

Chattanooga City Council Chattanooga, Tennessee John P. Franklin, Sr. City Council Building **COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES** June 14, 2022 6:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER

Council Chairman Darrin Ledford called the meeting to order. A quorum of eight was present that also included Vice Chair Raquetta Dotley and Councilpersons Carol Berz, Demetrus Coonrod, Chip Henderson, Isiah Hester, Marvene Noel, and Ken Smith. Councilwoman Jenny Hill was not present at this meeting. Others present were Emily O'Donnell, City Attorney. [Editor's Note: Attorney O'Donnell filled in for the Clerk during this open meeting to read all legislation into the record.] Video of the meeting is available on YouTube by clicking <u>here</u>.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Councilwoman Berz led the Assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF LAST MINUTES

On motion of Councilman Henderson and seconded by Councilman Hester, the minutes of the last meeting (June 7, 2022) were approved as published.

ORDINANCES – FINAL READING:

On motion of Councilwoman Berz and seconded by Councilman Smith,

ORDINANCE #13840

AN ORDINANCE, HEREINAFTER ALSO KNOWN AS "THE FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023 OPERATIONS BUDGET", PROVIDING REVENUE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2022, AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2023; APPROPRIATING SAME TO THE PAYMENT OF EXPENSES OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT; FIXING THE RATE OF TAXATION ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN THE CITY, AND THE TIME TAXES AND PRIVILEGES ARE DUE, HOW THEY SHALL BE PAID, WHEN THEY SHALL BECOME DELINQUENT; PROVIDING FOR INTEREST AND PENALTY ON DELINQUENT TAXES AND PRIVILEGES; AMENDING CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 2, SECTION 2-267, RELATIVE TO PAID LEAVE FOR ACTIVE DUTY TRAINING, AND TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 31, SECTIONS 31-36, 31-37, 31-41, AND 31-43, SECTIONS 31-322 AND 31-354.

The motion carried unanimously (8-0) upon roll call vote as follows:

Coonrod	YES	Smith	YES
Noel	YES	Hester	YES
Berz	YES	Dotley	YES
Henderson	YES	Ledford	YES

ACTION: ORDINANCE 13840 APPROVED

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

ORDINANCE #13841

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING, AUTHORIZING, OR ALLOCATING FUNDS TO THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023.

The motion carried unanimously (8-0) upon roll call vote as follows:

Coonrod	YES	Smith	YES
Noel	YES	Hester	YES
Berz	YES	Dotley	YES
Henderson	YES	Ledford	YES

ACTION: ORDINANCE 13841 APPROVED

On motion of Councilwoman Berz and seconded by Councilman Smith,

ORDINANCE #13842

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 11, SECTIONS 11-186 AND 11-199 RELATIVE TO HOTELS AND ROOMING HOUSES, AND SHALL INCLUDE SHORT-TERM VACATION RENTALS, AND PRIVILEGE TAX LEVIED USE.

The motion carried.

ACTION: ORDINANCE 13842 APPROVED

ORDINANCES – FIRST READING:

<u>2022-0107</u> <u>David Fidati c/o Wise Construction</u> <u>Planning Commission Version</u> <u>District No. 2</u>

Agenda Item VI(a):

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 713 HAMILTON AVENUE, FROM E-RM-3 URBAN EDGE RESIDENTIAL MULTI-UNIT ZONE TO E-CX-3 URBAN EDGE COMMERCIAL MIXED USE ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

Chairman Ledford had informed the Council that the Applicant requested to defer this matter for one week. **Councilwoman Berz moved** to defer one week. Councilwoman Noel seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: DEFERRED TO JUNE 21, 2022

<u>2022-0120</u> <u>Matthew Mucciolo</u> <u>Planning Version #2</u> <u>District No. 2</u>

Agenda Item VI(b):

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 3820, 3834, AND 3836 HIXSON PIKE, FROM R-1 RESIDENTIAL ZONE AND R-4 SPECIAL ZONE TO C-2 CONVENIENCE COMMERCIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

Councilman Henderson informed the Council that an additional condition needed to be added to this item. Since Councilwoman Hill was not present to present the condition, **Councilman Henderson moved** to defer to June 21, 2022. Councilman Smith seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: DEFERRED TO JUNE 21, 2022

<u>2022-0115</u> <u>Mike Croxall</u> <u>Planning Commission Version</u> <u>District No. 3</u>

On motion of Councilman Smith and seconded by Vice Chair Dotley,

ORDINANCE #13843

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2149 CRESCENT CLUB DRIVE, FROM R-1 RESIDENTIAL ZONE TO R-T/Z RESIDENTIAL TOWNHOUSE/ZERO LOT LINE ZONE.

The motion carried.

<u>2022-0111</u> <u>Collier Construction</u> <u>Planning Commission Version</u> <u>District No. 4</u>

On motion of Vice Chair Dotley and seconded by Councilman Smith,

ORDINANCE #13844

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1040 GIVENS ROAD, FROM R-1 RESIDENTIAL ZONE TO R-3 RESIDENTIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

The motion carried.

ACTION: PASSED ON FIRST READING

<u>2022-0103</u> <u>Humberto Corona</u> <u>Planning Commission Version</u> <u>District No. 5</u>

Agenda Item VI(e):

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 509 AIRPORT ROAD, FROM R-4 SPECIAL ZONE WITH CONDITIONS TO C-2 CONVENIENCE COMMERCIAL ZONE.

The Applicant was not present; however, Opposition was present. **Councilman Hester moved** to deny. Councilwoman Berz seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: DENIED

<u>2022-0105</u> <u>Chattanooga Metro Airport Authority</u> <u>Planning Commission Version</u> District No. 5

On motion of Councilman Hester and seconded by Councilwoman Berz,

ORDINANCE #13845

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 101 CEDAR LANE, 103 JUBILEE DRIVE, 5959 AND 5995 BRAINERD ROAD, AND 5707 LEE HIGHWAY, FROM R-1 RESIDENTIAL ZONE, M-2 LIGHT INDUSTRIAL ZONE, AND C-2 CONVENIENCE COMMERCIAL ZONE TO M-1 MANUFACTURING ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

The motion carried.

<u>2022-0110</u> Ingram, Gore & Associates District No. <u>5</u>

On motion of Councilman Hester and seconded by Vice Chair Dotley,

ORDINANCE #13846

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO LIFT ALL CONDITIONS FROM ORDINANCE NO. 13516 OF PREVIOUS CASE NO. 2019-0152 FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 603 AIRPORT ROAD.

The motion carried.

ACTION: PASSED ON FIRST READING

<u>2022-0116</u> <u>Reed L. Pond c/o Pond Holdings, LLC</u> <u>Planning Commission Version</u> <u>District No. 5</u>

On motion of Councilman Hester and seconded by Councilwoman Berz,

ORDINANCE #13847

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 5920 PINE GROVE TRAIL, FROM R-1 RESIDENTIAL ZONE TO R-3 RESIDENTIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

The motion carried.

ACTION: PASSED ON FIRST READING

<u>2022-0118</u> <u>Benjamin Phillips</u> <u>District No. 5</u>

On motion of Councilman Hester and seconded by Councilwoman Berz,

ORDINANCE #13848

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO AMEND CONDITION NO. 1 IN ORDINANCE NO. 13672 OF PREVIOUS CASE NO. 2021-0030 FOR THE PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 3698 AND 3710 FAITH ROAD.

The motion carried.

<u>2022-0104</u> <u>Wesley Thompson</u> <u>Planning Commission Version</u> <u>District No. 7</u>

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

ORDINANCE #13849

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1412 EAST 49TH STREET, FROM R-1 RESIDENTIAL ZONE TO R-2 RESIDENTIAL ZONE.

The motion carried.

ACTION: PASSED ON FIRST READING

<u>2022-0114</u> <u>Ben Parker Company</u> <u>District No. 7</u>

On motion of Vice Chair Dotley and seconded by Councilwoman Noel,

ORDINANCE #13850

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO LIFT CONDITIONS FROM ORDINANCE NO. 10349 OF PREVIOUS CASE NO. 1995-0293 FOR THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2811 SOUTH HICKORY STREET.

The motion carried.

ACTION: PASSED ON FIRST READING

<u>2022-0108</u> <u>JW Holdings, GP</u> <u>Planning Commission Version</u> <u>District No. 8</u>

On motion of Councilwoman Noel and seconded by Councilman Hester,

ORDINANCE #13851

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 1300 AND 1304 BENNETT AVENUE, FROM M-2 LIGHT INDUSTRIAL ZONE TO C-2 CONVENIENCE COMMERCIAL ZONE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

The motion carried.

A hearing ensued about Agenda Item VI(m):

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, ZONING ORDINANCE, SO AS TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1817 RIDGEWOOD DRIVE, FROM R-2 RESIDENTIAL ZONE TO R-T/Z RESIDENTIAL TOWNHOUSE/ZERO LOT LINE ZONE.

Karen Rennich, Deputy Director of Regional Planning, gave the staff presentation on this item. She also responded to questions from Councilman Henderson and Vice Chair Dotley. After which, Chairman Ledford opened the floor to hear from members of the Applicant and the Opposition.

The Applicant:

• Brad Brackett (Ragan Smith) – He discussed why R-T/Z was requested and the problems with the site plan's configuration. He discussed wanting an increase of two units to a total of four.

The Opposition:

- **Ron Richar** He voiced concerns about the homes surrounding the property, the location, and noise from the interstate. He supports the Planning Commission's recommendation to deny.
- Julia Smith She lives on the street and voiced concerns about erosion causing property damage, the narrowness of the road causing problems for emergency vehicles. She is also concerned with a lack of city utility service at the property and a condemned house still standing on the street.
- Christian [last name indiscernible] He lives on the street and voiced concerns about the infrastructure not supporting the development, the narrowness of the road, and insufficient parking for additional cars. He is also concerns with trash pickup and utility vehicles having a hard time accessing the street and blocking traffic when present.

Discussion ensued, with Chairman Ledford questioning Ms. Rennich to see if other options were available. Councilwoman Berz questioned the Applicant about his client in this matter and the intent of his client with this property. Councilwoman Coonrod discussed problems with the price point of housing in the area. Upon no further discussion, **Councilwoman Coonrod moved** to deny. Councilman Henderson seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: DENIED

RESOLUTIONS:

On motion of Councilman Smith and seconded by Vice Chair Dotley,

RESOLUTION #31147

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS DESIGNEE TO ENTER INTO A LICENSE AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, IN SUBSTANTIALLY THE FORM ATTACHED, TO MAINTAIN A MULTI-USE PATH UNDERNEATH THE SOUTH CHICKAMAUGA CREEK BRIDGE ON SR-17 AT MILE MARKER 8.240 FOR A TERM OF TEN (10) YEARS, FOR AN ANNUAL FEE OF \$0.00 (ZERO DOLLARS), AND WITH THE LICENSE AGREEMENT BEING RENEWABLE.

The motion carried.

ACTION: ADOPTED

On motion of Councilwoman Berz and seconded by Councilman Henderson,

RESOLUTION #31148

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING A FIVE-YEAR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN FOR FISCAL YEARS 2023-2027, SUBJECT TO FUTURE REVISION; A COPY OF WHICH IS ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE A PART HEREOF BY REFERENCE.

The motion carried.

ACTION: ADOPTED

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

RESOLUTION #31149

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE INTENT OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA TO ISSUE BONDS IN THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$30,500,000.00 FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING ALL OR A THE COST OF THE FOLLOWING PORTION OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS: HOUSING FUND. ROAD CONSTRUCTION. ROAD SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION, **RESURFACING**, SIDEWALK REPLACEMENT, LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTER, FIRE APPARATUS, FIRE STATION 15 REPLACEMENT, CITY FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS, AND OTHER CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT BUDGET.

The motion carried.

ACTION: ADOPTED

On motion of Councilman Hester and seconded by Councilwoman Berz,

RESOLUTION #31150

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY TO ENGAGE THE FOLLOWING FIRMS FOR LEGAL AND LOBBYING (1) CHAMBLISS, BAHNER & STOPHEL, P.C.; (2) SERVICES: GEARHISER, PETERS, ELLIOTT & CANNON, PLLC; (3) FROST BROWN TODD, LLC; (4) LUTHER ANDERSON, PLLP; (5) MILLER & MARTIN PLLC; (6) TIDWELL & ASSOCIATES, P.C.; (7) PATY, RYMER AND ULIN, P.C.; (8) JANIE VARNELL WITH DAVIS & HOSS, P.C.; (9) EVANS, HARRISON & HACKETT, PLLC; (10) AUTUMN WITT BOYD; (11) BASS, BERRY & SIMS; BUTLER SNOW LLP; (12) CHAMBLISS, BAHNER & STOPHEL, P.C.; (13) HUSCH BLACKWELL; (14) AMANDA N. JELKS (JELKS LAW); (15) KATTEN MUCHIN ROSENMAN LLP; (16) KING & SPAULDING LLP; (17) WALLER LANSDEN DORTCH & DAVIS LLP; (18) BRIAN KOPET OF THE TITLE GUARANTY AND TRUST COMPANY OF CHATTANOOGA: (19) BRADLEY ARANT BOULT CUMMINGS, LLP; (20) REIFERS, HOLMES & PETERS, LLC (FORMERLY BOYLE BRASHER LLC); (21) BRIGHTSHARE CONSULTING; (22) TUNE, ENTREKIN & WHITE, PC; AND (23) BRIDGE PUBLIC AFFAIRS, FOR THE PERIOD OF JULY 1, 2022, THROUGH JUNE 30, 2023.

The motion carried.

ACTION: ADOPTED

PROCEDURAL NOTE: With no objection from the Council, Chairman Ledford instructed Attorney O'Donnell to group and read the next two resolutions for one Council vote.

RESOLUTION #31151

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING MAYOR KELLY'S APPOINTMENT OF TARA VILAND TO THE BEER & WRECKER BOARD FOR DISTRICT 2, WITH A TERM EXPIRATION OF JULY 31, 2024.

RESOLUTION #31152

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING MAYOR KELLY'S APPOINTMENT OF OWEN SEATON TO THE BEER & WRECKER BOARD FOR DISTRICT 1, WITH A TERM EXPIRATION OF JULY 31, 2024.

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

ACTION: RESOLUTIONS 31151 & 31152 ADOPTED

On motion of Councilman Hester and seconded by Councilwoman Berz,

RESOLUTION #31153

A RESOLUTION APPROVING A SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS PERMIT FOR A RESIDENTIAL PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT FOR THE PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 3698 AND 3710 FAITH ROAD.

Councilman Hester confirmed with Attorney O'Donnell that the site plan would be attached to this resolution. The motion carried.

ACTION: ADOPTED

On motion of Councilwoman Noel and seconded by Councilwoman Berz,

RESOLUTION #31154

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS TO APPROVE CHANGE ORDER NO. 1 (FINAL), WITH DAVIS KEE OUTDOOR, OF CHATTANOOGA, TN, FOR CONTRACT NO. Y-15-008-204, AVONDALE YOUTH AND FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CENTER LANDSCAPING PROJECT, FOR AN INCREASE OF \$11,007.00 FOR FINAL RECONCILIATION OF UNIT PAY ITEMS, FOR A REVISED CONTRACT AMOUNT OF \$119,902.00.

The motion carried.

ACTION: ADOPTED

On motion of Councilman Hester and seconded by Councilwoman Berz,

RESOLUTION #31155

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS TO AWARD THE CONTINUING ON-CALL PROFESSIONAL SURVEYING SERVICES BLANKET CONTRACT NO. E-22-002-901, WITH THE FOLLOWING EIGHT CONSULTANT FIRMS: (1) ASA ENGINEERING AND CONSULTING, INC.; (2) BARGE DESIGN SOLUTIONS, INC.; (3) CONSOR ENGINEERS, LLC; (4) CROY ENGINEERING, LLC; (5) EARTHWORX, LLC; (6) RAGAN SMITH ASSOCIATES, INC.; (7) THE RLS GROUP, LLC; AND (8) VAUGHN & MELTON CONSULTING ENGINEERS, INC., BASED UPON THEIR QUALIFICATIONS WITHIN THE IDENTIFIED SERVICE CATEGORIES, FOR YEAR ONE (1) OF A FOUR (4) YEAR TERM, FOR AN ANNUAL AMOUNT OF \$1 MILLION, FOR USE BY ALL DEPARTMENTS.

The motion carried.

ACTION: ADOPTED

On motion of Councilman Hester and seconded by Vice Chair Dotley,

RESOLUTION #31156

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING MAYOR KELLY TO AMEND THE HAMILTON PLACE BOULEVARD MODIFICATION CONTRACT, PIN 127492, FOR THE TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (TDOT) TO EXECUTE THE RIGHT-OF-WAY PHASE, FEDERALLY FUNDED PROJECT ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, WITH THE CITY'S TWENTY (20%) PERCENT SHARE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$440,800.00, WITH RIGHT-OF-WAY COSTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,204,000.00.

ACTION: ADOPTED

DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS:

Proposed Purchases

Brent Goldberg, Chief Financial Officer, briefed the Council on the following proposed purchases:

Sewer Line Chemica	sources Division, Public Works I Root Control Services Duke's Root Control Inc 1020 Hiawatha Blvd. West Syracuse, NY 13204	\$200,000.00
200244-2 Waste Res Wet Weather Polyme Lowest/Best Bidder:		\$375,000.00
Generator Hauling Se	sources Division, Public Works ervices Doug Yates Towing & Recovery 2220 E 23rd St Chattanooga, TN 37407	\$50,000.00
Biosolids Data Manag	sources Division, Public Works gement Materials Matters, Inc. 206 S Market Street Elizabethtown, PA 17022	\$200,000.00
 200253-2 Parks and Outdoors Waste & Recycling Receptacles Lowest/Best Bidders: 1. Recycle Away LLC - 35 Frost St., Brattleboro, VT 05301; and 2. SiteScapes Inc 2401 Production Dr., Roca, NE 68430 		\$194,736.80

558200 Facilities, Pu Paint & Paint Supplie Lowest/Best Bidder:		\$100,000.00
557913 Facilities, Pu Janitorial & Cleaning Lowest/Best Bidder:		\$150,000.00
548762 Parks and O Playground & Outdoo Lowest/Best Bidder:		Increase of \$551,000 for a total estimated annual spend of \$1,156,000
Dry/Frozen Food Item	ng/Head Start Division Ins Institutional Wholesale Company, Inc. P. O. Box 458 Cookeville, TN 38503	\$400,000.00
Street Maintenance 8	Quality Division, Public Works River Sand for Pickup or Delivery Ramsey Trucking, Inc 731 Pineville Road Chattanooga, TN 37405	\$25,000.00
200269,2 Water Qua Water Analysis/Labor Lowest/Best Bidder:		\$60,000.00
200265-2 Park and C Outdoor Recreational Lowest/Best Bidder:		\$25,668.38
REQ117984 Early Le Furniture for Head Sta Lowest/Best Bidder:		\$219,717.58

Councilwoman Berz moved to approve. Vice Chair Dotley seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: ALL PURCHASES APPROVED

RFP Recommendation

Mr. Goldberg also requested approval for the following as a Competitive Sealed Proposal instead of a Competitive Sealed Bid in compliance with City Code 2-554:

DEPARTMENT	SUMMARY	DOCUMENTATION LINK
Information Technology Services	City of Chattanooga Website - We have an outline of what type of delivery is needed. There are multiple vendors qualified to do the work. The CoC Team will need to evaluate the best vendor suited for the implementation based on the percentages provided. This was originally approved on March 15, 2022, but there have been changes in the Evaluation Criteria that needs to be re-approved by Council.	REQ117190; RFP Format Determination Form, Updated

Councilman Smith moved to approve issuing the RFP. Councilman Hester seconded. The motion carried.

ACTION: ISSUANCE OF RFP APPROVED

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Budget and Finance Committee

Councilwoman Berz reported:

• The final reading of the FY23 budgets took place tonight, completing the budget process.

Economic Development Committee Councilwoman Coonrod (No report)

Education and Innovation Committee Councilwoman Noel (No report)

Equity and Community Development Committee Vice Chair Dotley (No report)

Legislative Committee Councilman Smith (No report)

Planning and Zoning Committee Councilwoman Hill (Not present)

Parks and Public Works

Councilman Hester reported:

• The committee met today in open meeting and heard a presentation updating the Council on the Consent Decree.

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Public Safety Committee Councilman Henderson (No report)

RECOGNITION OF PERSONS WISHING TO ADDRESS COUNCIL (Listen and view on YouTube <u>here</u>)

Attorney O'Donnell read the rules of procedure for persons wishing to address the Council. After which, Chairman Ledford recognized the following persons:

Speaker Name	District	Primary Topics:
Elizabeth Adkins	8	Raises for OFE grant program employees
<u>Rahsza Saleed</u>	(N/A)	Raises for OFE grant program employees
<u>Kent Dixon</u>	(N/A)	Raises for OFE grant program employees
• <u>Marie Mott</u>	8	Health and safety/Document on behalf of grieving mothers
<u>Betty Maddox Battle</u>	(N/A)	Impact of gun violence/Support for grieving mothers at grievingrelations.org
<u>Rev. Anthony Chatman</u>	(N/A)	Questions about conflict of interest with city-contracted attorneys
• <u>Jamika Johnson</u>	(N/A)	Sick of gun violence/Son murdered in 2018
<u>Satedra Smith</u>	(N/A)	Son lost to gun violence in 1999/reaching out to organizations working to stop violence
<u>Monty Bell</u>	(N/A)	Court order/Financial judgement
Audrey Ramsey	1	Holistic health programs to help youth
• <u>Savannah Guffey</u>	(N/A)	Grassroots organizations needing support/Lack of trust in elected officials
• <u>Tasha Rose</u>	8	Nephew lost to gun violence in 2017/fear for her children's lives in East Lake Courts

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Councilwoman Berz, Chairman Ledford adjourned the meeting of the Chattanooga City Council until Tuesday, June 21, 2022, at 6:00 p.m.

CHAIRMAN

CLERK OF COUNCIL