

City of Walton
City Council Meeting Minutes
September 12, 2023 at 7:00 p.m.
Walton Senior Center
In-Person Meeting
Physical Address: 44 N Main St, Walton, KY 41094

Call to Order

The Common Council of the City of Walton, Kentucky met for a Council meeting on Thursday September 12, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. with the following present: Mayor Gabe Brown. Council Members; Rose Beach, Amy Long, Dan Martin, Terri Courtney, and Sherry Gaskill.

Invocation/Pledge were led by Mayor Gabe Brown

Announcements were as follows

- October 3, Caucus Meeting 6:30 pm Council Chambers, City Hall
- October 9, City Hall will be closed in honor of Columbus Day
- October 10, Planning Meeting 6:15 pm Senior Center
- October 10, Council Meeting 7:00 pm Senior Center

Approval of Agenda

Council member Amy Long made a motion to approve the agenda. Council member Sherry Gaskill seconded the motion. Upon roll call the following council members voted “yes”: Rose Beach, Amy Long, Dan Martin and Sherry Gaskill.

Approval of Minutes

Council member Dan Martin made a motion to approve the minutes for Council Meeting July 11, 2023. Council member Amy Long Martin seconded the motion. Upon roll call the following council member voted “yes”: Rose Beach, Amy Long, Dan Martin and Sherry Gaskill.

Citizens Comments

- Sheriff’s Department: Major Bill Mark
- Fire Department: Chief Joey Vest
- Cardinal Engineering: Matt Bogen
- Leslie Anderson Ford: Concerns over Main’s street traffic

1. **ORDINANCE 2023-08 Second Reading** AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WALTON, KENTUCKY, DETERMINING THAT THE PUBLIC WAY COMPRISING THE STREET AND RIGHT-OF-WAY OF SKYWAYDRIVE SHOULD BE CLOSED, MAKING SPECIFIC FINDINGS TO SUPPORT THE CLOSING PURSUANT TO KRS 82.405, AND CLOSING THE PUBLIC WAY PURSUANT TO KRS 82.405. Council member Amy Long motioned to approve Ordinance 2023-08. Rose Beach seconded the motion. Upon roll call the following council members voted “yes”: Rose Beach, Amy Long, Dan Martin and Sherry Gaskill.

2. **ORDINANCE NUMBER 2023-09 First Reading** AN ORDINANCE FIXING THE TAX LEVIES OF THE CITY OF WALTON UPON REAL PROPERTY AND TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY SUBJECT TO AD VALOREM TAXATION BY THE CITY FOR THE YEAR 2023 AND UPON MOTOR VEHICLES AND WATERCRAFT SUBJECT TO AD VALOREM TAXATION BY THE CITY FOR THE YEAR 2024. Council member Terri Courtney motioned to approve Ordinance 2023-09. Amy Long seconded the motion. Upon roll call the following council members voted “yes”: Rose Beach, Amy Long, Dan Martin, Terri Courtney, and Sherry Gaskill.

3. **ORDINANCE NO. 2023-10 First Reading** AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WALTON, KENTUCKY, AMENDING SECTION 50.11 OF THE CITY OF WALTON CODE OF ORDINANCES, IN ORDER TO REQUIRE SEWER BACKFLOW PREVENTION DEVICES WHEN WARRANTED. Council member Terri Courtney motioned to approve Ordinance 2023-09. Amy Long seconded the motion. Upon roll call the following council members voted “yes”: Rose Beach, Amy Long, Dan Martin, Terri Courtney, and Sherry Gaskill.

Council comments

Rose Beach, Dan Martin, Terri Courtney and Amy Long all thanked everyone for a great Old Fashion Day.

Mayor comments

Mayor Brown thanked everyone for a great Old Fashion Day. Mayor Brown also thanked Terri Courtney for her photos from Old Fashion Day.

Adjourn

Council member Amy Long motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:33 p.m. Council member Terri Courtney seconded the motion. The following council members were all in favor: Rose Beach, Terri Courtney, Amy Long, Dan Martin and Sherry Gaskill.

Approved:

Gabe Brown, Mayor

Attest:

Gevana Hicks, City Clerk