

City of Ashville
Council Meeting Minutes
April 7, 2025

The City of Ashville held a council meeting on Monday, April 7, 2025. Present were Mayor Derrick Mostella, Councilmembers Shirley Smith, Denise Williams, Adam Abernathy, Robin Bowlin, and Edward Roscoe Lane.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to approve the final meeting agenda. Councilmember Shirley Smith made a motion to approve the final meeting agenda; Councilmember Denise Williams seconded the motion; all councilmembers voted yes; motion carried.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to approve the minutes of the March 17, 2025, meeting. Councilmember Shirley Smith made a motion to approve the minutes of the March 17, 2025, meeting. Councilmember Denise Williams seconded the motion; all councilmembers voted yes; motion carried.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to close Court Street East and 6th Avenue for AHS Athletic event on May 10, 2025. Councilmember Robin Bowlin made a motion to close Court Street East and 6th Avenue for AHS Athletic event on May 10, 2025; Councilmember Edward Roscoe Lane seconded the motion; all councilmembers voted yes; motion carried.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to change the May 19, 2025, council meeting, to Tuesday, May 20, 2025, due to AHS Graduation. Councilmember Edward Roscoe Lane made a motion to change the May 19, 2025, council meeting to Tuesday, May 20, 2025, due to AHS Graduation. Councilmember Robin Bowlin seconded the motion; all councilmembers voted yes; motion carried.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to donate \$1,800 to AHS Archery. Councilmember Robin Bowlin made a motion to donate \$1800 to AHS Archery. Councilmember Shirley Smith seconded the motion; Councilmember Adam Abernathy abstained; all other councilmembers voted yes; motion carried.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to approve Resolution 2025-016 Surplus handheld and mobile radios. Councilmember Denise Williams made a motion to approve Resolution 2025-016 Surplus handheld and mobile radios. Councilmember Shirley Smith seconded the motion; all councilmembers voted yes; motion carried.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to suspend the rules of order to consider Ordinance 2025-003 Waive Business License and Permit Fees for Youth Opening Day. Councilmember Robin

Bowlin made a motion to suspend the rules of order to consider Ordinance 2025-003 Waive Business License and Permit Fees for Youth Opening Day. Councilmember Edward Roscoe Lane seconded the motion; in a roll call vote, Councilmember Shirley Smith voted yes, Councilmember Denise Williams voted yes, Councilmember Adam Abernathy voted yes, Mayor Derrick Mostella voted yes, Councilmember Robin Bowlin voted yes, and Councilmember Edward Roscoe Lane voted yes; motion carried.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to approve Ordinance 2025-003 Waive Business License and Permit Fees for Youth Opening Day. Councilmember Denise Williams made a motion to approve Ordinance 2025-003 Waive Business License and Permit Fees for Youth Opening Day; Councilmember Robin Bowlin seconded the motion; all councilmembers voted yes; motion carried.

There were no items from the work session to be considered.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to approve paying the bills due. Councilmember Denise Williams made a motion to approve paying the bills due; Councilmember Shirley Smith seconded the motion; all councilmembers voted yes; motion carried.

Announcements:

- The next City Council meeting will be April 21, 2025, at 6pm. There will not be a work session due to the ZBA meeting at 5:30.
- Statement of Economic Interest Forms must be completed by April 30, 2025.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to adjourn. Councilmember Robin Bowlin made a motion to adjourn; Councilmember Edward Roscoe Lane seconded the motion; all councilmembers voted yes; motion carried.

Derrick Mostella, Mayor

Chrystal St. John