

MEETING IN REGULAR SESSION
MARCH 28, 2024 - 6:00 P.M.
COTTER CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS

AGENDA

Call to Order
Roll Call
Invocation
Pledge of Allegiance

REPORTS

Approval of City Council Regular Minutes for February 22, 2024
February Financial Report (included in Council Packets)
Public Works Department Report
Fire Department Report
Police Department Report
Building Permit Report
Planning and Zoning Commission Report
Cotter-Gassville Sewer Commission Report
Tree Advisory Board Report

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- None at this time

NEW BUSINESS

- Council to consider Resolution #2024-11: A Loan Resolution required by USDA authorizing the Cotter City Council for the purpose of issuance of bonds to finance the remaining construction improvements for Phase II Sewer Rehabilitation Project
- Council to consider Resolution #2024-12: A Resolution for the City of Cotter to apply for 75% grant from AGFC Marine Fuel Tax program to asphalt overlay Big Spring Parkway from Hwy 345 down to the River Access Ramp and Adjacent Parking Areas
- Ordinance 2024-01 - Council to consider placing Ordinance 2024-01 on its first reading to increase Water Rates to comply with ACT 605 by July 1, 2024, as recommended by rate study performed by Arkansas Rural Water Association dated January 26, 2024
- Mayor to present summary of bid/quotes received for Booster Pump Project maintenance building and underground water piping to be paid by the ARPRA funds included in the 2024 Operating Budget (Multiple Bid/Quotes were received)
- Council to schedule Workshop in April

INFORMATION

- ARDOT's low bid for asphalt paving overlay for Highway 62 B (Harding Blvd) was let to Atlas Paving of Batesville, AR. Schedule has not been determined
- Read into Meeting Minutes Proof of Posting of the final revenues and expenditures for 2023, Year End Amended Budget was posted at City Hall and the Post office on Jan 26th for 30 days
- Read into Meeting Minutes the Annual Cash-Flow Financials for 2023 City Municipal Funds and 2023 Water Dept Funds will were posted for 30 days at Cotter City Hall and US Post office on February 23, 2024
- Results from Special Election held on March 5, 2024, for the purpose of financing \$2,400,000 to pay for the remaining portion Phase II Sewer Rehabilitation Project. **185 votes FOR – 15 votes AGAINST**
- For Council's review of a draft of Intergovernmental Service Agreement for Baxter County to Provide 9-1-1 and Dispatch Service for year 2025
- Cotter Warrior Foundation 5K and 10K Race on April 13, 2024, in Cotter at the Big Spring Park
- Upcoming event dates in Cotter: Solar Eclipse on April 8, 2024, the Annual Cotter Trout Festival is Saturday, May 4, 2024, the F3T Fly Fishing Film Tour is May 25, 2024, and the Cotter Fly Casting Contest is May 25, 2024
- Cotter Bridge Ultra Running Event will be held in Big Spring Park on June 8th and 9th
- Coffee with the Mayor is scheduled for April 19, 2024, at 8:00 am at Cotter Bridge Market

Sign-Ins:
Council Comments:
Public Announcements:
Adjourn