

Council Proceedings of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana
November 22, 2024

The City Council meeting of the City Council of the City of Shreveport, State of Louisiana was called to order by Chairman Jackson at 3:03 p. m. Friday, November 22, 2024, in the Government Chamber in Government Plaza (505 Travis Street).

Invocation was given by Chief Reese
The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Councilman Green.

The roll was called. Present: Councilwoman Tabatha Taylor, Councilmen Gary Brooks, Jim Taliaferro, Grayson Boucher, Alan Jackson, James Green and Councilwoman Ursula Bowman.
7. Absent: Councilman. 0.

Motion by Councilman Taliaferro, seconded by Councilwoman Bowman, to approve the minutes of the Administrative Conference and the Council combined meeting, Friday, November 8, 2024. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Brooks, Taliaferro, Boucher, Jackson, Green and Councilwoman Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman 0. Abstentions: 0.

**AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS, COMMUNICATIONS OF THE MAYOR RELATIVE TO CITY BUSINESS, AND REQUIRED REPORTS
AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS BY CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS, NOT TO EXCEED FIFTEEN MINUTES
AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS BY THE MAYOR, NOT TO EXCEED FIFTEEN MINUTES
COMMUNICATIONS OF THE MAYOR RELATIVE TO CITY BUSINESS OTHER THAN AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS**

REPORTS:

Property Standards Report (resolution 7 of 2003)
Revenue Collection Plan & Implementation Report (resolution 114 of 2009)
Mr. Clarke provided a Master Plan Committee Report (resolution 132 of 2012)
Budget to Actual Financial Report (resolution 183 of 2017)

PUBLIC HEARING: NONE

ADDING ITEMS TO THE AGENDA, PUBLIC COMMENTS, CONFIRMATIONS AND APPOINTMENTS

ADDING LEGISLATION TO THE AGENDA (*REGULAR MEETING ONLY*) AND PUBLIC COMMENTS ON MOTIONS TO ADD ITEMS TO THE AGENDA

Resolution No. 187 of 2024: A resolution authorizing the Mayor to executive a lease agreement between the City of Shreveport and One Texas Centre, L.C., and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Resolution No. 188 of 2024: A resolution authorizing the Mayor to executive a lease agreement between the City of Shreveport and Willis Knighton Health, and to otherwise provide with

respect thereto.

Motion by Councilman Boucher, seconded by Councilman Brooks, to add Resolution No. 187 and 188 of 2024 to the agenda.

Councilman Jackson asked those in attendance if there was anyone present to speak in favor of or in opposition to adding Resolution No.187 and 188 of 2024 to the agenda. Jon Glover spoke in support.

Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Brooks, Taliaferro, Boucher, Jackson, Green and Councilwoman Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman 0. Abstentions: 0.

PUBLIC COMMENTS (IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 1.11 OF THE RULES OF PROCEDURE) (ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE ON ANY MATTER OF PUBLIC CONCERN REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THE ITEM IS ON THE AGENDA) (REGULAR MEETING ON MATTERS WHICH ARE ON THE AGENDA)

Norma Smith made general comments as it relates to property at 2020 Wool Street.

CONFIRMATION AND APPOINTMENTS: NONE
CONSENT AGENDA LEGISLATION
TO INTRODUCE ROUTINE ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS
RESOLUTIONS: NONE
ORDINANCES: NONE
TO ADOPT ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS
RESOLUTIONS: NONE
ORDINANCES: NONE
REGULAR AGENDA LEGISLATION
RESOLUTIONS ON SECOND READING AND FINAL PASSAGE OR WHICH WILL REQUIRE ONLY ONE READING

RESOLUTION NO. 176 OF 2024
A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A GRANT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT AND THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, the City of Shreveport and the U.S. Department of Transportation and desire to cooperate in the financing and delivery of the project as described herein; NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport in due, legal and regular session convened, that Tom Arceneaux, Mayor, be and is hereby authorized to execute on behalf of the City of Shreveport a grant agreement under the fiscal year 2022 Raise Grant Program with the U.S. Department of Transportation for the project titled "Shreveport Healthcare and Development Corridor Improvements." BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provisions or items of this resolution or the application thereof are held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the

invalid provisions, items or applications, and to this end, the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all ordinances or resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed. **THUS DONE AND RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Boucher, seconded by Councilman Jackson, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Brooks, Taliaferro, Boucher, Jackson, Green and Councilwoman Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman 0. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 177 OF 2024

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION SERVITUDE WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA, AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, the City of Shreveport has received a request from the Department of Transportation and Development to enter into a temporary construction servitude on the Marie and Charles Hamel Memorial Park property; and WHEREAS, the parcel will be leased from the city for a four year construction term. Total consideration for this temporary construction servitude will be Twelve Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty Dollars (\$12,820); and WHEREAS, the City Engineer, or his designee, has reviewed the temporary construction servitude and other supporting documents, and does hereby recommend the City Council approve the proposed agreement as it appears to comply with the Shreveport City Code and City departmental policies and regulations; and NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana in due, regular and legal session convened, that the Mayor, Tom Arceneaux, is hereby authorized to execute the temporary construction servitude with the Department of Transportation and Development of the State of Louisiana. A copy of the temporary construction servitude is attached hereto, along with a legal description of the servitude, which identifies the exact affected area, and a final right-of-way map. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provision or item of this resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications and to this end the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable. BE, IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed. **THUS, DONE AND RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Boucher, seconded by Councilman Brooks, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Brooks, Taliaferro, Boucher, Jackson, Green and Councilwoman Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman 0. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 179 OF 2024

A RESOLUTION REPEALING RESOLUTION NO 178 OF 2024 APPROVING AN ANNUAL PAYMENT IN LIEU OF TAX IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN UPDATED TERM SHEET AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE NORTHWEST LOUISIANA FINANCE

AUTHORITY AND NATCHITOCHESES THOMAS APARTMENTS PRESERVATION LLC.

WHEREAS, the Northwest Louisiana Finance Authority (“NWLFA”) is authorized to acquire and hold property for one or more of its public purposes as set forth in R.S. 9:2341(B) and upon acquisition by NWLFA, such property is declared for purposes of R.S. 9:2347(M) to be public property used for essential and governmental purposes and such property is thereby exempt from all taxes of the municipality, the state, or any political subdivision thereof or any other taxing body; and WHEREAS, NWLFA has arranged to substantially rehabilitate a 120-unit multifamily rental housing development located in Natchitoches, Louisiana known as Natchitoches Thomas Apartments (the “Project”) and, pursuant to a Term Sheet (the “Term Sheet”) with Natchitoches Thomas Apartments Preservation LLC, which is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein; and WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Shreveport previously adopted Resolution No 178 of 2024 approving a prior term sheet related to this Project and now desires to repeal Resolution No. 178 of 2024 and adopt this resolution in its place which includes the updated Term Sheet; and WHEREAS, NWLFA intends to lease the Project to Natchitoches Thomas Apartments Preservation LLC (the “Lessee”), a limited liability company qualified to do business in the State of Louisiana, and, pursuant to La. R.S. 9:2347(M) and subject to approval of the City of Shreveport as the beneficiary of NWLFA (the “City”), NWLFA will require the Lessee to pay annually to parish or municipal taxing authorities, and to any other taxing body in the Parish of Natchitoches (the “Parish”), through the Sheriff of Natchitoches Parish (the “Tax Collector”), a sum in lieu of ad valorem taxes in an amount not to exceed the amount of taxes that would otherwise be due if the Project were not owned by the NWLFA (a “PILOT”) in accordance with the Term Sheet in order to compensate such authorities for services rendered by them to the Project, which sum the Tax Collector shall collect and enforce payment of in accordance with the statutory provisions of La. R.S. 39:1002 as statutory impositions; and WHEREAS, the Term Sheet provides that the PILOT shall commence upon the conveyance of the Project to NWLFA and terminate twenty (20) years from the “Conversion Date” as such term is defined in the Tax Regulatory Agreement to be executed among the Developer, the Louisiana Housing Corporation and Hancock Whitney Bank, governing the requirements the Developer must comply with in order to utilize financing provided by the Louisiana Housing Corporation, but not to exceed twentyfive years (the “PILOT Termination Date”) and that full ad valorem taxes will be paid to the Tax Collector following the PILOT Termination Date; and WHEREAS, as an independently existing public trust authorized and empowered under Chapter 2-A of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended (La. R.S. 9:2341 through 9:2347, inclusive) (the “Act”), benefiting the City of Shreveport, the PILOT for the Project may be required by NWLFA only if by Resolution the Shreveport City Council, as the governing authority of the of the City as the beneficiary of NWLFA, approves the PILOT in accordance with La. R.S. 9:2347(M); NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport that: Section 1. The foregoing whereas clauses are hereby adopted as set forth in the preamble to this Resolution. Section 2. Resolution No. 178 of 2024 is hereby repealed. Section 2. This City does hereby approve the PILOT to be paid by the Lessee for the Project in an amount not to exceed the amount of taxes that would otherwise be due if the Project were not owned by the NWLFA, in accordance with the Term Sheet as described in the foregoing whereas clauses. Section 3. The Mayor and Clerk of Council are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to take any and all such action as may be necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this Resolution. Section 4. If any one or more of the provisions of this Resolution shall for any

reason be held to be illegal or invalid, such illegality or invalidity shall not affect any other provision of this Resolution, but this Resolution shall be construed and enforced as if such illegal or invalid provisions had not been contained herein. Any constitutional or statutory provision enacted after the date of this Resolution which validates or makes legal any provision of this Resolution which would not otherwise be valid or legal, shall be deemed to apply to this Resolution. Section 5. This Resolution shall immediately take effect upon adoption.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilwoman Bowman, seconded by Councilman Brooks, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Brooks, Taliaferro, Boucher, Jackson, Green and Councilwoman Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman 0. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 180 OF 2024

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE 2025 DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY PROGRAM OF WORK AND OTHERWISE PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the State law (LA R.S. 33:2740.38) which authorized the creation of the Downtown Development Authority requires that a formal Program of Work for the DDA be adopted annually by the City Council; and WHEREAS, the DDA has prepared and formally adopted its Program of Work for the year 2025 and its Board has recommended its approval by the City Council. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in legal session convened, that it approves the 2025 Downtown Development Authority Program of Work, as provided to the Clerk of Council with the original copy of this resolution on November 22, 2024. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provision or item of this resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and, to this end, the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared to be severable. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Brooks, seconded by Councilman Boucher, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Brooks, Taliaferro, Boucher, Jackson, Green and Councilwoman Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman 0. Abstentions: 0.

Resolution No. 181 of 2024: A resolution amending portions of Section 2 of the Shreveport, Louisiana, City Council Rules of Procedure, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (E/Jackson)

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Jackson, seconded by Councilman Taliaferro, to postpone. Motion failed by the following vote: Nays: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Brooks, Taliaferro, Boucher, Green and Councilwoman Bowman. 6. Ayes: Councilman Jackson. 1. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman 0. Abstentions: 0.

Motion by Councilman Jackson to withdraw.

Resolution No. 182 of 2024: A resolution amending portions of Section 6 of the Shreveport, Louisiana, City Council Rules of Procedure, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (E/Jackson)

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Jackson, to withdraw.

City Attorney: I'm sorry, both of those motions did need a second. The author has made a motion to withdraw resolution 181, is there a second.

Motion by Councilman Jackson, seconded by Councilman Brooks, to withdraw Resolution No. 181 of 2024.

City Attorney Edwards: No vote is necessary.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Jackson, seconded by Councilman Brooks, to withdraw Resolution No. 182 of 2024.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS (*NOT TO BE ADOPTED PRIOR TO (December 10, 2024)*) (Motion and second is sufficient to introduce resolutions)

1. **Resolution No. 183 of 2024**: A resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute a cooperative purchasing agreement between the City of Shreveport and the City of Ruston, and otherwise providing with respect thereto.
2. **Resolution No. 184 of 2024**: A resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute a lease agreement between the City of Shreveport and BioMedical Research Foundation, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.
3. **Resolution No. 185 of 2024**: A resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute a lease agreement between the City of Shreveport and the Caddo Parish School Board, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.
4. **Resolution No. 186 of 2024**: A resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute a lease agreement between the City of Shreveport and South Pointe Properties Inc., and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.
5. **Resolution No. 187 of 2024**: A resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute a lease agreement between the City of Shreveport and One Texas Centre, L.C., and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.
6. **Resolution No. 188 of 2024**: A resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute a lease agreement between the City of Shreveport and Willis Knighton Health, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Councilman Boucher: Just for the record, at the 3312 North Market, they are asking, and it is actively listed right now for \$675,000. So, just so we know that that is what their asking price was as of today, was 675, so I wanted that to be on record. If something ends up happening with the North Shreveport that we're negotiating on right now. This is a very good option to replace that, and it's already built.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Boucher, seconded by Councilman Brooks, to introduce Resolution No(s) 183, 184, 185, 186, 187 and 188 of 2024 to lay over until the next regular meeting.

**INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES (*TO BE ADOPTED PRIOR TO (December 10, 2024)*)
(Motion and second is sufficient to introduce resolutions)**

- 1. Ordinance No. 152 of 2024:** An ordinance amending the 2024 Budget for the General Fund and to otherwise provide with respect thereto
- 2. Ordinance No. 153 of 2024:** An ordinance amending the 2024 Budget for the Public Safety Special Revenue Fund and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.
- 3. Ordinance No. 154 of 2024:** An ordinance to revise Chapter 74 Solid Waste, Article III “Regulations” Sec74-54 of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, Code of Ordinances, relative to the disposal fee per ton of normal waste, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.
- 4. Ordinance No. 155 of 2024: Zoning Case No 24-95-C:** An ordinance to amend the official zoning map of the city of Shreveport unified development code, by rezoning property located Southeast Corner of Line Avenue and Jordan Street, Shreveport, Caddo parish, Louisiana, from C-UC urban corridor commercial zoning district to IC institutional campus zoning district, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (B/Brooks)
- 5. Ordinance No. 156 of 2024: Zoning Case No. 24-140-C:** An ordinance to amend the official zoning map of the city of Shreveport Unified Development Code, by rezoning property located Southwest Corner of Greenwood and Forge Road, Shreveport, Caddo parish, Louisiana, from I-2 heavy industrial zoning district to I-1 light industrial zoning district, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (G/Bowman)

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Brooks, seconded by Councilwoman Bowman, to introduce Ordinance No(s). 152, 153, 154, 155 and 156 of 2024 to lay over until the next regular meeting.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING AND FINAL PASSAGE (*NUMBERS ARE ASSIGNED ORDINANCE NUMBERS*)

- 1. Ordinance No. 40 of 2024:** An ordinance authorizing the lease of portions of Stageworks of Louisiana, a city-owned property, to G-Unit Film & Television Louisiana, LLC, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on April 23, 2024, read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Boucher, seconded by Councilman Brooks, to **postpone until December 19, 2024. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Brooks, Taliaferro, Boucher, Jackson, Green and Councilwoman Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman 0. Abstentions: 0.**

2. Ordinance No. 114 of 2024: An ordinance to amend various articles and sections in the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, unified development code, for the purpose of adding new definitions related to sober living home, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on September 24, 2024, read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Jackson, seconded by Councilman Brooks, to **postpone**. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Brooks, Taliaferro, Boucher, Jackson, Green and Councilwoman Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman 0. Abstentions: 0.

3. Ordinance No. 115 of 2024: Zoning Case No 24-91-C: An ordinance to amend the official zoning map of the City of Shreveport unified development code, by rezoning property located at East side of Lotus Lane, approximately 230 feet north of Standard Oil Road, Shreveport, Caddo Parish, Louisiana, from R-MHP residential manufactured home park zoning district to RMHP (spud) residential manufactured home park small planned unit development zoning district, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (F/Green)

Having passed first reading on September 24, 2024, read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Boucher, to **postpone**. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Brooks, Taliaferro, Boucher, Jackson, Green and Councilwoman Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman 0. Abstentions: 0.

4. Ordinance No. 151 of 2024: An ordinance amending the 2024 Budget for the General Fund and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on November 8, 2024, read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilwoman Bowman, seconded by Councilman Brooks, to adopt.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO ORDINANCE NO 151 OF 2024:

AMEND THE ORDINANCE AS FOLLOWS: In Section 1 (Estimated Revenues), increase Other Revenues by \$1,300,000. In Section 2 (Appropriations), increase Transfer to Capital Projects – ARP by \$1,300,000.

EXPLANATION OF AMENDMENT: This brings the transferred amounts in line with Accounting's most recent 2024 figures. This ordinance is simply an effort to recognize 2024's ARP appropriations as having passed through the General Fund. It does not involve any new spending.

Motion by Councilman Jackson, seconded by Councilman Taliaferro, to **adopt** Amendment No. 1 to Ordinance No. 151 of 2024. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Brooks, Taliaferro, Boucher, Jackson, Green and Councilwoman Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman 0. Abstentions: 0.

Motion by Councilman Jackson, seconded by Councilman Boucher, to adopt Ordinance No. 151 of 2024 as amended. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Brooks, Taliaferro, Boucher, Jackson, Green and Councilwoman Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman 0. Abstentions: 0.

Ordinances that were adopted, except ordinances that will be published in the Shreveport Code Ordinances, including the Shreveport Unified Development Code, are as follows:

ORDINANCE NO. 151 OF 2024

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2024 BUDGET FOR THE GENERAL FUND AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the City Charter of the City of Shreveport provides for the amendment of any adopted budget; and WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2024 budget for the General Fund to recognize the use of American Rescue Plan funds in 2024 for capital projects. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in due, legal and regular session convened, that Ordinance No. 122 of 2023, the budget for the General Fund be and is hereby further amended as follows: In Section 1 (Estimated Revenues): Increase Other Revenues by \$23,550,039. In Section 2 (Appropriations): General Government: Increase Transfer to Capital Projects- ARP by \$23,550,039. TOTAL CHANGE \$23,550,039 Totals and subtotals shall be adjusted accordingly. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and, to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed

TABLED LEGISLATION

ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS:

Ordinance No. 70 of 2024: To amend Chapter 38 of the Shreveport Code of Ordinances relative to vacant structures, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Resolution No. 144 of 2024: Approving the Mayor's decision to extend declarations of public health and safety emergency number 24-0001 and 24-0002 due to property conditions, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

2025 BUDGET ORDINANCES (TO BE ADOPTED NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 15, 2024)

Ordinance No. 120 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Capital Improvements Budget and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 121 of 2024: Adopting 2025 Budget for the Riverfront Development Special Revenue Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Ordinance No. 122 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the General Fund and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 123 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Retained Risk Internal Service Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 124 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the MPC Special Revenue Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 125 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Community Development Special Revenue Fund Budget and to otherwise provide with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 126 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Grants Special Revenue Fund appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Ordinance No. 127 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Shreveport Redevelopment Agency Special Revenue Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 128 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Downtown Entertainment District Special Revenue Fund, and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 129 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Golf Enterprise Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 130 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Airports Enterprise Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 131 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Water and Sewer Enterprise Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 132 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for Contractual Services Provided to SporTran by Metro Management Associates, Inc., and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 133 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Downtown Parking Enterprise Fund, appropriating the funds authorized herein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 134 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Convention Center Enterprise Fund and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Ordinance No. 135 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Convention Center Hotel Enterprise Fund and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 136 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Debt Service Fund and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Ordinance No. 137 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Solid Waste Enterprise Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Ordinance No. 138 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Streets Special Revenue Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Ordinance No. 139 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Diversion Program Special Revenue Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Ordinance No. 140 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Public Safety Special Revenue Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Ordinance No. 141 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Economic Development District "A" District Special Revenue Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Ordinance No. 142 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Economic Development District "F" District Special Revenue Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Ordinance No. 143 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Health Care and Technology Innovation District East Special Revenue Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Ordinance No. 144 of 2024: Adopting the 2025 Budget for the Health Care and Technology Innovation District West Special Revenue Fund, appropriating the funds authorized therein, and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Brooks, to remove the 2025 Budget Ordinances from the table to be placed on December 10, 2024, regular agenda. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Brooks, Taliaferro, Boucher, Jackson, Green and Councilwoman Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman 0. Abstentions: 0.

APPEALS

PROPERTY STANDARDS APPEALS: NONE

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE ORDINANCE APPEALS: NONE

METROPOLITAN PLANNING COMMISSION AND ZBA APPEALS: NONE

OTHER APPEALS

SOB APPEALS: NONE

TAXI APPEALS: NONE

REPORTS FROM OFFICERS, BOARDS, AND COMMITTEES

CLERK’S REPORT: The following letter of appointment was received from the Mayor’s office on November 18, 2024 and is subject for confirmation on December 10, 2024. – LaShawntra T. Hawkins – Revenue Administrator.

ADDITIONAL COMMUNICATIONS:

ADDITIONAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

ADDITIONAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS

EXECUTIVE SESSION: NONE

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business to come before the council, the city council meeting adjourned at 4:08 p.m.

//s// Alan Jackson, Chairman

//s// LaTonya Bogan, Clerk of Council