

STOCKBRIDGE CITY COUNCIL

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Council District 4

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Council District 1

Councilmember Alphonso Thomas
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Council Meeting Agenda October 29, 2024 6:00 PM



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AGENDA COUNCIL MEETING CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2024 6:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER

INVOCATION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

REVIEW OF THE MINUTES

- 1 Review of the October 14, 2024 Council Meeting Minutes

PUBLIC COMMENTS - All persons wishing to speak for public comment must sign in with the City Clerk prior to the beginning of the meeting. You must sign your name, address, and phone number. You will be able to address the Mayor and Council for three (3) minutes. Speakers must respect all members of the elected body, officials, and staff. Defamation, unruliness and/or swearing will not be tolerated while meetings are in session.

CONSENT AGENDA

- 2 Council consideration to approve the use of the Merle Manders Conference Center (Lower Level) for the Main Street Program's Thanksgiving charity community dinner on Friday, November 15th). - Presented by:
- 3 Council consideration to approve the use of the Merle Manders Conference Center (Main Level) for the Youth Council's Holiday Family Festival on Sunday, December 8th). - Presented by:

PRESENTATION

- 4 Public/Private Partnership District Presentation and Ordinance

ANNOUNCEMENTS OF UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

UPCOMING MEETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS: Council meetings will be held in the City Council Chamber. Meeting dates, locations and times are subject to change or contact City Hall offices at 770-389-7900 or visit the website www.stockbridgega.org for updates.

- Youth Council Meeting 1st Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m. - City Hall Levi Meeting Room (Nov 4)
- ELECTION DAY – TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5th from 7am – 7pm – visit mvp.sos.ga.gov for your polling location.
- Community Zoning and Information Meeting: Wednesday, November 6th from 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. at City Hall in the Council Chamber (Nov 6)
- Stockbridge Citizens-Police Advisory Council meeting 1st Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at the Stockbridge Police Community Room 4545 N. Henry Blvd. – (Nov 7)
- The Main Street Advisory Board Meeting on the 2nd Friday of each month at 9am – Location is the Downtown Connection Center 130 M L King Sr. Heritage Trail. (Nov 8)
- City Council Meeting, **SPECIAL DATE – TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12TH** at 6:00 p.m. - City Hall Council Chamber (Nov 12) Due to Veterans Day Holiday
- Citywide Development Authority Meeting has been canceled. The Board will hold a Retreat on Friday, November 15th. Location to be announced.
- Downtown Development Authority Meeting, **SPECIAL DATE – TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12TH** at the Stockbridge Downtown Center 130 M L King, Sr. Heritage Trail (Nov 12)
- City Council Work Session Meeting, Last Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m. - City Hall Council Chamber (Nov 19)
- Youth Council Advisory Committee Meeting, 6:30 p.m.- 3rd Tuesday of each month Levi Meeting Room - City Hall (Nov 19)
- Planning Commission Meeting, 3rd Thursday of each month, 6:30 p.m. - City Hall Council Chamber - (Nov 21)

UPCOMING CITY EVENTS/INITIATIVES

- Please join the City of Stockbridge for the Annual Veterans Day Luncheon honoring our Veterans on Monday, November 11th from 11am – 1pm at the Merle Manders Conference Center. Please RSVP no later than November 4th to Events@stockbridgega.org
- Join Mayor Anthony Ford for the monthly *Meet the Mayor* on Wednesday, November 18th from 10am – noon at Stockbridge City Hall.
- Join Councilman Alphonso Thomas in partnership with Mayor Pro Tem Kyle Berry for the monthly Senior Bingo Bash on Wednesday,

November 20th from 10am - 12pm at the Merle Manders Conference Center, 111 Davis Rd. for raffles, prizes, games, snacks and fun!

- Join Councilman Elton Alexander for a District 5 Town Hall on Thursday, November 21st from 7pm – 9pm – Location to be announced.
- Councilman Thomas is honoring Veterans with a Continuous Salute all year long. Please send your pictures of Veterans with their name, branch, rank, and years of service.
- Councilman Thomas will distribute FREE Smoke Detectors along with Fire Marshal Demetrius Wells. The date and location will be announced soon. Stay tuned.
- Join Councilman Thomas for the *Don't Trash Stockbridge* initiative centered around education highlighting the causes and effects of Littering and Illegal Dumping. More information to follow.

Please contact Rosalynd Rawls to schedule an appointment for *Meet the Mayor* and for more information on Council Initiatives and events at 678-833-3348 or via email: rrawls@stockbridgega.org

MAYOR'S COMMENTS (Mayor Anthony Ford)

EXECUTIVE SESSION (Exemptions to the Georgia Open Meetings Acts)

ADJOURNMENT