

2425 North Mt. Juliet Rd Mt. Juliet, TN 37122 Commission Chambers

## Board of Commissioners and Ethics Commission Work Session

### 1. Work Session with Ethics Commission

**1.A.** Public Notice for 3-27-24 at 6:00 PM

Attachments: <u>3-27 Worksession Ethics Ordinance</u>

### 2. Call to Order & Declare a Quorum Present

Present: Board of Commissioner Members: Mayor Maness, Vice Mayor Trivett,

Commissioner Milele

Ethics Commission Members: Chairperson Yancy Belcher, Georgina Hughes, Leslie Penny

Mayor Maness call the Joint Worksession to order at 6:00 pm and declared a quorum present and stated the Joint Work Session would adjourn at 7 PM.

#### 3. Set Agenda

As Published

### 4. Invocation & Pledge of Allegiance

#### 5. Approval of Minutes

**5.A.** Approval of Minutes 2/28/24

0609

### Attachments: Minutes 2-28-24

Motion made by Ethics Commission Chairperson Yancy Belcher to approve the minutes of 2/28/24 as published, 2nd by Commissioner Milele.

Minutes adopted with no objection.

### 6. Citizens Comments

Citizens Comment Limited to three (3) minutes per person - Ordinance 2008-24 No pros or cons voiced. 0610

### 7. Proposed Amendments to the Ethics Ordinance

Discussion was held on the propoal from Ethics Commission Member Georgina Hughes. Items discussed:

Pre-Registration for Citizens Comments Attorney Fees City Attorney Gino Marchetti recommended the amount for an attorney to be increased to \$20K Change 30 days to 180 days and 365 days if concealment How investigations are handled First Hand knowledge A way to look into an issue prior to filing a complaint Retaliation Complaints How investigations are handled

Commissioner Justice recommended the Ethics Commission members meet to come up with a proposal to present to the BoC.

Recommended that any person that has a recommendation to send it to City Atorney Gino Marchetti, and Ethics Commission Member Georgina Hughes.

The next Joint Work Session was scheduled for May 29th at 5:15 PM

| 7.A. | Commissioner Justice's Proposed Revisions             |                                                                              | <u>0606</u> |
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|      | Attachments:                                          | Proposed Commissioner Justice                                                |             |
| 7.B. | Ethics Commiss                                        | sion Member Georgina Hughes Proposal                                         | <u>0607</u> |
|      | Attachments:                                          | Proposed Revisons to MJ Ethics Code Georgina Hughes                          |             |
| 7.C. | Mayor Maness                                          | - MTAS Model Ethics Ordinance                                                | <u>0608</u> |
|      | Attachments:                                          | Proposed MTAS Model Ordinance Mayor Maness                                   |             |
| 7.D. | Commissioner l<br>proposal                            | Milele's proposal edited from Commissioner Justice's                         | <u>0612</u> |
|      | Attachments:                                          | Commissioner Milele Proposals edited from Commissioner<br>Justice's Proposal |             |
| 7.E. | Proposed amendments from City Attorney Gino Marchetti |                                                                              | <u>0614</u> |
|      | Attachments:                                          | Proposed City Attorney Gino Marchetti                                        |             |

# 8. Adjournment

The Joint Work Session Adjourned at 7:25 PM