 4-13-24.
- 12. **Motion** to approve \$82,750.00 in matching funds for the DCNR Community Conservation Partnership Program, Stone Pavilion Flooring Rehabilitation.
- 13. **Motion** to approve a local match in the amount of \$100,000 for the Multi-Purpose Community Facility Grant through the Pennsylvania Broadband Development Authority.
- 14. **Motion** to approve payment for 250 hours of compensatory time to Deputy Treasurer, Deanna Coughenour.

RESOLUTIONS

- Motion to approve <u>RESOLUTION 8 of 2024</u> TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS ON THE 2013 SPARTAN PUMPER.
- 16. Motion to approve <u>RESOLUTION 9 of 2024</u> TO APPROVE THE PENNDOT "APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL EVENTS" FOR THE OUT OF THE DARKNESS SUICIDE PREVENTION WALK SPONSORED BY THE AMERICAN FOUNDATION FOR SUICIDE PREVENTION FOR 9-28-2024.

DEPARTMENTAL DISCUSSION:

Councilman Joseph DeThomas -

Councilman Andrew Callan-

Councilman Joe Pintola -

Councilman Ken Westcott -

Mayor JoJo Burgess-

Solicitor Jack Cambest -

• The next Regular Council Meeting will be held at 6:00 P.M. on Thursday, May 2, 2024, in Council Chambers and the next Agenda Meeting will be held on Monday, April 29, 2024 at 6:00 P.M.

- The City Police Department is partnering with the Washington County Sheriffs and Washington County Drug and Alcohol for National Drug Take Back Day. Drop Off Location will be held at the Washington Community Pavilion on South Main Street on Saturday, April 27, 2024 from 10:00 A.M. until 2:00 P.M.
- Kite Day at Washington Park Stone Pavilion will be Saturday, April 27, 2024, from 12:00
 P.M. until 3:00 P.M.
- Running of the Wools will be held on Saturday, May 4, 2024.
- Community Blessing Service will be held on Sunday, May 5, 2024.
- The Whiskey Rebellion Festival at the Community Pavilion will be held on July 13, 2024.
- First Friday at the Community Pavilion with Pony League is August 2, 2024.
- Back to School Bash with W&J will be held on Saturday, August 24, 2024.

Motion to adjourn the meeting.