

Council Proceedings of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana
December 28, 2021

The City Council meeting of the City Council of the City of Shreveport, State of Louisiana was called to order by Vice Chair Taylor at 3:19 p. m. Tuesday, December 28, 2021, in the Government Chamber in Government Plaza (505 Travis Street).

Invocation was given by Councilman Green.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Councilman Bowman.

The roll was called. Present: Councilwoman Tabatha Taylor, Councilmen Alan Jackson, James Green and Jerry Bowman. 4. Absent: Councilwoman LeVette Fuller, Councilmen John Nickelson and Grayson Boucher. 3.

Motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to approve the minutes of the Administrative Conference, Monday, December 13, 2021, the Council meeting, Tuesday, December 14, 2021. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

City Attorney Lattier: Madam Chair, in accordance with Councilman Jackson's appointment, I would like to offer into the record his appointment from the governor, a letter to him from me that's required per section 2-107 of the code of ordinances of Shreveport, his oath of office which has been stamped filed and recorded, December 28, 2021, to the Caddo Parish Clerk of Court and his original oath of office, which will be forwarded to the Secretary of State expeditiously. Thank you.

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS, COMMUNICATIONS OF THE MAYOR RELATIVE TO CITY BUSINESS, AND REQUIRED REPORTS
AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS BY CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS, NOT TO EXCEED FIFTEEN MINUTES
AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS BY THE MAYOR, NOT TO EXCEED FIFTEEN MINUTES
COMMUNICATIONS OF THE MAYOR RELATIVE TO CITY BUSINESS OTHER THAN AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

REPORTS:

Property Standards Report (resolution 7 of 2003)

Revenue Collection Plan & Implementation Report (resolution 114 of 2009)

Mr. Clark provided the council with a Master Plan Committee Report (resolution 132 of 2012)

Budget to Actual Financial Report (resolution 183 of 2017)

PUBLIC HEARING: NONE

ADDING ITEMS TO THE AGENDA, PUBLIC COMMENTS, CONFIRMATIONS AND APPOINTMENTS

ADDING LEGISLATION TO THE AGENDA (REGULAR MEETING ONLY) AND PUBLIC COMMENTS ON MOTIONS TO ADD ITEMS TO THE AGENDA

The Clerk read the following:

Ordinance No. 228 of 2021: An ordinance amending the 2022 Budget Funding Contractual Services provided to Sportran by Metro Management Associates, Inc. and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (A/Taylor, F/Green, G/Bowman)

Councilwoman Taylor asked those in attendance if there was anyone present to speak in favor of or in opposition to adding Ordinance No. 228 of 2021 to the agenda. No one spoke.

Motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to add Ordinance No. 228 of 2021 to the agenda. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

PUBLIC COMMENTS (IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 1.11 OF THE RULES OF PROCEDURE) (ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE ON ANY MATTER OF PUBLIC CONCERN REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THE ITEM IS ON THE AGENDA) (REGULAR MEETING ON MATTERS WHICH ARE ON THE AGENDA)

Ken Krefft submitted comments as it relates to the proposed 13% pay raise.

Sammy Mears spoke in support of Resolution No. 159 of 2021.

Apostle Thomas Sweeney made general comments as it relates to false accusations against the National Association for the Advancement of God's People.

Jake Flukers made general comments as it relates to Environmental Court.

Marvin Muhammad made general comments as it relates to Resolution No. 166 of 2021 and the proposed 13% pay raise.

Robert Johnson made general comments as it relates to Ordinance No. 204 of 2021.

**CONFIRMATION AND APPOINTMENTS: NONE
CONSENT AGENDA LEGISLATION
TO INTRODUCE ROUTINE ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS
RESOLUTIONS: NONE
ORDINANCES: NONE
TO ADOPT ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS
RESOLUTIONS: NONE
ORDINANCES: NONE
REGULAR AGENDA LEGISLATION
RESOLUTIONS ON SECOND READING AND FINAL PASSAGE OR WHICH WILL
REQUIRE ONLY ONE READING**

The Clerk read the following:

Resolution No. 132 of 2021: A resolution authorizing the mayor to execute an Option to Ground Lease between the City of Shreveport and Shreveport HP Allendale, LLC and otherwise providing with respect thereto

Read by title and as read motion by Councilwoman Taylor, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to postpone. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 135 OF 2021

A RESOLUTION TO AMEND RESOLUTION NO. 87 OF 2021 WHICH WAS ADOPTED TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA AND C. EDWARDS CONCEPTS, LLC. TO PROVIDE CURBSIDE RECYCLING WITHIN THE LIMITS OF SHREVEPORT AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

BY COUNCILMEMBER: JAMES GREEN

WHEREAS, in an effort to maintain a recycling option at no additional cost to the citizens, the City issued Request for Proposals (RFP) #20-828 for the purpose of identifying and selecting a new service provider for recycling services; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the RFP selection committee that C. Edwards Concepts, LLC of Shreveport is the most feasible, viable and effective option; and

WHEREAS, C. Edwards Concepts, LLC of Shreveport sets forth in its response that it can better serve the citizens of Shreveport by providing semi-monthly curbside collections; and

WHEREAS, amendment no. 1 was proposed by the City Council to require C. Edwards Concepts, LLC to provide a surety bond acceptable to the City in the amount of the total compensation indicated in the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to amend the contract to require the surety bond for the first year only in the amount of \$1.9 million, with the necessity for the surety bond to be re-evaluated on a year-to-year basis after the first year.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in due, legal, and regular session convened, that the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute an amendment to Resolution 87 of 2021 as to the terms of the contract, providing a surety bond for one year to be re-evaluated after the first year on a year-to-year basis, as well as any other related and accompanying documents to carry out the intent of this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provision or item of this resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or application of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items, or application and, to this end, the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared servable; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent:

Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 155 OF 2021

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT AND THE AFRICAN AMERICAN CELEBRATION CORPORATION AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the City desires to support and sponsor cultural and leisure activity programs which serve a public purpose and render a public benefit; and

WHEREAS, African American Celebration Corporation, desires to provide a public benefit through its African American History Parade and Celebration; and

WHEREAS, City desires to accept this extension with the African American Celebration Corporation, which will enable it to continue to sponsor its programs.

NOW BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport in due, legal and regular session convened, that the Mayor is authorized to execute an amendment to the agreement with the African American Celebration Corporation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provision or item of this resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or application, and to this end, the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 156 OF 2021

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT AND THE KREWE OF CENTAUR RELATIVE TO MARDI GRAS PARADES AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, the City desires to support and sponsor cultural and leisure activity programs which serve a public purpose and render a public benefit; and

WHEREAS, Krewe of Centaur, desires to provide a public benefit through its Mardi Gras Parade and Celebration; and

WHEREAS, City desires to accept this extension with the Krewe of Centaur, which will enable it to continue to sponsor its programs.

NOW BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport in due, legal and regular session convened, that the Mayor is authorized to execute an amendment to the agreement with the Krewe of Centaur.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provision or item of this resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or application, and to this end, the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 157 OF 2021

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT AND THE KREWE OF GEMINI RELATIVE TO MARDI GRAS PARADES AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the City desires to support and sponsor cultural and leisure activity programs which serve a public purpose and render a public benefit; and

WHEREAS, Krewe of Gemini, desires to provide a public benefit through its Mardi Gras Parade and Celebration; and

WHEREAS, City desires to accept this extension with the Krewe of Gemini, which will enable it to continue to sponsor its programs.

NOW BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport in due, legal and regular session convened, that the Mayor is authorized to execute an amendment to the agreement with the Krewe of Gemini.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provision or item of this resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or application, and to this end, the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilwoman Taylor, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 158 OF 2021

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A COOPERATIVE ENDEAVOR AGREEMENT WITH THE KREWE OF HARAMBEE, AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the Krewe of Harambee, a duly organized non-profit organization together with the City of Shreveport will host the 21st Annual Mardi Gras Parade in Shreveport; and

WHEREAS, the event is dedicated to the member's heritage and history and will provide an opportunity for citizens of the City of Shreveport to enjoy quality of life events and programs that celebrate the legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King in the spirit of Mardi Gras; and

WHEREAS, persons residing in and around Shreveport are the primary beneficiaries of the efforts made by the Krewe of Harambee during their Mardi Gras Parade; and

WHEREAS, the efforts of the Krewe of Harambee provides a benefit to the public and serves a public purpose; and

WHEREAS, the City of Shreveport will serve as the co-sponsor of the annual Krewe of Harambee Parade.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in due, regular and legal session convened that the Mayor is authorized to execute a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Krewe of Harambee; substantially in accordance with the draft thereof which was filed for public inspection in the Office of the Clerk of Council.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that if any provision or item of this resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications and to this end the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolution or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 159 OF 2021

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A COOPERATIVE ENDEAVOR AGREEMENT WITH THE KREWE OF HIGHLAND, AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the Krewe of Highland, a duly organized non-profit organization together with the City of Shreveport will host the 28th Annual Mardi Gras Parade in Shreveport; and

WHEREAS, the event is dedicated to the citizens of Highland and will provide an opportunity for citizens of the City of Shreveport to enjoy quality of life events and programs that promote Mardi Gras and community fellowship; and

WHEREAS, persons residing in and around Shreveport are the primary beneficiaries of the efforts made by the Krewe of Highland during their Mardi Gras Parade; and

WHEREAS, the efforts of the Krewe of Highland provides a benefit to the public and serves a public purpose; and

WHEREAS, the City of Shreveport will serve as the co-sponsor of the annual Krewe of Highland Parade.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in due, regular and legal session convened that the Mayor is authorized to execute a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Krewe of Highland; substantially in accordance with the draft thereof which was filed for public inspection in the Office of the Clerk of Council.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that if any provision or item of this resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications and to this end the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolution or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 160 OF 2021

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A COOPERATIVE ENDEAVOR AGREEMENT WITH THE KREWE OF SOBEK, AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, the Krewe of Sobek, a duly organized non-profit organization together with the City of Shreveport will host the 17th Annual Mardi Gras Parade in Shreveport; and
WHEREAS, the event is dedicated to the citizens in the inner city and will provide an opportunity for citizens of the City of Shreveport to enjoy quality of life events and programs that promote Mardi Gras and community fellowship; and

WHEREAS, persons residing in and around Shreveport are the primary beneficiaries of the efforts made by the Krewe of Sobek during their Mardi Gras Parade; and

WHEREAS, the efforts of the Krewe of Sobek provides a benefit to the public and serves a public purpose; and

WHEREAS, the City of Shreveport will serve as the co-sponsor of the annual Krewe of Sobek Parade.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in due, regular and legal session convened that the Mayor is authorized to execute a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Krewe of Sobek; substantially in accordance with the draft thereof which was filed for public inspection in the Office of the Clerk of Council.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that if any provision or item of this resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications and to this end the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolution or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 161 OF 2021

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA, PURCHASING AGENT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR PURCHASE OF A 1 TON REGULAR CAB 4X2 WITH AUTO CRANE & FLASHING LIGHTS BID IFB #21-062 AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, on November 23, 2021, one (1) bid was received as a result of solicitation for Purchase of a 1 Ton Regular Cab 4x2 with Auto Crane & Flashing Lights (IFB-21-062);

WHEREAS, responsive bid was over the project budget; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Shreveport City Charter Sec. 10.07, the Purchasing Agent may reject any and all bids and readvertise for bids with the approval of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Shreveport City Code Sec. 26-269 the City has adopted, by reference, portions of the Louisiana Procurement Code (LPC) (La. R.S. 39:1551 through 39:2319) for the purchase of goods, materials, supplies and equipment; and
WHEREAS, La. R.S. 39:1605, authorizes the Purchasing Agent to cancel or reject, an invitation for bids, a request for proposal, or other solicitation(s), only if it is determined in writing by the Purchasing Agent, or her designee, that such action is taken in the best interest of the City; and
WHEREAS, it has been determined by the Purchasing Agent, and/or his/her designee, that such action is being taken in the best interests of the City.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport in due, legal and regular session convened that the Purchasing Agent, or her designee, is hereby authorized to reject all bid(s) received for #IFB 21-062.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provision or item of this Resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications, and to this end the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions, or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

Resolution No. 162 of 2021: A resolution stating the City of Shreveport's endorsement of New Shreveport Renewal, LLC - United Jewelers to participate in the benefits of the Louisiana Restoration Tax Abatement Program and to otherwise provide with respect thereto (**Not to be adopted prior to a public hearing on January 11, 2022**)

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to postpone. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

Resolution No. 163 of 2021: A resolution stating the City Of Shreveport's endorsement of New Shreveport Renewal, LLC - Lee Hardware to participate in the benefits of the Louisiana Restoration Tax Abatement Program and to otherwise provide with respect thereto (**Not to be adopted prior to a public hearing on January 11, 2022**)

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to postpone. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

Resolution No. 164 of 2021: A resolution stating the City of Shreveport's endorsement of New Shreveport Renewal, LLC - United Jewelers Townhomes to participate in the benefit of the

Louisiana Restoration Tax Abatement program and to otherwise provide with respect thereto (Not to be adopted prior to a public hearing on January 11, 2022)

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilwoman Taylor, to postpone. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

Resolution No. 165 of 2021: A resolution approving a restoration tax abatement renewal application for Venyu Solutions, LLC, 601 Milam Street, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto (Not to be adopted prior to a public hearing on January 11, 2022)

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to postpone. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

Resolution No. 166 of 2021: A resolution in support of and establishing a Tax Increment Financing (TIF) District, a proposed public improvement district, wholly within the city limits of the City of Shreveport, and otherwise providing with respect thereto. (F/Green)

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilwoman Taylor, to postpone. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

Resolution No. 167 of 2021: A resolution to recognize Louisiana Prize Fest for their contributions to the Shreveport community and to celebrate their 10-year anniversary, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (B/Fuller)

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to postpone. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 168 OF 2021

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING BROTHER SUNROSE “GAYPOPPA” RUTLEDGE AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO DEDICATE THE 1400 BLOCK OF MADISON STREET IN HIS HONOR, AND OTHERWISE PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO.

BY: COUNCILWOMAN TABATHA TAYLOR

WHEREAS, Brother Sonrose “GayPoppa” Rutledge better known formally, to many, as GayPoppa “The Godfather of Louisiana” has been a radio personality for over thirty-seven years; and

WHEREAS, GayPoppa started his radio career in Bessemer, Alabama in the early 1950’s, he was honored as one of the great radio announcers in the Birmingham, Alabama Black Radio

Museum; and

WHEREAS, GayPoppa came to Shreveport as an announcer for KOKA in the early 1960's. He immediately saw the lack of involvement in the community, so after getting his name established, he reached out to schools and formed "Roll Call or Check In"; and

WHEREAS, whenever the schools would have something special GayPoppa would make sure he would announce it through the radio station and even made personal appearances at the schools for fund raising events; and

WHEREAS, GayPoppa and the radio station were given many awards for their participation from schools all over the city, some schools would even bring their classes during field day to watch as he did his show on the radio; and

WHEREAS, GayPoppa and KOKA partnered with the Sickle Cell Anemia Foundation, the Black Negro College Fund, Christians Services telethon to help wherever needed. In 1993 the telethon raised more than \$81,000.00; and

WHEREAS, GayPoppa saw the need for Shreveport-Bossier to get the same entertainment larger cities were receiving and for young adults to have somewhere to go and be entertained, so he created "Thing Night", formed GayPoppa Enterprises Inc. and teamed up with booking agencies around the country and started promoting big time concerts at the Municipal Auditorium and Hirsch Memorial Coliseum; and

WHEREAS, GayPoppa would emcee most concerts himself for entertainers that Shreveport-Bossier and the surrounding cities never thought they would see, such as, James Brown, B.B. King, Al Green Aretha Franklin, Otis Redding, Gladys Knight and the Pips, the O'Jays, Michael Jackson and the Jackson Five, Earth, Wind and Fire, Marvin Gaye, Ike and Tina Turner, to name a few; and

WHEREAS, GayPoppa went from radio announcer, to music director, to program director, and in the fall of 1973 he became the first black man to ever manage a Shreveport broadcast station; and

WHEREAS, at what seemed to be the height of his career he had a vision of KOKA becoming an all-gospel radio station and after prayer and negotiation he, the general station manager, James Reeder, and other owners were convinced that it could very well work; and

WHEREAS, in 1987 Sunrose Rutledge gave up the name "GayPoppa" that he used in radio for decades. He did his final rhythm and blues radio show, bid his listener's farewell, and asked them to join him Monday morning serving the Lord as Brother Rutledge; and

WHEREAS, Brother Rutledge said he could not have made a better decision and thanks God for what he has done for him and his family, and the rest is history with even better things yet to come.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport in due, legal and regular session convened, that the Mayor, on behalf of the City, is authorized to dedicate the 1400 block of Madison Street in honor of Brother Sunrose Rutledge.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in accordance with Resolution No. 156 of 2019, the dedication marker should be approximately 9 inches tall and 42 inches wide and should be placed on an existing standard or street sign if the placement is authorized by the Traffic Engineering.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilwoman Taylor, seconded by Councilman

Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS (*NOT TO BE ADOPTED PRIOR TO (January 11, 2022 (Motion and second is sufficient to introduce resolutions)*)

The Clerk read the following:

1. **Resolution No. 169 of 2021**: A resolution authorizing the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, Purchasing Agent to reject all bids received for Sewer Video CCTV Truck w/ Lateral Launcher & Steerable Transporter IFB Bid #21-054 and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.
2. **Resolution No. 170 of 2021**: A resolution authorizing the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, Purchasing Agent to reject all bids received for Valencia Spray Park. Bid IFB #21-063 and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilwoman Taylor, to introduce Resolution No(s). 169 and 170 of 2021 to lay over until the next regular meeting.

INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES (*NOT TO BE ADOPTED PRIOR TO January 11, 2022 (Motion and second is sufficient to introduce resolutions)*)

The Clerk read the following:

1. **Ordinance No. 215 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2022 Riverfront Development Special Revenue Fund budget and otherwise providing with respect thereto. (A/Taylor, F/Green, G/Bowman)
2. **Ordinance No. 216 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2022 General Fund budget, and otherwise providing with respect thereto. (A/Taylor, F/Green, G/Bowman)
3. **Ordinance No. 217 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2022 Retained Risk Fund budget and otherwise providing with respect thereto. (A/Taylor, F/Green, G/Bowman)
4. **Ordinance No. 218 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2022 Metropolitan Planning Commission Special Revenue Fund budget and otherwise providing with respect thereto. (A/Taylor, F/Green, G/Bowman)
5. **Ordinance No. 219 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2022 Community Development Special Revenue Fund budget and otherwise providing with respect thereto. (A/Taylor, F/Green, G/Bowman)
6. **Ordinance No. 220 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2022 Golf Enterprise Fund budget and otherwise providing with respect thereto. (A/Taylor, F/Green, G/Bowman)
7. **Ordinance No. 221 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2022 Airports Enterprise Fund budget and otherwise providing with respect thereto. (A/Taylor, F/Green, G/Bowman)
8. **Ordinance No. 222 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2022 Water and Sewerage Fund budget and otherwise providing with respect thereto. (A/Taylor, F/Green, G/Bowman)
9. **Ordinance No. 223 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2022 Solid Waste Enterprise Fund budget and otherwise providing with respect thereto. (A/Taylor, F/Green, G/Bowman)

10. **Ordinance No. 224 of 2021:** An ordinance amending the 2022 General Fund budget and otherwise providing with respect thereto. (C/Nickelson, D/Boucher)
11. **Ordinance No. 225 of 2021: Zoning Case No. 21-154-C** An ordinance to amend the official zoning map of the City of Shreveport Unified Development Code, by rezoning property located on the south side of Hollywood Ave., approx. 270' east of Linwood Ave., Shreveport, Caddo Parish, LA., from R-1-7, Single-Family Residential District to C-1, Neighborhood Commercial District, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (B/Fuller)
12. **Ordinance No. 226 of 2021: Zoning Case No. 21-183-C:** An ordinance to amend the official zoning map of the City of Shreveport Unified Development Code, by rezoning property located on the west side of Southern Ave., approx. 220' north of Olive St., Shreveport, Caddo Parish, LA., from R-A, Rural Agricultural District to I-1, Light Industrial District, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (B/Fuller)
13. **Ordinance No. 227 of 2021: Zoning Case No. 21-185-C:** An ordinance to amend the official zoning map of the City of Shreveport Unified Development Code, by rezoning property located on the northeast corner of David Raines Rd. and Willis St., Shreveport, Caddo Parish, LA., from R-1-5, Single-Family Residential District to C-1, Neighborhood Commercial District, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (A/Taylor)
14. **Ordinance No. 228 of 2021:** An ordinance amending the 2022 Budget Funding Contractual Services provided to Sportran by Metro Management Associates, Inc. and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (A/Taylor, F/Green, G/Bowman)

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilwoman Taylor, to introduce Ordinance No(s). 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227 and 228 of 2021 to lay over until the next regular meeting.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING AND FINAL PASSAGE (NUMBERS ARE ASSIGNED ORDINANCE NUMBERS)

The Clerk read the following:

1. **Ordinance No. 72 of 2021:** An ordinance amending Section 10-69 of Chapter 10, Article IV, Division 2 of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, Code of Ordinances with respect to the Fee and Term for alcoholic beverage handling employee cards, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on May 11, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to postpone. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

2. **Ordinance No. 191 of 2021:** An ordinance declaring the City's Interest in certain land as surplus, and our intention to donate certain land acquired by the Department of Community Development to Volunteers of America of North Louisiana and to otherwise provide with respect thereto

Having passed first reading on November 9, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilwoman Taylor, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to postpone. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

3. **Ordinance No. 195 of 2021**: An ordinance to amend Chapter 58, Article IV, Division 1 and Chapter 78, Article VIII, Division 1 of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, Code of Ordinances relative to litter and dumping, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (A/Taylor, F/Green)

Having passed first reading on November 9, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to postpone. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

4. **Ordinance No. 208 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, 2021 Capital Projects Fund Budget, appropriating the funds authorized herein and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on December 14, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

5. **Ordinance No. 209 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the City of Shreveport, Louisiana 2021 General Fund Budget, appropriating the funds authorized herein, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on December 14, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

6. **Ordinance No. 210 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, 2021 Capital Projects Fund Budget, appropriating the funds authorized herein and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on December 14, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

7. **Ordinance No. 211 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2021 Water and Sewerage Enterprise Fund Budget and to otherwise provide with respect thereto

Having passed first reading on December 14, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

8. **Ordinance No. 212 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2021 Airport Enterprise Fund Budget and to otherwise provide with respect thereto

Having passed first reading on December 14, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

9. **Ordinance No. 213 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2021 Solid Waste Enterprise Fund Budget and to otherwise provide with respect thereto

Having passed first reading on December 14, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilwoman Taylor, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

10. **Ordinance No. 214 of 2021**: An ordinance to amend Section 66-141 of Chapter 66 Personnel, Article III Health Benefits for the City of Shreveport Code of Ordinances relative to the healthcare plans, tiers and cost for active employees and retirees to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on December 14, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilwoman Taylor, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and

Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

Councilman Bowman: So, 214 does include retirees, correct?

Mr. Brown: Yes.

Councilman Bowman: Ok, I just wanted to state that for the record. I got a lot of phone calls about that, and I wanted to state that for the record to make sure they were on board. Thank you.

11. Ordinance No. 204 of 2021: Zoning Case No. 21-158-C: An ordinance to amend the official zoning map of the City of Shreveport Unified Development Code, by rezoning property located on the southeast corner of Legardy St. & Hawkins St., Shreveport, Caddo Parish, LA., from R-1-5, Single-Family Residential District To R-A, Rural-Agricultural District, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto (A/Taylor)

Having passed first reading on November 19, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilwoman Taylor, seconded by Councilman Green, to postpone. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

Ordinances that were adopted, except ordinances that will be published in the Shreveport Code Ordinances, including the Shreveport Unified Development Code, are as follows:

ORDINANCE NO. 208 OF 2021

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA, 2021 CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND BUDGET, APPROPRIATING THE FUNDS AUTHORIZED HEREIN AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the City Council provides for the amendment of any previously adopted budget, and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2021 Capital Projects Fund Budget to adjust appropriations and for other purposes.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in due, regular and legal session convened, that Ordinance No. 136 of 2020, the 2021 Capital Projects Fund Budget, be further amended and re-enacted as follows:

In Program C (Street Improvements):

Establish a project entitled District 3 Road Rehabilitation, Planning and Construction in Program C, and fund it at \$477,500.00. Funding source is State Capital Outlay (Act #485 of 2021).

Adjust totals and subtotals accordingly.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of Ordinance 136 of 2020, as amended, shall remain in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that is any provisions or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of

this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and, to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

ORDINANCE NO. 209 OF 2021

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA 2021 GENERAL FUND BUDGET, APPROPRIATING THE FUNDS AUTHORIZED HEREIN, AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the City Council provides for the amendment of any previously adopted budget; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, in due, regular and legal session convened, that Ordinance No. 138 of 2020, the 2021 General Fund Budget, is hereby amended as follows:

In Section 2 (Appropriations)

Decrease Engineering Personal Services Professional Salaries by \$100,000.00

Establish increase transfer to capital (A12002) by \$100,000.00

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of Ordinance 138 of 2020, as amended, shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this Ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this Ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications and to this end, the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

THUS, DONE AND ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana

ORDINANCE NO. 210 OF 2021

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA, 2021 CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND BUDGET, APPROPRIATING THE FUNDS AUTHORIZED HEREIN AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the City Council provides for the amendment of any previously adopted budget; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2021 Capital Projects Fund Budget to adjust appropriations and for other purposes.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in due, regular and legal session convened, that Ordinance No. 136 of 2020, the 2021 Capital Projects Fund Budget, be further amended and re-enacted as follows:

In Program A (Buildings and Improvements):

Establish increase transfer to Capital Program A12002, Downtown City Hall Maintenance by \$100,000.

Adjust totals and subtotals accordingly.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of Ordinance 136 of 2020, as amended, shall remain in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that is any provisions or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and, to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

ORDINANCE NO. 211 OF 2021

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2021 WATER AND SEWERAGE ENTERPRISE FUND BUDGET AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2021 Water and Sewerage Enterprise Fund Budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, in due, regular and legal session convened, that:

Ordinance Number 147 of 2020, the 2021 Water and Sewerage Enterprise Fund Budget, is hereby amended as follows:

In Section 1. (Receipts):

Increase Other Revenues General Fund by \$45,600

In Section 2. (Appropriations):

Increase Personal Services by \$45,600

Adjust totals and subtotals accordingly.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of Ordinance 147 of 2020 as amended, shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

THUS, DONE AND ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana

ORDINANCE NO. 212 OF 2021

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2021 AIRPORT ENTERPRISE FUND BUDGET AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2021 Airport Enterprise Fund Budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, in due, regular and legal session convened, that:

Ordinance Number 146 of 2020, the 2021 Airport Enterprise Fund Budget, is hereby amended as follows:

In Section 1. (Receipts):

Increase Other Revenues General Fund by \$43,600

In Section 2. (Appropriations):

Increase Personal Services by \$43,600

Adjust totals and subtotals accordingly.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of Ordinance 146 of 2020 as amended, shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

THUS, DONE AND ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana

ORDINANCE NO. 213 OF 2021

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2021 SOLID WASTE ENTERPRISE FUND BUDGET AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2021 Solid Waste Enterprise Fund Budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, in due, regular and legal session convened, that:

Ordinance Number 153 of 2020, the 2021 Solid Waste Enterprise Fund Budget, is hereby amended as follows:

In Section 1. (Receipts):

Increase Other Revenues General Fund by \$136,800

In Section 2. (Appropriations):

Increase Personal Services by \$136,800

Adjust totals and subtotals accordingly.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of Ordinance 153 of 2020 as amended, shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

THUS, DONE AND ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana

TABLED LEGISLATION

ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS:

RESOLUTION NO. 124 OF 2021: A resolution to establish an Intergovernmental committee, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (D/Boucher) (Tabled on November 9, 2021)

ORDINANCE NO. 50 OF 2021: An ordinance amending Section 2-31 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Shreveport to provide for an increase in the salary of the Mayor, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (C/Nickelson, G/Bowman) (Tabled on April 27, 2021)

ORDINANCE NO. 51 OF 2021: An ordinance amending Section 2-32 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Shreveport to provide for an increase in the salaries of members of the City Council, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (C/Nickelson, G/Bowman) (Tabled on April 27, 2021)

Motion by Councilman Bowman, seconded by Councilman Green, to remove and withdraw Ordinance No(s) 50 and 51 of 2021 from the agenda. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Jackson, Green and Bowman. 4. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher. 3. Abstentions: 0.

ORDINANCE NO. 85 OF 2021: An ordinance to amend certain portions of chapter 22 of the City of Shreveport Code of Ordinances relative to demolition delay in the Downtown Development District and otherwise providing with respect thereto (B/Fuller) (Tabled June 22, 2021)

ORDINANCE NO. 94 OF 2021: An ordinance to repeal Section 50-212 (a)(10) and to amend Section 50-212 (b) of Article V of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Shreveport relative to the Smokefree Air Act and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (E/Flurry) (Tabled July 13, 2021)

ORDINANCE NO. 149 OF 2021: An ordinance amending Section 10-69 of Chapter 10, Article IV, Division 2 of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, Code of Ordinances with respect to the Fee and Term for alcoholic beverage handling employee cards, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (Tabled on December 14, 2021)

APPEALS

PROPERTY STANDARDS APPEALS: NONE

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE ORDINANCE APPEALS:

ABO APPEAL – Ms. Amanda Smith, 1717 Stephens Ave, Shreveport, LA 71101 (B/Fuller) (postponed until March 21, 2022, at the council's discretion, this item can be brought up for a vote prior to this date)

METROPOLITAN PLANNING COMMISSION AND ZBA APPEALS: NONE

OTHER APPEALS

SOB APPEALS: NONE

TAXI APPEALS: NONE

REPORTS FROM OFFICERS, BOARDS, AND COMMITTEES

CLERK'S REPORT:

ADDITIONAL COMMUNICATIONS:

ADDITIONAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

ADDITIONAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS

EXECUTIVE SESSION: NONE

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business to come before the council, the city council meeting adjourned at 4:11p.m.

Tabatha Taylor, Vice Chair

Danielle A. Farr-Ewing, Clerk of Council