## City of Ashville Council Meeting November 4, 2024 @ 6:00 PM

Mayor Derrick Mostella called the Council meeting to order at 6:38pm on November 4, 2024.

Mayor Derrick Mostella, Councilmembers Robin Bowlin, Edward Roscoe Lane, Shirley Smith, and Denise Williams were present. Councilmember Adam Abernathy was absent.

Mayor Derrick 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 approved.

Mayor Derrick Mostella asked for a motion to approve the minutes from the October 21, 2024, Council Meeting. Councilmember Denise Williams made a motion to approve the minutes from the October 21, 2024, meeting; Councilmember Shirley Smith seconded the motion; all councilmembers voted yes, motion approved.

Mayor Derrick Mostella asked for a motion to approve Resolution 2024-021 Surplus Service Truck. Councilmember Robin Bowlin made a motion to approve Resolution 2024-021 Surplus Service Truck. Councilmember Edward Roscoe Lane seconded the motion; all councilmembers voted yes; motion approved.

Mayor Derrick Mostella asked for a motion to approve the purchase of 6 Southern Link radios for the fire department at approx. \$50 each and the patch to make them compatible to the P25's. The patch cost approximately \$8,000. However, several fire departments have expressed interest in combining group efforts and sharing the cost of the patch. Councilmember Shirley Smith made a motion approve the purchase of 6 Southern Link radios for the fire department at approx. \$50 each and the patch to make them compatible to the P25's pending attorney review. Councilmember Denise Williams seconded the motion; all Councilmembers voted yes; motion approved.

Mayor Derrick Mostella asked for a motion to add a water department employee. Councilmember Edward Roscoe Lane made a motion to add a water department employee; Councilmember Robin Bowlin seconded the motion; all councilmembers voted yes; motion approved.

Mayor Derrick Mostella asked for a motion to pay the bills due. Councilmember Denise Williams made a motion to approve the bills due. Councilmember Shirley Smith seconded the motion, all Councilmembers voted yes; motion approved.

## Announcements:

• The next City Council meeting will be November 18, 2024, at 6pm. We will not have a work session due to ZBA and Planning Commission Meetings.

- City Hall will be closed Monday, November 11 for Veterans Day
- City Hall will be closed Thursday, November 28 and Friday, November 29 for Thanksgiving
- Christmas Tree Lighting Sunday, December 1 6pm-8pm
- Christmas on the Square and Christmas Parade, Saturday, December 14 Noon -7pm

Mayor Derrick Mostella asked for a motion to adjou	rn. Councilmember Denise Williams made a motion
to adjourn. Councilmember Shirley Smith seconded approved.	the motion, all Councilmembers voted yes; motion
Derrick Mostella, Mayor	Chrystal St. John, City Clerk