



CITY OF NEWTON

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AGENDA

NEWTON CITY COUNCIL

Tuesday, April 16, 2024 at 6:00 PM

Newton City Hall

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1. CALL TO ORDER: Joshua J. Kuhl, Mayor
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE led by Alderman Mike Swick.
3. ROLL CALL: Maggie McDonald, City Clerk
4. ADOPT OR AMEND AGENDA
5. APPROVAL OF REGULAR MINUTES of April 2, 2024
6. APPROVAL OF BILLS & ACCOUNTS PAYABLE:
7. PUBLIC COMMENTS/COMMUNICATIONS:
8. COMMITTEE REPORTS OR COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE REPORTS:
 - Finance and Audit Committee Meeting on Wednesday, April 10, 2024 at 6:00 PM.
9. OLD BUSINESS:
 - A. Consider and act on authorizing an Agreement with IDOT and the Indiana Rail Road for Railway-Highway Grade Crossing Improvements on S. 1st Ave., Sycamore St. and West End Ave.
 - B. Consider and act on authorizing a Dumpster Reimbursement Application for 505 N. Church St. in the amount of \$2,421.00 as recommended by the Finance and Audit Committee.
 - C. Consider and act on authorizing a Dumpster Reimbursement Application for 505½ N. Church St. in the amount of \$2,421.00 as recommended by the Finance and Audit Committee.
 - D. Consider and act on authorizing the 2024-2025 City of Newton balanced budget.
 - E. Consider and act on authorizing the invoice from Precise Construction Services for the additional sidewalk replacement cost at E. Washington St. in the amount of \$2,867.00.
 - F. Consider and act on authorizing the Engineer's Payment Estimate, with the additional sidewalk replacement cost included for E. Washington St., in the amount of \$32,842.19.
 - G. Consider and act on authorizing the invoice from Stone & Waggoner for final sidewalk inspection at E. Washington St. in the amount of \$2,934.96.
10. NEW BUSINESS:
 - A. Consider and act on authorizing Stone & Waggoner to conduct a survey for a Right-of-Way Easement between E. Curtis St. and Maxwell St.
 - B. Consider and act on authorizing the City Attorney to prepare the Right-of-Way Easement between E. Curtis St. and Maxwell St.
 - C. Consider and act on authorizing Brad Benefiel's retirement letter, after 34 years of employment with the City of Newton, effective May 15, 2024.
11. STATEMENTS BY: Council Members, City Attorney, City Treasurer, City Clerk (Wastewater PO #12 and Street PO #1002-22.), Mayor
12. NEXT REGULAR MEETING: May 7, 2024 at 6:00 PM
SCHEDULED COMMITTEE MEETINGS:
13. EXECUTIVE SESSION:
14. ADJOURNMENT