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ATHENS CITY COUNCIL
MONDAY, MARCH 1, 2021
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7:00 P.M.

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PUBLIC HEARING: UNION STREET DRD

REGULAR SESSION:

1. Establish Quorum
2. Executive Session:
 - Imminent Litigation
3. Disposition of Minutes:
 - Regular Session of City Council held February 15, 2021
4. Communications
5. Reports and Communications from Other Elected Officials
6. Ordinances for Third Reading:

0-12-21

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING UNNEEDED OR OBSOLETE MUNICIPAL PERSONAL PROPERTY TO BE SOLD BY INTERNET AUCTION.
Introduced by Council Member Crowl

0-13-21

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2021 STAFFING LEVELS AUTHORIZED BY ORDINANCE 141-20. Introduced by Council Member Crowl

0-17-21

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING A SPECIAL RIGHT-OF-WAY PERMIT TO THE UNIVERSITY ESTATES HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, TO ALLOW A GUARD HOUSE STRUCTURE ON UNIVERSITY ESTATES BOULEVARD AT THE STATE ROUTE 682 ENTRANCE. Introduced by Council Member Fahl

7. Ordinances for Second Reading:

0-19-21

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 63-20; CONSTRUCTION AND CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING OF THE STIMSON AVENUE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT (#315). Introduced by Council Member Crowl

0-20-21

AN ORDINANCE TO ADVANCE FUNDS FROM THE GENERAL FUND TO THE PARKING GARAGE FUND; AND AMENDING THE 2021 APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE. Introduced by Council Member Crowl

0-23-21

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 120-20; AUTHORIZING THE ARTS/WEST FIBER BROADBAND PROJECT (#334). Introduced by Council Member Grace

0-24-21

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DESIGN AND INSTALLATION OF A GENERATOR TO SERVE BOTH THE CITY BUILDING AND THE LAW ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, PROJECT (#336).
Introduced by Council Member Grace

0-25-21

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT WITH THE WASHINGTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.
Introduced by Council Member Grace

8. Ordinances for First Reading:

0-26-21

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF \$290,000 OF NOTES BY THE CITY OF ATHENS, OHIO, IN ANTICIPATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF RENEWING NOTES PREVIOUSLY ISSUED TO PAY PART OF THE COSTS OF ACQUIRING NEW PARKING METERS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Council Member Crowl

0-27-21

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 29-20 TO INCREASE THE AUTHORIZED EXPENDITURE FOR THE RICHLAND AVENUE PEDESTRIAN PASSAGEWAY PROJECT (#311). Introduced by Council Member Kotses

0-28-21

AN
ORDINANCE CREATING THE UNION STREET DOWNTOWN REDEVELOPMENT

DISTRICT (DRD) IN THE CITY OF ATHENS; DECLARING THE IMPROVEMENT TO CERTAIN PARCELS OF REAL PROPERTY TO BE A PUBLIC PURPOSE AND EXEMPT FROM TAXATION; REQUIRING THE OWNER OF THE PARCELS TO MAKE SERVICE PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES; SPECIFYING THE PLAN FOR USING SERVICE PAYMENTS TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND JOB CREATION; AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN; AND ESTABLISHING A FUND FOR THE DEPOSIT OF SUCH SERVICE PAYMENTS. Introduced by All Members of Council

0-29-21

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CERTAIN SECTIONS OF THE ATHENS CITY CODE TO PROVIDE LANGUAGE CONSISTENCY. Introduced by Council Member Fahl

0-30-21

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ATHENS CITY CODE, TITLE 3, ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS, SECTIONS 3.07.41, 3.07.42, AND 3.07.43 OF THE ATHENS RECREATION PROGRAM ADVISORY COMMITTEE.
Introduced by Council Member Fahl

0-31-21

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ATHENS CITY CODE, TITLE 3, ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS, SECTION 3.07.50, ESTABLISHMENT OF THE ATHENS MUNICIPAL ARTS COMMISSION. Introduced by Council Member Fahl

0-32-21

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ATHENS CITY CODE, TITLE 33, SHADE TREE COMMISSION, SECTION 33.01.01, COMMISSION MEMBERSHIP.
Introduced by Council Member Fahl

9. Announcements & Other Business:

- Reappointments to the Income Tax Review Board
- Motion to Accept the November and December, 2020 Credit Card Transactions

10. Opportunity for Citizens to Speak on Legislative Items and City Services Not Covered on the Agenda

11. Adjournment

Chris Knisely
President of Council

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