



Special Council Meeting
Tuesday, December 19, 2023 - 6:30 PM
AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Citizen comments on matters not on the agenda
4. Tabled Legislation - None
5. Public Hearings of Legislation
 - a. **ORDINANCE 24-2023** AN ORDINANCE TO APPROVE EXPENSES AND OTHER EXPENDITURES OF THE CITY OF JOHNSTOWN, LICKING COUNTY, STATE OF OHIO, DURING THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2024 AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2024. Introduction on December 12, 2023
 - b. **ORDINANCE 25-2023** AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 191.012 (B), 191.04, 191.051 and 191.07 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF JOHNSTOWN TO INCREASE THE INCOME TAX RATE TO TWO PERCENT (2.00%) PER YEAR AND TO ENACT A CREDIT FOR TAXES PAID TO OTHER MUNICIPALITIES IN THE AMOUNT OF SEVENTY-FIVE PERCENT (75%) PER YEAR UP TO THE AMOUNT OF TAX ASSESSED BY THE CITY; TO PLACE THIS AMENDMENT BEFORE THE ELECTORS IN MARCH OF 2024.
 - c. **ORDINANCE 26-2023** AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 22-2022, THE ANNUAL APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF JOHNSTOWN TO APPROVE NECESSARY CHANGES OF APPROPRIATIONS
 - d. **RESOLUTION 2023-43** A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH THE LICKING COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF LEGAL COUNSEL FOR INDIGENT DEFENDANTS FOR THE CITY OF JOHNSTOWN, LICKING COUNTY, OHIO
 - e. **RESOLUTION 2023-44** A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE COUNCIL RULES OF ORDER
 - f. **RESOLUTION 2023-45** A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE SUBMISSION TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF JOHNSTOWN, AT THE PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE HELD ON MARCH 19, 2024, AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTIONS 191.012(B), 191.04, 191.051 and 191.07. TO INCREASE THE CITY INCOME TAX RATE FROM THE CURRENT RATE OF ONE PERCENT (1.00%) TO A RATE OF TWO PERCENT (2.00%) FOR THE PURPOSES OF PUBLIC SAFETY, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, OPERATIONS EFFICIENCIES AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AND RELATED COSTS; AND TO INCREASE THE CREDIT FOR TAXES PAID TO ANOTHER MUNICIPALITY TO SEVENTY-FIVE PERCENT (75%) FROM ZERO PERCENT (0.00%)
6. Introduction of Legislation - None
7. Other Business
8. Adjourn

Next Council Meeting January 2, 2024