

**ALEXANDRIA CITY COUNCIL  
REGULAR COUNCIL AGENDA  
TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 2021  
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS- 5:00 P.M.**

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**PERSONS DESIRING TO ADDRESS THE COUNCIL SHALL  
INFORM THE PRESIDENT AT THE APPROPRIATE AGENDA ITEM**

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

**B. INVOCATION**

**C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**D. ROLL CALL**

**E. APPROVAL OF MINUTES TAKEN FROM A REGULAR  
MEETING HELD ON MARCH 9, 2021.**

**F. TO RECEIVE THE MAYOR'S PROPOSED OPERATING AND  
CAPITAL BUDGETS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021/2022.**

**G. CONSENT CALENDAR**

- 1) Introduction of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to accept the low bid submitted for janitorial supplies.
- 2) Introduction of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to accept the low bid submitted for electric meters and accessories.
- 3) Introduction of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to accept the low bid submitted for construction and maintenance materials.
- 4) Introduction of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to accept the low bid submitted for herbicides.
- 5) Introduction of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to accept the low bid submitted for operating chemicals for Wastewater Department.

- 6) Introduction of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to accept the low bid for repair of CMU Wall and Roof Replacement at the Wastewater Treatment Plant, Plant Shop, Vehicle Storage Building.
- 7) Introduction of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to accept the low bid submitted for hydraulic driven portable storm water pump with trailer for the Wastewater Department.
- 8) Introduction of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to renew the existing contract for the annual uniform bid for Public Safety.
- 9) Introduction of an ordinance adopting the operating budget for the City of Alexandria for fiscal year 2021/2022; to make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of all city divisions, departments, offices and agencies, pensions and otherwise providing with respect to the expenditures of appropriations; adopting the capital budget for the City of Alexandria for fiscal year 2021/2022; appropriating funds for the capital budget for the City of Alexandria for fiscal year 2021/2022 and providing for capital expenditures; and other matters with respect to appropriations and the expenditure of funds pertaining thereto.
- 10) Introduction of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to enter into a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Coughlin-Saunders Foundation to receive funds for an Art Project and to provide for the expenditure of grant funds and matters related thereto.
- 11) Introduction of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to renew the existing contract for Professional Auctioneering Services.
- 12) Introduction of an ordinance amending the 2020-2021 Capital Budget by adding funds for LSU-A Downtown Campus.

- 13) Introduction of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to enter into a grant agreement with the Rapides Foundation to fund construction of a walking trail at Johnny Downs Sports Complex.
- 14) Introduction of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to enter into all contracts for the Alex RiverFete, Downtown Rocks Series, Rock the Red and Alex WinterFete.
- 15) Introduction of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to enter into an Inter-Governmental Agreement with the Rapides Parish Communication District.

## **H. RESOLUTIONS**

- 16) **RESOLUTION** confirming the appointment of June Johnson Davis to the Alexandria Human Relations Commission.
- 17) **RESOLUTION** authorizing advertisement for bids for MacArthur Drive Roadway Lighting Replacement Phase 4.
- 18) **RESOLUTION** authorizing advertisement for bids for Water Well Meter Replacement Project.

## **I. ORDINANCES FOR FINAL ADOPTION SUBJECT TO PUBLIC HEARING**

- 19) To consider final adoption of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to accept the low bid submitted for Striping and Signage for Public Streets and Other Public Properties 2021-2022.
- 20) To consider final adoption of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to accept the low bid submitted for Soccer Equipment.
- 21) To consider final adoption of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to execute Entity-State Agreement for the MPO Alexandria

Bike/Pedestrian Plan Implementation, Phase 1 (LA 1208-3, US 165 and LA 28).

- 22) To consider final adoption of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to accept the low bid submitted for operating supplies for Wastewater Department.
- 23) To consider final adoption of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to accept the low bid submitted for cast/ductile iron and related accessories.
- 24) To consider final adoption of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to accept the low bid submitted for chlorination and dechlorination equipment.
- 25) To consider final adoption of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to execute a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement for the extension of natural gas service with Old Town at Red River, LLC.
- 26) To consider final adoption of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to enter into a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement or Contract with Alexandria Dixie Girls Softball Program, Incorporated for interim use of certain fields and facilities at the Alexandria Youth Complex on Masonic Drive and other matters with respect thereto.
- 27) To consider final adoption of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to enter into a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement or Contract with Dixie Youth Baseball of Alexandria, Incorporated for interim use of certain fields and facilities at the Alexandria Youth Complex on Masonic Drive and other matters with respect thereto.
- 28) To consider final adoption of an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to enter into a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement or Contract with Alexandria Little League for interim use of certain fields and

facilities at the Alexandria Youth Complex on Masonic Drive and other matters with respect thereto.

- 29) To consider final adoption of an ordinance amending the 2020-2021 Operating Budget for HUD Grant Adjustments.

## **J. PUBLIC HEARING – COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

- 30) To hold a public hearing on the condemnation of 25 Structures.

## **K. COMMITTEES**

- 31) To hear from Finance/Legal Affairs Committee: Mr. Rubin

- 32) To hear from Utility Committee: Mr. Fowler

- 33) To hear from Personnel/Insurance Committee: Mr. Porter

- 34) To hear from Public Safety, Works, and Transportation Committee: Mrs. Perry

- 35) To hear from Economic, Workforce and Planning Development Committee: Mr. Rubin

- 36) To hear from Property and Zoning Committee: Mr. Washington

37) To hear from Community Affairs, Services and Events Committee: Mr. Washington

38) To hear from A& E Committee: Mr. Fowler

39) ANY OTHER BUSINESS, WHICH BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT MAY PROPERLY COME BEFORE THE COUNCIL.