

AGENDA

ATHENS CITY COUNCIL

TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 2012, 6:00 P.M.

I. CALL TO ORDER – Mayor Buttram

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. INVOCATION – Mayor Buttram

IV. ROLL CALL

* **V. MINUTES** – March 20, 2012 – Regular Meeting

VI. COMMUNICATIONS

a.) Employee of Quarter Presentation

* b.) Presentation of VIVID Award – Chris Hari

c.) Miscellaneous Correspondence

VII. PETITIONS AND REQUESTS

a.) Requests from Audience – **(three-minute time limit per speaker)**

VIII. REPORTS

* a.) Finance Department Report

* b.) Police Department Report

* c.) Fire Department Report

* d.) Community Development Quarterly Report

IX. CONSENT AGENDA

* a.) Approve Resolution No. 2012-14 to close and abandon forty foot (40 ft.) right-of-way between Woodward and Sherwood Avenues;

* b.) Approve Resolution No. 2012-15 to close and abandon right-of-way on north side of Sherwood Avenue between Royal Street and Knoxville Avenue;

* c.) Approve Resolution No. 2012-16 authorizing the acceptance of a Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (JAG);

* d.) Approve Resolution No. 2012-17 authorizing the acceptance of 2011 Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG);

- * e.) Accept bid (Bid No. 1560 dated April 2, 2012) as submitted by MES for Athens Fire Department uniforms;
- * f.) Reject bids (Bid No. 1560 dated April 2, 2012) for Athens Police Department uniforms;
- * g.) Approve staff's recommendation to declare the following as surplus property and authorize public sale or disposal thereof: one (1) 2000 Ford Explorer, one (1) 1994 Chevrolet 2500 Pickup Truck, two (2) 2001 Ford F150 Pickup Trucks; one (1) 2001 Mack Front Loader; and three (3) Dell Optiplex Computers as detailed in memorandum from Brad Harris, Finance Director dated April 4, 2012;
- * h.) Remove Billy Gaines from the Recreation Advisory Board;
- * i.) Appoint Mary Scudder to the Recreation Advisory Board, term expires June 30, 2016.

X. ORDINANCES

- * a.) ORDINANCE NO. 1002 – SECOND/FINAL READING
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ‘THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ATHENS, TENNESSEE,’ SO AS TO AMEND THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP TO REZONE PROPERTY ON SOUTH JACKSON STREET AND CANAL STREET FROM R-2 (MEDIUM DENSITY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT) TO R-4 (MOBILE HOME RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT) SAID AREA BEING LOCATED WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF ATHENS, TENNESSEE.

XI. OLD BUSINESS

XII. NEW BUSINESS

- * a.) Consideration of amendment to Chapter 1 of Title 12, Section 12-301 entitled “Electrical code adopted” of the Athens Municipal Code
- * b.) Consideration of adoption of Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Policies and Guidelines
- c.) Manager’s Report

XIII. BEER BOARD

- * a.) Package Beer Stores Permit Application– DJ’s Country Market & Deli, 1122 Congress Parkway – Denise H. and Jimmy M. Myers
- * b.) Restaurants Beer Permit Application – Michael’s Casual Dining, 2011 S. Congress Parkway – Ghassan M. Jaibat

XIV. ADJOURNMENT

**Police Department Report to City Manager
Offense Statistics**

Classification of Offenses

Offenses Reported

Part I - Crimes Against Persons	This Month	This Year	Last Year to Date
1. Homicide	0	0	1
2. Sex Offense	2	6	6
3. Robbery	1	6	6
4. Assault	16	46	40
Part II - Crime Against Property			
5. Burglary	14	47	41
6. Theft	62	185	143
7. Motor Vehicle Theft	3	12	10
Moving Violations	828	2219	1428
Drugs	34	67	80
Arrests	129	327	225

Traffic Accident Statistics

Accidents

Injuries

	This Month	This Year	Last Year to Date		This Month	This Year	Last Year to Date
Vehicle	66	189	150		21	57	33
Pedestrian	1	2	0		1	2	0
Other	13	37	31		2	10	4
Total	80	228	181		24	69	37
Priv. Prop.	34	88	67		0	4	2

Fatality

This Month	1
This Year	1
Last Year	0

Employment

Authorized Positions	31
Current Positions Filled	30
Police Dept. Vacancies	1

Prepared:
Amy B. Arnwine
City Clerk/Records Clerk

Submitted:
Charles T. Ziegler
Chief of Police

**** Private Property accidents/injuries are included in above totals.**

ATHENS FIRE DEPARTMENT INCIDENT SUMMARY TO CITY MANAGER

		MONTH OF		MARCH	2012
TYPE OF CALL	THIS MONTH	LAST YEAR	TYTD	LYTD	
RESIDENTIAL	1	4	3	6	6
COMMERCIAL	0	2	1	2	2
INDUSTRIAL	0	0	1	0	0
GRASS	1	0	3	3	3
VEH FIRES	3	2	6	4	4
TRASH FIRES	2	2	4	21	21
VEH ACC	11	6	36	16	16
FALSE ALARMS	5	6	16	47	47
OTHERS	18	14	48	0	0
MUTUAL AID	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL CALLS	41	36	118	103	103
SAVED VALUE	\$89,500	\$413,000	\$6,909,800	\$543,000	\$543,000
LOSSES					
RESIDENTIAL	\$17,500	\$86,200	\$25,000	\$116,700	\$116,700
COMMERCIAL	\$0	\$5,500	\$3,000	\$5,500	\$5,500
INDUSTRIAL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
VEHICLE	\$11,000	\$10,150	\$27,500	\$15,150	\$15,150
MISC	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
TOTALS	\$28,500	\$101,850	\$55,500	\$137,350	\$137,350
ST INSPECTIONS	1		4		
SAFETY SURVEYS	62	32	127	147	147
VIOLATIONS	157	64	331	332	332
PUBLIC EDU	370	377	370	922	922
FIREFIGHTER TRAINING					
FULL TIME ACADEMIC	378	432	1118	794	794
FULL TIME PRACTICAL	325	258	689	886	886
VOLUNTEER ACADEMIC	0	1	0	5	5
VOLUNTEER PRACTICAL	0	1	0	10	10
PERSONNEL		ALLOWANCE		EMPLOYED	
FULLTIME		22		22	
VOLUNTEERS		25		8	