ORDINANCE NO. 1115

ORDINANCE TO AMEND 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 "(1) Call to Order

2. Invocation
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Roll Call
5. Approval of Minutes
6. Communications and Special Presentations
7. Consent Agenda
8. Ordinances
9. Old Business
10. New Business
11. Reports
12. Requests from Citizens
13. Report from the City Manager
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and inserting in lieu thereof the numbers and words "1. Call to Order

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SECTION 2: Any Ordinance, Resolution, Motion or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed and superseded.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: December 20, 2022

PASSED ON SECOND READING: January 17, 2023

DATE OF PUBLIC HEARING: January 17, 2023

STEVEN S. SHERLIN, Mayor

Michael L. Keith

MICHAEL L. KEITH, Interim City Manager

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

WILLIAM A. BUCKLEY JR., City Attorney