City of Bowie
Regular City Council Meeting

Tuesday, January 2, 2024
Council Chambers - 8 p.m.

AGENDA

I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. QUORUM

IV. AGENDA ADDITIONS/DELETIONS/AMENDMENTS

V. CITIZEN PARTICIPATION

VI. PRESENTATIONS

- **A.** Swearing in of Dwayne Preston as Bowie's Chief of Police

VII. CITY BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

VIII. COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

IX. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

X. CONSENT AGENDA

- **A.** Approval of November 27, 2023 Council Meeting Minutes
- **B.** Adoption of Resolution R-1-24 Awarding a Contract to Com-Bro Contracting for Phase 1 of Sludge Pumping Station Upgrades (RAS/WAS) at the Wastewater Treatment Plant in the Amount of $403,900
- **C.** Adoption of Resolution R-2-24 Accepting Bid Proposals for On-Call HVAC Services
- **D.** Adoption of Resolution R-3-24 Accepting the Proposal from G.E. Fielder & Associates, Chartered for the Bowie Railroad Museum Permitting and Construction Administration in the Amount of $57,425

XI. OLD BUSINESS

XII. NEW BUSINESS

- **A.** Council Budget Guidance FY2025 - The Finance Department will provide trend information and major themes to City Council for the upcoming FY 2025 Budget process.
- **B.** Discussion of the size of the Public Safety Committee - considering growing the committee size to include a more diverse set of relevant professional experience to the committee's membership.

XIII. ADJOURNMENT AND MOVE TO CLOSE SESSION

To adjourn to closed session under the statutory authority of the Md. Annotated Code, General Provisions Article §3-305(b)(3) "To consider the acquisition of real property for a public purpose and matters directly related thereto"

Note: The Ethics Commission has advised that under certain circumstances, members of the public may qualify as lobbyists when they testify before the City Council. If so, the Bowie Ethics Ordinance requires that certain information be filed with the Ethics Commission. Please review the information about lobbying that is provided with the City Clerk. If you have any questions about lobbying, please contact the Ethics Commission or the Assistant City Manager.

This meeting will be televised live on Verizon Channel 10 and Comcast Channel 71 and 996, repeated on 1/3/24 and 1/6/24 at 7:00 p.m., and web-streamed live.

For a closed-captioned version of the meeting video, please go to https://www.youtube.com/user/cityofbowiemd/playlists and select the 2024 Council Meetings list. Once the meeting video opens, be sure to click on "CC" button to turn on closed captioning.

NEXT REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOWIE CITY COUNCIL - TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 2024 - COUNCIL CHAMBERS - 8:00 P.M.