



BOARD OF ALDERMEN REGULAR MEETING

Tuesday, September 10, 2024 at 7:00 PM

City Hall, 206 Van Buren NE, Camden, AR 71701

MINUTES

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. INVOCATION - Reverend Brady Renix, Sr., Associate Pastor - Whitest Chapel Baptist Church, 1032 Cook St., SW, Camden, Arkansas.

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

D. ROLL CALL

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PRESENT

Alderman Lawrence Askew

Alderman Chris Aregood

Alderman Gerald Castleberry

Alderman L.E. Lindsey

Alderman William McCoy

Alderman Marvin Moore

Alderman Edward Winters

Alderman Brady Renix

E. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

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Motion to approve made by Alderman Castleberry, Seconded by Alderman Winters.

Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Aregood, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman Lindsey, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Moore, Alderman Winters, Alderman Renix

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Motion to approve made by Alderman Castleberry, Seconded by Alderman Winters.

Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Aregood, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman Lindsey, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Moore, Alderman Winters, Alderman Renix

F. ACCEPTANCE OF FINANCIAL REPORTS

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Motion to approve made by Alderman Lindsey, Seconded by Alderman Castleberry.

Voting Yea: Alderman Aregood, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman Lindsey, Alderman Winters, Alderman Renix

Voting Abstaining: Alderman Askew, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Moore

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Motion to approve made by Alderman Lindsey, Seconded by Alderman Castleberry.

Voting Yea: Alderman Aregood, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman Lindsey, Alderman Winters, Alderman Renix

Voting Abstaining: Alderman Askew, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Moore

G. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION

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Earl Porchia, Public Works Director,
Alderman L.E. Lindsey, 10 Edgehill Drive,
Karen Bullard, 924 Franklin,
Michael Fountain,
Bryan Smith, 223 North St.,
Grady Renix, 1637 Springhill Drive,
Brenda Starkey, 595 Palisade,
Calvin Jackson, 599 Palisade,
William Willis 463 Lakeside

H. MAYOR'S REPORT

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David Richardson
Michael Baker Engineering
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I. OLD BUSINESS

1. **Ordinance No. 09-24**, an ordinance amending section 6 Building and Building Regulations, Article II, Plumbing of the City of Camden, Arkansas Code of Ordinances, adopting by reference the 2018 Arkansas Plumbing Code and the 2018 Arkansas Fuel Gas Code; and for other purposes. (Third & Final Reading)

J. NEW BUSINESS

1. **Ordinance No. 11-24**, an ordinance authorizing the assignment of certain duties to a private accountant; and for other purposes.

Ordinance No. 11-24, an ordinance authorizing the assignment of certain duties to a private accountant; and for other purposes.

Alderman Lindsey introduced the Ordinance and the City Clerk read the number and title.

Alderman Lindsey made a motion to suspend the rules and put the ordinance up for the third and final reading. Alderman Aregood seconded.

Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Aregood, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman Lindsey, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Winters, Alderman Renix

Voting Abstaining: Alderman Moore

Motion to approve made by Alderman Lindsey, Seconded by Alderman Askew.

Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Aregood, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman Lindsey, Alderman Winters, Alderman Renix

Voting Nay: Alderman Moore

Voting Abstaining: Alderman McCoy

2. **Resolution No. 43-24**, a resolution authorizing the Mayor to retain an outside accountant; amending the 2024 Annual Operating Budget; and for other purposes.

Resolution No. 43-24, a resolution authorizing the Mayor to retain an outside accountant; amending the 2024 Annual Operating Budget; and for other purposes.

Motion made by Alderman Askew, Seconded by Alderman Winters.

Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Aregood, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman Lindsey, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Winters, Alderman Renix

Voting Nay: Alderman Moore

K. OTHER BUSINESS

- 1. Resolution No. 36-24**, a resolution awarding the bid for the installation of Chip Seal Resurfacing for the Public Works Street Department.

Resolution No. 36-24, a resolution awarding the bid for the installation of Chip Seal Resurfacing for the Public Works Street Department.

Motion to reconsider the resolution made by Alderman Lindsey, Seconded by Alderman Askew.

Voting Yea: Alderman Askew, Alderman Aregood, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman Lindsey, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Moore, Alderman Winters, Alderman Renix

Motion to approve made by Alderman Lindsey, Seconded by Alderman Askew.

Voting Nay: Alderman Askew, Alderman Aregood, Alderman Castleberry, Alderman Lindsey, Alderman McCoy, Alderman Moore, Alderman Winters, Alderman Renix

L. ADJOURNMENT

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Motion made by Alderman Aregood, Seconded by Alderman Castleberry. Meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Mayor, Charlotte Young

City Clerk, Donna Stewart