

LEGAL NOTICE

A regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Oak Ridge, Tennessee convened at 7:00 p.m. on August 8, 2022 with Mayor Warren Gooch presiding.

INVOCATION

The invocation was led by Pastor Robert Melton, Milestone Church.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Councilmember Chuck Hope.

ROLL CALL: Upon roll call, the following councilmembers were present: Councilmember Kelly Callison; Mayor Pro Tem Rick Chinn; Councilmember Jim Dodson; Mayor Warren Gooch; Councilmember Derrick Hammond; Councilmember Charles J. Hope, Jr., and Councilmember Ellen Smith.

Also present were Mark Watson, City Manager; Tammy Dunn, City Attorney; and Mary Beth Hickman, City Clerk.

THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS WERE TAKEN:

PROCLAMATIONS AND PUBLIC RECOGNITIONS

Approved a proclamation recognizing Oak Ridge Fire Department Captain Jake Stafford on the occasion of his retirement.

CONSENT AGENDA

Approved the following:

July 11, 2022 Oak Ridge City Council Regular Meeting minutes

Confirmation of sixteen (16) members to the Youth Advisory Board

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING BYLAWS AND RULES AND PROCEDURES FOR THE TRADE LICENSING BOARD.

A RESOLUTION TO AMEND RESOLUTION 6-52-2022 PERTAINING TO THE CITY'S CONTRACT WITH PUBLIC ENTITY PARTNERS TO INCREASE THE COMPENSATION FROM \$772,667.00 TO \$772,691.00.

Removed from the Consent Agenda and approved the following:

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH BARGE DESIGN SOLUTIONS, INC., KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE, FOR SURVEY, DESIGN, BIDDING SERVICES, CONSTRUCTION ADMINISTRATION, AND RESIDENT OBSERVATION.

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO ACCEPT A DIRECT APPROPRIATION GRANT FROM THE STATE OF TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (TDOT) IN THE AMOUNT OF \$11,000,000.00 FOR THE OAK RIDGE GENERAL AVIATION AIRPORT.

Deferred the following item until an August 16, 2022 special meeting:

A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN UPDATE TO THE COMPENSATION PLAN TO ADD THE POSITION OF METER READER EFFECTIVE AUGUST 1, 2022

PUBLIC HEARINGS AND FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES

The following ordinances listed below were approved on first reading. The ordinances have been published on the City's website in their entirety (<http://www.oakridgetn.gov>). The ordinances are also available at the Oak Ridge Public Library and at the Office of the City Clerk in the Municipal Building during regular office hours. The

ordinances are scheduled for second reading on September 12, 2022.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE SOUTH HILLS DEVELOPMENT, NOW KNOWN AS THE GROVES PARK COMMONS, TRADITIONAL NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT (TND) MASTER PLAN FOR ANDERSON COUNTY TAX MAP 105K, GROUP A, PARCEL 001.00, CONSISTING OF APPROXIMATELY 75.13 ACRES; SAID AMENDMENT DOES NOT CHANGE THE ZONING DISTRICT, WHICH REMAINS TND, TRADITIONAL NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 2, TITLED "THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF OAK RIDGE, TENNESSEE," BY AMENDING THE ZONING MAP WHICH IS MADE A PART OF THE ORDINANCE BY CHANGING THE ZONING DISTRICT OF ROANE COUNTY TAX MAP 021, PARCEL 002.00, ALSO KNOWN AS HORIZON CENTER DEVELOPMENT AREA/LOT 6A, CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 110 ACRES, FROM IND-2, INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT, TO IND-3, INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT.

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AN ORDINANCE TO SUBMIT A CHANGE TO THE CITY CHARTER TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE XI, SECTION 9, OF THE TENNESSEE CONSTITUTION AS A HOME RULE MUNICIPALITY, TO AMEND CITY CHARTER ARTICLE II, SECTION 8, TO REQUIRE A SUMMARY OF COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS TO BE PUBLISHED ON THE CITY'S WEBSITE INSTEAD OF REQUIRING PUBLICATION IN THE NEWSPAPER.

AN ORDINANCE TO SUBMIT A CHANGE TO THE CITY CHARTER TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE XI, SECTION 9, OF THE TENNESSEE CONSTITUTION AS A HOME RULE MUNICIPALITY, TO AMEND CITY CHARTER ARTICLE III, SECTION 12, TO AUTHORIZE CITY COUNCIL TO DESIGNATE MULTIPLE OFFICIAL CITY NEWSPAPERS AND INCLUDE A WEBSITE IN THE DEFINITION OF OFFICIAL CITY NEWSPAPER.

FINAL ADOPTION OF ORDINANCES

The following ordinance was adopted on second reading and will become effective on August 18, 2022. The ordinance has been published on the City's website in its entirety (<http://www.oakridgetn.gov>). The ordinance is also available at the Oak Ridge Public Library and at the Office of the City Clerk in the Municipal Building during regular office hours.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 2, TITLED "THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF OAK RIDGE, TENNESSEE," BY AMENDING SECTION 14.07, TITLED "SIGNS FOR RESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS," SECTION 14.09, TITLED "SIGNS FOR EDUCATION DISTRICTS," AND SECTION 14.22, TITLED "MOVING COPY (ELECTRONIC MESSAGE CENTER (EMC)) SIGNS," TO EXPAND THE USE OF ELECTRONIC SIGNS IN RESIDENTIAL AND EDUCATION DISTRICTS AND TO MODIFY SIGN CONDITIONS IN EDUCATION DISTRICTS REGARDING MAXIMUM SIZE AND ILLUMINATION TIME WHEN NEAR PARKS OR RESIDENCES.

RESOLUTIONS

Approved the following:

A RESOLUTION AWARDED A CONTRACT (FY2023-020) TO M&M PIPE SERVICES, LLC, CLINTON, TENNESSEE, FOR THE SANITARY SEWER MANHOLE REHABILITATION PROJECT IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$121,300.00.

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO TRANSMIT COMMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY ("DOE") ON THE DRAFT SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT FOR LONG-TERM MANAGEMENT AND STORAGE OF ELEMENTAL MERCURY.

ELECTIONS/APPOINTMENTS

Elected Luca Filigenzi to a two-year term on the Environmental Quality Advisory Board

Elected Dylan Hodge to a one-year term on the Traffic Safety Advisory Board.

Appointed Mayor Pro Tem Chinn, Councilmember Callison and Councilmember Hope to the City Attorney Evaluation Committee.

Appointed Councilmember Dodson, Councilmember Hammond, and Councilmember Smith to the City Manager Evaluation Committee.

ADJOURNMENT: 9:58 p.m.

Mary Beth Hickman, City Clerk
CITY OF OAK RIDGE, TENNESSEE