

MEETING IN REGULAR SESSION

November 21, 2024– 6:00 P.M.
Cotter City Hall Council Chamber

AGENDA

Call to Order
Roll Call
Invocation
Pledge of Allegiance

REPORTS

Approval of City Council Regular Minutes for October 24, 2024
Financial Report (Included in Council Packets)
Public Works Department Report
Fire Department Report
Police Department Report
Building Permit Report
Planning and Zoning Commission Report
Cotter-Gassville Sewer Commission Report
Tree Advisory Board Report

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- None at this time.

NEW BUSINESS

- Council to consider Ordinance 2024-09 – An Ordinance to amend Ordinance 2022-06 by changing the hours of Allow Alcohol Sales on Sunday.
- Council to schedule a public hearing for comments prior to the December 19, 2024, council meeting to consider petition to close alley from College and State Street between Hazel and View Street. (See attached petition from property owners and P&Z's recommendations.)

INFORMATION

- A 2nd Budget Workshop is scheduled for December 16, 2024, if needed
- The December Council meeting has been changed to December 19, 2024 due to the holidays
- The City of Cotter proclaimed Saturday, November 16, 2024, as ARBOR Day where three Autumn Blaze Maples were planted in Big Spring Park in the circle in front of the Caboose
- The City of Cotter received approval on the \$15,000 Rural Services Economic Community Grant from the Arkansas Economic Development Commission for Park lighting along the new sidewalk under the bridge per Resolution 2024-05
- The Big Spring Parkway Paving Project is completed. Grant was provided by AGFC Marine Fuel Tax Program.
- The Generator Project at the Well has been completed from monies received from Arkansas Hazardous Mitigation Grant program with the help of grant writer Tina Cole with the NWAEDD.
- The Sewer Phase II Project is scheduled to be completed by the end of January.
- The Booster Pump Project at the Well is scheduled to be completed in December/January. This project is being funded by the America Rescue Act funds received from the Dept of Treasury in 2021.
- The City of Cotter made a request for assistance to the Program Director Lorie Tudor, Arkansas Department of Transportation to be considered for a Traffic Light at Highway 412 Harding/Denton Ferry Road through the Intersection Improvement Program.
- Chelsey Weaver with the NWAEDD submitted our Arkansas Community and Development Program grant application for exterior/interior improvements for the North Arkansas Youth Center. The estimated cost for the project is \$500,000 dollars, if approved for a 100% Grant with no match required.
- Missouri and Northern Arkansas Railroad (MNA) and ARDOT may install crossing gates at railroad crossing at Hwy 345 near South Street.
- White River Marathon for Kenya shall be held on November 23, 2024.
- Coffee with the Mayor is set for 8:00 am on Friday, December 20, 2024, at Cotter Bridge Market.

Sign-Ins:
Council Comments:
Public Announcements:
Adjourn