

ORDINANCE NO. 1135

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE 1, CHAPTER 1 OF THE ATHENS MUNICIPAL CODE
TO ALTER THE ORDER OF BUSINESS OF REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS**

WHEREAS, Section 1-102 of the Athens Municipal Code establishes the order of business for council meetings; and

WHEREAS, it now appears that the interest of the City of Athens, Tennessee, will be served if the order of business is amended.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ATHENS, TENNESSEE, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1.

That Title 1, Chapter 1, Section 102 entitled "Order of business." be amended by deleting the numbers and words:

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1. Call to Order
2. Invocation
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Roll Call
5. Approval of Minutes
6. Communications and Special Presentations
7. Citizens Comments
8. Consent Agenda
9. Ordinances
10. Old Business
11. New Business
12. Reports
13. Report from the City Manager
14. Adjournment

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and inserting in lieu thereof the numbers and words:

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SECTION 2.

Any Ordinance, Resolution, Motion or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed and superseded. If any sentence, clause, phrase, or paragraph of this Ordinance is declared to be unconstitutional by any Court of competent jurisdiction, such holding will not affect any other portion of this Ordinance.

SECTION 3.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED ON FIRST READING: **October 15, 2024**
PASSED ON SECOND READING: **October 30, 2024**
DATE OF PUBLIC HEARING: **October 30, 2024**


RANDALL DOWLING, CITY MANAGER


STEVEN S. SHERLIN, MAYOR

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


CHRISTOPHER M. CALDWELL, CITY ATTORNEY