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**MEETING OF
THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF COLUMBUS, MS
October 20, 2020**

CFO/SECRETARY-TREASURER
DELIAH VAUGHN

POLICE CHIEF
FREDERICK C. SHELTON

FIRE CHIEF
MARTIN ANDREWS

HUMAN RESOURCES DIRECTOR
PATRICIA MITCHELL

**INTERIM CITY PLANNING &
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**
GEORGE IRBY

I. CALL TO ORDER AND INVOCATION

II. APPROVE MINUTES FOR PREVIOUS MEETINGS.

A. MINUTES FOR THE MEETING OF OCTOBER 6, 2020

III. APPROVE DOCKET OF CLAIMS.

A. DOCKET OF CLAIMS FOR OCTOBER 20, 2020

IV. CONFIRMATION OF/OR AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA

V. CONSENT AGENDA

- M. Andrews** A. Ratify request for one (1) Fire and Rescue Firefighter to attend "HazMat A & O Test" held in Jackson, MS, and approve payment of meal expenses.
- S. James** B. Approve travel request for the Code Enforcement Officer to attend the "Keep Mississippi/Alabama Beautiful Conference" to be held in Flowood, MS, and approve travel and meal expenses.
- F. Shelton** C. Accept letter of resignation from one (1) CPD Officer, effective October 6, 2020.
- F. Shelton** D. Approve permit request submitted by Grozie Thomas, on behalf of the Mississippi Headturners, to host a "Halloween Cruise/Parade" to be held on October 30, 2020 from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m., in areas of North, South and East Columbus.

VI. REPORTS, PROCLAMATIONS, RECOGNITIONS AGENDA:

- R. Smith** A. General Comments from the Mayor and Council
- M. Andrews** B. Monthly Report from the Columbus Fire and Rescue Department for September 2020
- W. Blunt** C. Monthly Report from the Municipal Court Department for September 2020
- C. Bush** D. Monthly Report from the Public Works Department for September 2020
- G. Irby** E. Monthly Report from the City Planning & Community Development Department for September 2020
- S. James** F. Monthly Report from the Code Enforcement Department for September 2020
- G. Lewis** G. Monthly Report from the Columbus Recreation Department for September 2020
- F. Shelton** H. Monthly Report from the Columbus Police Department for September 2020

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| K. Wiegel | I. | Monthly Report from the Building Inspection Department for September 2020 |
| D. Vaughn | J. | Financial Report |
| D. Armstrong | K. | Board Vacancies |

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT & APPEALS OF DEVELOPMENT CODES

- 1 Vacancy, Ralph McLain's 2-Year Term Expires 10/16/2020.
- Requirements: Applicants must be an Electrical Engineer or Contractor.
- Appointment can be made October 20, 2020.
- No applicants at this time

VII. CITIZENS INPUT AGENDA

VIII. POLICY AGENDA:

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| D. Vaughn | A. | Discuss/Approve the Municipal Compliance Questionnaire. |
| D. Armstrong | B. | Discuss/Approve Air Force License for use of Firing Range. |
| K. Wiegel | C. | Discuss/Approve recommendations from the October 13, 2020 Planning Commission meeting. |
| S. James | D. | Discuss/Approve Derelict Property Docket. |
| J. Turnage | E. | Discuss/Approve City/County Drug Task Force Agreement. |

IX. EXECUTIVE SESSION:

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| A. | Personnel Matters (4) |
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