

Council Members

R. Gary Allen
Charmaine Crabb

Jerry 'Pops' Barnes
Glenn Davis

John M. House
Bruce Huff

R. Walker Garrett
Evelyn Turner Pugh

Judy W. Thomas
Evelyn 'Mimi'
Woodson

Clerk of Council
Sandra T. Davis



Council Chambers
Second Floor of City Services Center
3111 Citizens Way, Columbus, GA 31906

June 4, 2019
5:30 PM
Council Meeting

MAYOR'S AGENDA

1. **CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor B. H. "Skip" Henderson, III, Presiding.
2. **INVOCATION:** Pastor Ben Giselbach- Edgewood Church of Christ.
3. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** Led by the Golden Elite Dancers.
4. **MINUTES:** Approval of minutes for the May 28, 2019 Council Meeting.
5. **TAXPAYER BILL OF RIGHTS PUBLIC HEARING:** 6:00 p.m. The budget tentatively adopted by the Consolidated Government of Columbus, Georgia, requires a millage rate higher than the rollback millage rate. Therefore, before the Consolidated Government of Columbus, Georgia, may finalize the tentative budget and set a final millage rate, Georgia Law requires that three public hearings be held to allow the public an opportunity to express their opinions on this increase.

PROCLAMATIONS

PROCLAMATION: NeighborWorks® Columbus Week

RECEIVING: Melanie Faison

PROCLAMATION:

Miss Georgia Scholarship Competition Week

RECEIVING:

Billy Kendall and Trina Pruitt, Chairman of the Board of the Miss Georgia Scholarship Competition

PROCLAMATION:

Kadie the Cow Day

RECEIVING:

Beth Reed-Richardson

PROCLAMATION:

LGBT Pride Month

RECEIVING:

Michelle Johnson, Raymond Chambless, Harry Underwood, Matasha Spiller, and Jeremy Hobbs

PROCLAMATION:

Dacia Irvin Day

RECEIVING:

Dacia Irvin

**CITY ATTORNEY'S AGENDA
FOR THE MEETING OF JUNE 4, 2019**

ORDINANCES:

- (1) **1st Reading** – An Ordinance adopting an Operating and Capital Improvement Budgets for the Fiscal Year 2020 beginning July 1, 2019 and ending June 30, 2020, for certain funds of the Consolidated Government of Columbus, Georgia, and appropriating the amounts shown in each budget; and for other purposes. (Budget Review Committee)
- (2) **1st Reading** - An Ordinance adopting Non-Operating Budgets for the Fiscal Year 2020 beginning July 1, 2019 and ending June 30, 2020, for certain funds of the Consolidated Government of Columbus, Georgia, and appropriating the amounts shown in each budget; and for other purposes. (Budget Review Committee)
- (3) **1st Reading** - An Ordinance amending Article VII of Chapter 13 of the Columbus Code Solid Waste Collection and Disposal by updating the guidelines for an offset to the residential rate for low-income households; and for other purposes. (Budget Review Committee)
- (4) **1st Reading** - An Ordinance providing for contributions to the Columbus, Georgia General Government Employee's Pension Plan for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2019 and ending June 30, 2020 . (Budget Review Committee)

(5) **1st Reading** - An Ordinance providing for contributions to the Columbus, Georgia Pension Plan for Employees of the Department of Public Safety for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2019 and ending June 30, 2020. (Budget Review Committee)

(6) **1st Reading** - An Ordinance providing for Government funding of a Major Disability Income Plan for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2019 and ending June 30, 2020. (Budget Review Committee)

(7) **1st Reading** - An Ordinance providing for Government funding of a Death Benefit Escrow for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2019 and ending June 30, 2020. (Budget Review Committee)

PUBLIC AGENDA
FOR THE MEETING OF JUNE 4, 2019

1. Mr. Russell Scott, Re: The lack of safety crossings in a school zone.

CITY MANAGER'S AGENDA
FOR THE MEETING OF JUNE 4, 2019

I. PURCHASES:

Approval is requested of items "A" to "C":

- A. Contract Amendment for NEOGOV Application Management Tracking System
- B. Trolley Repairs for Metra
- C. Mental Health Services for Muscogee County Jail (Annual Contract)

II. UPDATES AND PRESENTATIONS:

- - Transportation Update - Pam Hodge, Deputy City Manager
- - Court Management System Update - Pam Hodge, Deputy City Manager and Forrest Toelle, I.T. Director
- - Towing/Traffic Incident Management Service Update - Angelica Alexander, Finance Director (Add-On)

Bid Advertisement
(Schedule opening bid date)

June 19, 2019

1. **Bus Shelters (Annual Contract) – RFB No. 19-0051**

Scope of Bid

METRA is requesting qualified vendors to provide Bus Shelters on an “as needed” basis.
The contract term will be for three years.

CLERK OF COUNCIL’S AGENDA
FOR THE MEETING OF JUNE 4, 2019

ENCLOSURES, ACTION REQUESTED:

1. **RESOLUTION:** Excusing Councilor Jerry “Pops” Barnes from the May 28, 2019 Council Meeting.
2. **RESOLUTION:** Excusing Councilor Charmaine Crabb from the June 4, 2019 Council Meeting.

ADD ON RESOLUTION: Excusing Mayor Pro Tem Evelyn Turner Pugh from the June 4, 2019 Council Meeting.

3. **Minutes of the following boards:**
Animal Control Advisory Board, May 21, 2019.
Board of Tax Assessors, #18-19.
Budget Review Committee, May 14, 2019.
Hospital Authority, April 30, 2019.
Recreation Advisory Board, October 31, 2018.
Recreation Advisory Board, January 30, 2019.
Recreation Advisory Board, March 27, 2019.

BOARD APPOINTMENTS- ACTION REQUESTED:

4. **COUNCIL'S DISTRICT SEAT APPOINTMENTS- NOMINATION FOR CONFIRMATION:**

<u>RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD:</u>	<u>John M. Lawson- SD-29</u> To fill unexpired term of Mike Peacock Term Expires: December 31, 2019	<u>(Council District 6 - Allen)</u>
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UPCOMING BOARD APPOINTMENTS:

~ Downtown Development Authority

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