



City of Jonesboro

Municipal Center
300 S. Church Street
Jonesboro, AR 72401

Meeting Agenda City Council

Tuesday, December 2, 2025

5:30 PM

Municipal Center, 300 S. Church

PUBLIC WORKS COUNCIL COMMITTEE MEETING AT 5:00 P.M.

Council Chambers, Municipal Center

1. CALL TO ORDER BY MAYOR HAROLD COPENHAVER AT 5:30 P.M.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND INVOCATION

3. ROLL CALL (ELECTRONIC ATTENDANCE) INITIATED AND CONFIRMED BY CITY CLERK APRIL LEGGETT

4. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

COM-25:053 RECOGNITION OF EVERETT HUTTON, THE KEEP JONESBORO BEAUTIFUL FIRST PLACE WINNER OF THE PERSPECTIVES ART CONTEST CONDUCTED BY THE FOUNDATION OF ARTS

Sponsors: Mayor's Office

COM-25:054 PRESENTATION OF THE LONG RANGE FIRE DEPARTMENT PLAN DRAFT BY EMERGENCY SERVICES CONSULTING INTERNATIONAL

Sponsors: Mayor's Office

Attachments: [Jonesboro \(AR\) Master Plan - Final 10 - 16 - 25.pdf](#)

5. CONSENT AGENDA

The Consent Agenda is a meeting method to make City Council meetings more efficient and meaningful to the members of the audience. All matters listed within the Consent Agenda have been distributed to each member of the Jonesboro City Council for reading and study, are considered to be routine, and will be enacted by one motion of the City Council with no separate discussion. If a separate discussion is desired, that item may be removed from the Consent Agenda and placed on the Regular Agenda by request of a member of the City Council.

MIN-25:102 MINUTES FOR THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING ON NOVEMBER 18, 2025

Attachments: [CC Minutes 11182025.pdf](#)

RES-25:164 A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF JONESBORO TO APPROVE THE ADOPTION AGREEMENT AND AMENDMENT ONE FOR THE CITY OF JONESBORO, ARKANSAS NON-UNIFORMED EMPLOYEES 457 (b) RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN

AND TRUST

Sponsors: Finance

Attachments: [01 - 311COJ 457\(b\) Amendment One_Final.pdf](#)
[02 - 311COJ 457\(b\) Adopting Resolution_Final.pdf](#)
[03 - 311COJ 457\(b\) SMM_Final.pdf](#)

Legislative History

11/25/25	Finance & Administration Council Committee	Recommended to Council
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*RESOLUTIONS REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA***RES-25:166**

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING FREE UTILITY SERVICES FROM CITY WATER AND LIGHT FOR TRAFFIC SIGNALS

Sponsors: Engineering

Legislative History

11/25/25	Finance & Administration Council Committee	Recommended to Council
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6. NEW BUSINESS*ORDINANCES ON FIRST READING***ORD-25:040**

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORD-17:026 RELATING TO TOWING SERVICES IN THE CITY OF JONESBORO

Sponsors: Mayor's Office

Attachments: [CityJboroMayor_20251112_135058.pdf](#)
[CityJboroMayor_20251112_135317.pdf](#)

Legislative History

11/18/25	Public Safety Council Committee	Recommended to Council
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ORD-25:042

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 117, KNOWN AS THE ZONING ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR CHANGES IN ZONING BOUNDARIES FROM I-1 TO C-2 FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 213 N MAIN AS REQUESTED BY SHAMIM WILKINS.

Attachments: [Application](#)
[Neigh_notification](#)
[Staff report RZ_25-15](#)
[MAPC Minutes 11.12.2025](#)
[Publication Receipt](#)

ORD-25:043

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 117, ARTICLE III, KNOWN AS THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF JONESBORO, ARKANSAS, PROVIDING FOR CHANGES IN ZONING BOUNDARIES FROM R-1 SINGLE FAMILY MEDIUM DENSITY DISTRICT TO C-3 GENERAL COMMERCIAL FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT THE 2000

BLOCK OF W. MATTHEWS/WASHINGTON, JONESBORO, AR AS REQUESTED BY ROHN CRAFT

Attachments: [Application](#)
[Rohn Craft letter](#)
[Certified Mail Receipts](#)
[Staff report RZ_25-16](#)
[MAPC Minutes 11.12.2025](#)

ORD-25:044 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 117, ARTICLE III, KNOWN AS THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF JONESBORO, ARKANSAS, PROVIDING FOR CHANGES IN ZONING BOUNDARIES FROM R-1 SINGLE FAMILY MEDIUM DENSITY DISTRICT TO C-3 GENERAL COMMERCIAL FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT THE 2000 BLOCK OF W. MATTHEWS/WASHINGTON, JONESBORO, AR AS REQUESTED BY ANDY CRAFT

Attachments: [Application](#)
[Certified Mail Receipts](#)
[Staff report RZ_25-17](#)
[MAPC Minutes 11.12.2025](#)

7. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

ORDINANCES ON THIRD READING

ORD-25:033 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 6 - ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES TO COMPLY WITH CHANGES TO THE ARKANSAS LAW REGARDING PRIVATE CLUB PERMITS

Sponsors: City Attorney's Office

Attachments: [Alcohol Permit Application 2025.docx](#)
[Final Jonesboro Application for Change in Business Operation of Private Club \(](#)
[Final Jonesboro Application for Transfer of Location of Private Club Permit.docx](#)

Legislative History

10/21/25	Public Safety Council Committee	Recommended to Council
11/4/25	City Council	Held at one reading
11/18/25	City Council	Held at second reading

ORD-25:038 AN ORDINANCE BY THE CITY OF JONESBORO TO PLACE VARIOUS TRAFFIC SIGNS AT DESIGNATED LOCATIONS AS DETERMINED BY THE TRAFFIC CONTROL COMMITTEE

Sponsors: Engineering

Legislative History

10/21/25	Public Safety Council Committee	Recommended to Council
11/4/25	City Council	Held at one reading
11/18/25	City Council	Held at second reading

ORD-25:039 AN ORDINANCE TO ADD SECTION 2-289 TO THE JONESBORO CODE OF ORDINANCES TITLED FIREFIGHTER BILL OF RIGHTS

Sponsors: Fire Department

Attachments: [Firefighter Bill of Rights.pdf](#)

Legislative History

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8. MAYOR'S REPORTS

9. CITY COUNCIL REPORTS

10. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public Comments are limited to 5 minutes per person for a total of 15 minutes. This time is allotted for items that are not on the agenda.

11. ADJOURNMENT