

# **Common Council Meeting**

Whitewater Municipal Building Community Room, 312 West Whitewater St., Whitewater, WI 53190 \*In Person and Virtual

## Thursday, April 04, 2024 - 6:30 PM

Citizens are welcome (and encouraged) to join our webinar via computer, smart phone, or telephone.

Citizen participation is welcome during topic discussion periods.

Please click the link below to join:

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Please note that although every effort will be made to provide for virtual participation, unforeseen technical difficulties may prevent this, in which case the meeting may still proceed as long as there is a quorum. Should you wish to make a comment in this situation, you are welcome to call this number: (262) 473-0108.

## **AGENDA**

**CALL TO ORDER** 

**ROLL CALL** 

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** 

#### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A councilmember can choose to remove an item from the agenda or rearrange its order; however, introducing new items to the agenda is not allowed. Any proposed changes require a motion, a second, and approval from the Council to be implemented. The agenda shall be approved at each meeting even if no changes are being made at that meeting.

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

Items on the Consent Agenda will be approved together unless any council members requests that an item be removed for individual consideration.

- 1. Approval of Common Council Minutes from February 20, 2024 and March 5, 2024.
- 2. Library Board Minutes from February 19, 2024.
- 3. Park Board Minutes from February 21, 2024.

#### **CITY MANAGER REPORT**

#### **HEARING OF CITIZEN COMMENTS**

No formal Council action will be taken during this meeting although issues raised may become a part of a future agenda. Participants are allotted a three minute speaking period. Specific items listed on the agenda may not be discussed at this time; however, citizens are invited to speak to those specific issues at the time the Council discusses that particular item.

To make a comment during this period, or during any agenda item: On a computer or handheld device, locate the controls on your computer to raise your hand. You may need to move your mouse to see these controls. On a traditional telephone, dial \*6 to unmute your phone and dial \*9 to raise your hand.

#### STAFF REPORTS

- 4. Mobile Home Community understanding of Special Assessments- City Manager/Finance
- 5. Salary Compensation Survey. **Finance**
- Flexible Work Arrangements Policy Update- HR
- 7. PEG station cost and usage update- Media Services

#### **ORDINANCES**

## **Second Reading**

8. **Ordinance 2024-O01** an ordinance regarding Mobile Home Community Special Assessments- **City Manager/Finance** 

## **CONSIDERATIONS**

- 9. Discuss and possible action to appoint Lisa Dawsey Smith as the Council Representative for the Walworth County Housing Task Force. **City Manager**
- Discussion and possible action regarding the RFP for Building Inspector. Neighborhood
   Services
- 11. Discussion and possible action regarding replacement of air sock in lap pool area of WAFC.- Parks
- 12. Discussion and possible action regarding repainting lockers in all WAFC locker rooms.
  Parks
- 13. Discussion and possible action on floor coating in WAFC locker rooms.- Parks
- 14. Discussion and possible action regarding UW Whitewater MOU on the polling place on campus.- **City Clerk**
- 15. Discussion and possible action regarding the Digicorp Contract IT
- 16. Discussion and Possible Action regarding an Agreement with the City of Milwaukee for the Republican National Convention.-**PD**

17. Councilmember Requests for Future Agenda Items or Committee items. Questions

## **FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

- 18. Brown Cab update-**Finance Q2**
- 19. Staff update on Procurement Policy. Finance Q2
- 20. Update on 2024 Gala.-Chief of Staff Q2
- 21. Set Date to hold Common Council meeting at UWW Campus-City Manager/Hicks Q3
- 22. **Ordinance 2079** an ordinance regarding revisions to Chapter 12.22 Construction Standards Adopted, in particular special assessment costs assessed to property owners for sidewalk repair/replacement.- **Public Works**

**CLOSED SESSION** Adjourn to closed session, to Reconvene in Open Session, Pursuant to Chapter 19.85(1)(e) "Deliberating or negotiating the purchasing of public properties, the investing of public funds, or conducting other specified public business, whenever competitive or bargaining reasons require a closed session." And pursuant to Chapter 19.85(1)(c), Wis. Stats. for purposes of "Considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility." In particular, this closed session will be to discuss the City Manager's employment and performance.

- CS-23. WAFC update.
- CS-24. Regarding City Manager's employment performance-HR

## **CONSIDERATIONS**

- 25. Discussion and possible action regarding WAFC update.
- 26. Discuss and possible action regarding City Manager's employment performance-HR

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Anyone requiring special arrangements is asked to call the Office of the City Manager / City Clerk (262-473-0102) at least 72 hours prior to the meeting.

2023-2025 City of Whitewater's 5 strategic goals: Build single-family homes, Communicate with the community without the newspaper, Support a thriving business community, Recruitment and retention efforts with a focus on diversity, and Prioritization of expenditures with available resources.