



ALBANY CITY COUNCIL
MEETING SUMMARY

Wednesday, August 10, 2022
6:00 p.m.

Council Chambers, City Hall
333 Broadalbin Street SW
Hybrid Format

1. Call to order and pledge of allegiance
2. Roll call
3. Public hearing
 - a. Helping Hands Street Vacation (VC-01-22) – David Martineau
 - 1) Ordinance vacating 150 feet of Jefferson Street ORD NO. N/A
Action: Motion to read the ordinance a second time in title only failed 4-2, with councilors Johnson and Olsen voting against. A second reading in title only in the same meeting requires a unanimous vote of the council. This ordinance will come back to the August 24, 2022, council meeting for an automatic second reading.
4. Business from the public
5. Second reading of ordinances
 - a. Portable Toilets
 - 1) Add section AMC 7.84.095, Portable Toilets ORD NO. N/A
Action: Motion to not adopt the ordinance passed 6-0.
 - 2) Amend AMC 9.04.030, Maintenance of Property ORD NO. N/A
Action: Motion to not adopt the ordinance passed 6-0.
 - b. Psilocybin Ordinances (*Pending the outcome of the August 8, 2022, work session discussion, one of the ordinances may receive a second reading.*)
 - 1) ~~Declare a ban on psilocybin manufacture and service centers (*tentative*)~~ ORD NO. _____
 - 2) Declare a two-year ban on psilocybin manufacture and service centers (*tentative*) ORD NO. N/A
Action: The ordinance was read a second time in title only. Motion to adopt the ordinance died for lack of a second. No action will be taken.
6. Adoption of consent agenda
 - a. Appointments
 - 1) Appointments to the Public Safety Commission and Landmarks Commission

- b. Adoption of resolution
 - 1) Accept sewer easement (SI-22-07) RES NO. 7130
- c. Extension of contract
 - 1) Low-Salt Sodium Hypochlorite Contract Extension and Increase – Brian Stevens

Action:

- Motion to adopt the consent agenda with Items a and c pulled for discussion passed 6-0.
- Motion for separate votes on the appointments in Item a passed 6-0.
- Motion to ratify appointment of Tom Cordier to the Public Safety Commission failed 2-3, with Councilors Smith, Johnson, and Bartholomew voting against, and Councilor Kopczynski recused.
- Motion to reconsider the appointment of Tom Cordier passed 5-1 with Councilor Johnson voting no.
- Motion to ratify appointment of Tom Cordier to the Public Safety Commission passed 4-3 with Councilors Smith, Johnson, and Bartholomew voting no and Mayor Alex Johnson II breaking the tie in favor.
- Motion to appoint Dave Smith to the Landmarks Commission passed 6-0.
- Motion to approve item c passed 6-0.

7. Staff reports

- a. Reclassify Planner III to Comprehensive Planning Manager – Matthew Ruetters

Action: Motion to reclassify the position as presented passed 6-0.

- b. Salary grade adjustment for Building Official Manager classification – Matthew Ruetters

Action: Motion to adjust the salary as presented passed 6-0.

8. Business from the council

9. City manager report

10. Next meeting dates

Monday, August 22, 2022; 4:00 p.m. work session

Wednesday, August 24, 2022; 6:00 p.m. meeting

11. Adjournment