



CITY OF NEWTON

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WATER/WASTEWATER COMMITTEE MEETING AT 5:45 PM – OPENING OF SEALED BIDS FOR ROOF AT NEWTON WATER PLANT.

AGENDA

NEWTON CITY COUNCIL

TUESDAY, December 5, 2023 at 6:00 PM

Newton City Hall

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1. CALL TO ORDER: Joshua J. Kuhl, Mayor
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE led by Alderman Kaleb Wright
3. ROLL CALL: Maggie McDonald, City Clerk
4. ADOPT OR AMEND AGENDA
5. APPROVAL OF REGULAR MINUTES OF November 21, 2023.
6. PUBLIC COMMENTS/COMMUNICATIONS:
7. COMMITTEE REPORTS OR COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE REPORTS:
 - Electric Committee Meeting Monday, November 27, 2023 at 6:00 PM.
 - Water/Wastewater Committee Meeting Tuesday, December 5, 2023 at 5:45 PM.
8. OLD BUSINESS:
 - A. Consider and act on awarding bid for new roof at Newton Water Plant.
 - B. Consider and act on Ordinance 23-XX approving the 2022 Amendment to the Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Redevelopment Plan and Project for Redevelopment Project Area No. 1.
 - C. Consider and act on Ordinance No. 23-16 Annual Tax Levy.
 - D. Consider and act on the Abatement Certificate for Aquatic Facility.
 - E. Consider and act on authorizing proposal for the City of Newton annual audit and annual TIF audit.
 - F. Consider and act on utilizing the alley between Grace Methodist Church and the County Office Building for a beautification project.
9. NEW BUSINESS:
 - A. Consider and act on Symetra insurance rates for 2024.
 - B. Consider and act on IMRF (Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund) contribution rate of 6.16% for 2024.
 - C. Discuss property at 805 Fairground.
 - D. Consider and act on Special Event Application from the Jasper County Chamber to host Christmas on the Square on Saturday, December 9, 2023 from 12:00 PM – 8:00 PM.
10. STATEMENTS BY: Council Members, City Attorney, City Treasurer, City Clerk (PO#22-30 for Electric Department) and Mayor
11. NEXT REGULAR MEETING: December 19, 2023 at 6:00 PM.
SCHEDULED COMMITTEE MEETINGS:
12. EXECUTIVE SESSION: Personnel
13. ADJOURNMENT