

# TOWN OF ASHLAND CITY Regularly Scheduled City Council Meeting August 12, 2025, 6:00 PM Minutes

### **CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Greer called the meeting to order at 6:03 p.m.

### **ROLL CALL**

Mayor Gerald Greer Vice Mayor Chris Kerrigan Councilman Tim Adkins Councilwoman: Nicole Binkley Councilman Michael Smith Councilman Kevin Thompson Councilman Tony Young

# **PLEDGE AND PRAYER**

1. Pastor Derek Wright from Unity Church

Father, we thank you for our wonderful community you have blessed us with. I come here tonight to ask for your blessing for our Town and for our Leaders. I pray that you will lead and direct them according to your will. Father, we pray and thank you for all you are doing in our Town. Bless each person. In Jesus name Amen.

### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Vice Mayor Kerrigan, to approve the agenda. All approved by voice vote.

# **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

2. Approval of July 8, 2025, Regularly Scheduled City Council Meeting Minutes A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Councilman Smith, to approve the July 8, 2025, Regularly Scheduled City Council Meeting Minutes. All approved by voice vote.

# **PUBLIC FORUM**

NONE

# **REPORTS**

**3.** ATTORNEY: **Jennifer Noe –** Stated that she did not have anything to add that was not on the agenda.

# **REPORTS**

4. McDonald's Owner Mike Waldram/Choose your Chill Challenge recognition.

Mike Waldram McDonald's owner stated that new City Hall feels more like home. We are continuing our desire to partner with the community and came up with a summer incentive and plan where we got the Fire Department and Police Department to join in on a challenge. Sorry Fire Department but the Police Department won. We had more customers choose from our Frozen carbonated beverage line that chose the Blue Raspberry which represented the Police Department over the Cherry Red that represented the Fire Department. It was a lot of fun and good exposure, good participation and good to be a part of the community in any way we can. As part of the challenge, we will donate money to a foundation of their choosing. He gave the floor to Sargeant Alexis Duncan, and she explained they chose to give the money to The Front Door Memorial Lodge / Shop with a cop that we have every year. We enjoyed it and had a lot of fun. We have done a couple of these events with McDonald's and enjoy more activity with the community outside of our Patrol Cars. It was fun to beat the Fire Department.

# UNFINISHED BUSINESS NONE

### **NEW BUSINESS**

- 5. RESOLUTION 2025-26: Updating the Pet Section of the Thrive 55 Center Policies and Procedures
  - A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Councilman Smith, to approve Updating the Pet Section of the Thrive 55 Center Policies and Procedures. Voting Yea: Councilman Thompson, Councilman Smith, Councilman Adkins, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilman Young, Councilwoman Binkley, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0
- 6. RESOLUTION 2025-27: Updating the Day Trips and Tour Procedures section of the Thrive 55 Center Policies and procedures Manual
  - A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Councilman Smith, to approve Updating the Day Trips and Tour Procedures section of the Thrive 55 Center Policies and procedures Manual. Voting Yea: Councilman Thompson, Councilman Smith, Councilman Adkins, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilman Young, Councilwoman Binkley, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0
- 7. RESOLUTION 2025-28: Updating the Check Signors for All City Bank Accounts A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Councilman Young, to approve Updating the Check Signors for All City Bank Accounts. Voting Yea: Councilman Thompson, Councilman Young, Councilman Adkins, Councilman Smith, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilwoman Binkley, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0
- 8. RESOLUTION 2025-32: Permission to apply for PEP Safety Partners Grant A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Vice Mayor Kerrigan, to approve giving permission to apply for PEP Safety Partners Grant. Voting Yea: Councilman Thompson, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilman Adkins, Councilman Smith, Councilman Young, Councilwoman Binkley, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0
- 9. RESOLUTION 2025-33: Permission to apply for the PEP Property Conservation Grant A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Councilman Young, to approve giving permission to apply for the PEP Property Conservation Grant. Voting Yea: Councilman Thompson, Councilman Young, Councilman Adkins, Councilman Smith, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilwoman Binkley, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0
- 10. CONTRACT: AllData Vendor Auto Renewal

A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Vice Mayor Kerrigan, to approve the AllData vendor Agreement. Voting Yea: Councilman Thompson, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilman Adkins, Councilman Smith, Councilman Young, Councilwoman Binkley, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0

- 11. CONTRACT: Axon Enterprise Police Department
  - A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Councilman Smith, to approve the Axon Enterprise Agreement. Voting Yea: Councilman Thompson, Councilman Smith, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilman Adkins, Councilman Young, Councilwoman Binkley, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0
- 12. RESOLUTION 2025-29: Back Dating Pay Increases

A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Councilman Smith, to approve Back Dating Pay Increases. Voting Yea: Councilman Thompson, Councilman Smith, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilman Young, Councilman Adkins, Councilwoman Binkley, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0

13. RESOLUTION 2025-34: Changes to the Public Safety Pay Table
A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Councilman Smith, to approve the
Changes to the Public Safety Pay Table. Voting Yea: Councilman Adkins, Councilman Smith,

Councilman Thompson, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilman Young, Councilwoman Binkley, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0

- 14. RESOLUTION 2025-35: Changes to the Regular Pay Table
  - A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Councilman Binkley, to approve the Changes to the Regular Pay Table. Voting Yea: Councilman Thompson, Councilwoman Binkley, Councilman Adkins, Councilman Smith, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilman Young, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0
- 15. RESOLUTION 2025-30: Council Members attending meetings by zoom -Emergency Only A motion was made by Councilwoman Binkley, Seconded by Councilman Young, to approve the Council Members attending meetings by zoom -Emergency Only. Voting Yea: Councilwoman Binkley, Councilman Young, Councilman Adkins, Councilman Smith, Councilman Thompson, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0
- 16. CONTRACT Soledad Palacios Bilingual Traffic Court

A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Vice Mayor Kerrigan, to approve the contract for Soledad Palacios - Bilingual Traffic Court Voting Yea: Councilman Thompson, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilman Adkins, Councilman Smith, Councilman Young, Councilwoman Binkley, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0

17. CONTRACT: A TO Z - for a 3rd printer

A motion was made by Councilman Smith, Seconded by Councilman Thompson, to approve the Budget Amendment. Voting Yea: Councilman Smith, Councilman Thompson, Councilman Adkins, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilman Young, Councilwoman Binkley, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0

18. RESOLUTION 2025-31: Update the public speaking form

A motion was made by Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Seconded by Councilman Thompson, to approve the Update on the public speaking form Voting Yea: Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilman Thompson, Councilman Adkins, Councilman Smith, Councilman Young, Councilwoman Binkley, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0

# SURPLUS PROPERTY NOMINATIONS NONE

EXPENDITURE REQUESTS
NONE

### **OTHER**

19. CONTRACT: TKE - ELEVATOR AGREEMENT

A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Vice Mayor Kerrigan, to defer the contract for TKE – Elevator Agreement until September Workshop Meeting. Voting Yea: Councilman Thompson, Vice Mayor Kerrigan, Councilman Adkins, Councilman Smith, Councilman Young, Councilwoman Binkley, Mayor Greer. Voting Nay: 0

Vice Mayor Kerrigan wanted to put out a reminder of the Pig Out in the Park Event this weekend. It will be from 10:00 am until 6 pm.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made by Councilman Thompson, Seconded by Councilman Young, to adjourn the meeting. All approved by voice vote and the meeting adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

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