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**MEETING OF
THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF COLUMBUS, MS
December 5, 2023**

I. CALL TO ORDER AND INVOCATION

II. CONFIRMATION OF/OR AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA

III. APPROVE MINUTES FOR PREVIOUS MEETINGS.

- A. Approve Minutes from Meeting of November 21, 2023

IV. CONSENT AGENDA

- J. Daughtry** A. Accept letter of resignation from two (2) Columbus Police Department Officers, effective December 1, 2023 and approve compensation for unused vacation leave according to State policy.
- D. Hughes** B. Accept letter of resignation from one (1) Columbus Fire & Rescue Personnel, effective immediately and approve compensation for unused vacation leave according to State policy.
- J. Garrett** C. Approve request to compensate BAM in the amount of \$675 for grass cutting/ landscaping of Sandfield Cemetery.
- J. Garrett** D. Approve request to reimburse for National League of Cities expenses in the amount of \$159.60.

V. APPROVE DOCKET OF CLAIMS.

- J. Brigham** A. Approve Docket of Claims for December 5, 2023

VI. REPORTS, PROCLAMATIONS, RECOGNITIONS AGENDA:

- A. Comments from Mayor & Council
- G. Lewis** B. Columbus Parks & Recreation - Outstanding Community Service
- J. Garrett** C. Board Vacancies

GOLDEN TRIANGLE REGIONAL WASTE MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY

1 Vacancy, 4 Year Term, Roger Burlingame's Term Expires 12/31/2023.
Appointment will be made January 2, 2024.

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS & APPEALS OF DEVELOPMENT CODES

1 Vacancy, 5 Year Term, Bryan Brown's Term Expires 01/02/2024.
Appointment will be made January 2, 2024.

Bryan Brown

COLUMBUS HOUSING AUTHORITY

1 Vacancy, 5 Year-Term, Vivian S. Irby's Term Expires 7/7/2025.
Appointment will be made Jan 2, 2024.

Glenda Richardson

VII. CITIZENS INPUT AGENDA

VIII. POLICY AGENDA:

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| S. James | A. | Discuss/Approve Derelict Property Docket |
| D. Hughes | B. | Discuss/Approve Columbus Fire and Rescue is requesting access to Fire Insurance Rebate Funds in the amount of \$15,757.75. |
| Z. Foster | C. | Discuss/Approve quote from Robertson & Webster Electric in the amount of \$3,900.00 to repair the PAPI lights. |
| K. Stafford | D. | Discuss/Approve Change Order No. 1 in the amount of \$59,032.00 for the Historic Hwy 182 Bridge Over Tombigbee River - Bridge Repair and Pier 2 Replacement. |
| K. Stafford | E. | Discuss/Approve \$3,950 Change Order for Trotter Admin Ramp Wall Addition and Excess Excavation Removal. |
| K. Stafford | F. | Discuss/Approve awarding field turf and fencing replacement bid to the lowest responsive bidder, Weathers Construction, for the amount of \$1,473,600. |

IX. EXECUTIVE SESSION:

- A. Prospective Litigation (1)
- B. Personnel Matters (2)