

**A G E N D A**  
**ATHENS CITY COUNCIL**  
**TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 2021**  
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**7:00 P.M.**

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1. Establish Quorum
2. Disposition of Minutes:
  - Regular Session held December 21, 2020
3. Communications
4. Reports and Communications from Other Elected Officials
  - Law Director's 2020 Annual Report
5. Ordinances for First Reading:

**0-01-21**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT REVOLVING LOAN FUND ADMINISTRATION AGREEMENT WITH THE OHIO DEVELOPMENT SERVICES AGENCY; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Council Member Crowl

**0-02-21**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 74-20, AFFIRMING THE CITY OF ATHENS WILL PICK UP THE STATUTORILY REQUIRED CONTRIBUTION TO THE OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE EMPLOYEES OF AFSCME LOCAL 2403 PURSUANT TO INTERNAL REVENUE CODE SECTION 414(h)(2); AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Council Member Crowl

**0-03-21**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 145-17, AUTHORIZING THE CITY AUDITOR TO DEPOSIT 50% OF THE TRANSIENT GUEST TAX REVENUE INTO THE TOURISM FUND; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Introduced by Council Member Crowl

**0-04-21**

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING AN EXPANDED FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE POLICY FOR CITY EMPLOYEES IMPACTED BY COVID-19; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Council Member Crowl

**0-05-21**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2021 APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE AND AUTHORIZING AN INTERFUND TRANSFER. Introduced by Council Member Crowl

**0-06-21**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 152-20, AN AGREEMENT WITH THE ATHENS CITY FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE, OHIO LABOR COUNCIL, INC., AND THE CITY OF ATHENS PATROL OFFICERS AND LIEUTENANTS TO CORRECT SECTION 24.3, UNIFORM SCHEDULES; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by the Finance & Personnel Committee

**0-07-21**

AN ORDINANCE AFFIRMING THE MAYOR'S EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT WITH THE ATHENS CITY FIREFIGHTERS LOCAL 3351, AND OHIO COUNCIL 8, AFSCME, AFL-CIO, CONCERNING WAGES AND WORKING CONDITIONS.

Introduced by the Finance & Personnel Committee

**0-08-21**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF SOFTENING SALT FOR THE WATER TREATMENT PLANT. Introduced by Council Member Grace

**0-09-21**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR TO CLOSE STREETS IN THE UPTOWN AREA FOR SPECIAL EVENTS DURING THE 2021 CALENDAR YEAR, AND TO CHANGE REQUESTED DATES OR CANCEL EVENTS AS NECESSARY. Introduced by Council Member Kotses

**0-10-21**

AN ORDINANCE SUSPENDING THE ENFORCEMENT OF ATHENS CITY CODE CHAPTER 13.04.10, UNNECESSARY NOISE, IN A DESIGNATED AREA.

Introduced by Council Member Kotses

**0-11-21**

AN ORDINANCE SUSPENDING THE ENFORCEMENT OF ATHENS CITY CODE CHAPTER 11.04, VENDING, PEDDLING AND SOLICITING, TO ALLOW VENDING IN A DESIGNATED AREA. Introduced by Council Member Kotses

## **6. Resolutions for First Reading:**

### **R-01-21**

A RESOLUTION ESTIMATING THE AMOUNT OF INTERIM MONIES FOR DEPOSIT IN PUBLIC DEPOSITORIES; DIRECTING THE TREASURER TO TAKE PERIODIC APPLICATIONS AND TO AWARD INTERIM DEPOSITS AS MONIES BECOME AVAILABLE. Introduced by Council Member Crowl

### **R-02-21**

A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE INTENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL TO DESIGNATE THE PUBLIC DEPOSITORIES FOR THE ACTIVE FUNDS OF THE CITY OF ATHENS; THE TERM FOR RECEIVING APPLICATIONS; AND THE TIME FOR DESIGNATION. Introduced by Council Member Crowl

## **7. One-Reading Resolution:**

### **R-03-21**

A RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR THE OHIO DEVELOPMENT SERVICES AGENCY (ODSA) APPALACHIA ASSISTANCE LINE ITEM. Introduced by All Council Members

## **8. Announcements & Other Business:**

- Confirm Mayor's Appointments to the Recreation Advisory Board

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

## **10. Adjournment**

Chris Knisely  
President of Council

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