

June 21, 2023

**Mayor Shannon E. Glover
Vice Mayor Lisa L. Lucas-Burke
Councilman William E. Moody, Jr.
Councilman Mark M. Whitaker
Councilman De'Andre A. Barnes
Councilman Mark A. Hugel
Councilman Vernon L. Tillage, Jr.**

Dear Members of City Council:

Please attend a called meeting of the City Council to be held in the City Council Chamber, 801 Crawford Street, 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 27, 2023, for the purpose of a Public Work Session.

In addition, you may consider a motion to go into a Closed Meeting.

By order of the Mayor.

Sincerely,

**Debra Y. White, CMC/AAE
City Clerk**

**Portsmouth City Council
Public Work Session
Tuesday, June 27, 2023
5:00 p.m.**

1. **Public Safety**
 - [Police Department Update](#)
 - [E-911 Technical System Update](#)
 - [Automated Traffic Enforcement Turnkey Program](#)
 - [Fire, Rescue, & Emergency Services Department Update](#)
 - [Hurricane Season Preparedness](#)
2. **City Manager Report Overview**
3. **City Council Liaison Reports**



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

Tuesday, June 27, 2023 - 7:00 p.m.

City Council Chamber

801 Crawford Street, 6th Floor, Portsmouth, Virginia

CALL TO ORDER

MOMENT OF SILENCE

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ELECTRONIC ROLL CALL

[MINUTES](#) (Electronic Roll Call)

CITY COUNCIL RULES REQUIRE A LIMIT OF UP TO FIVE (5) MINUTES TO SPEAK

CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

23-220 Adoption of an ordinance amending and re-ordaining Sections 9-2 (Permissible Places of Burial) and 9-26 (Burial Grounds, City Cemeteries Designated) and subsection 9-29(a) (Perpetual Care of City Cemeteries; Cemetery Trust Fund) of Articles I and II of Chapter 9 of the Code of the City of Portsmouth, Virginia for the purpose of designating Lincoln Memorial Cemetery as a city cemetery. (Electronic Roll Call)

[Executive Brief and documentation](#)

[Ordinance](#)

23-221 Adoption of an ordinance accepting Federal Asset Forfeiture Funds in the amount of \$285,044 received from the United States Drug Enforcement Administration and appropriating said amount in the FY 2023 Asset Forfeiture Fund for use by the Portsmouth Sheriff's Office, Portsmouth Commonwealth Attorney's Office, and Portsmouth Police Department. (Electronic Roll Call)

[Executive Brief and documentation](#)

[Ordinance](#)

23-222 Adoption of an ordinance accepting with appreciation an anonymous donation in the amount of \$400 and appropriating said funds to the FY 2024 Social Services Fund for use by the Department of Social Services for its first ever Community Day event to be held on July 15, 2023. (Electronic Roll Call)

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[Ordinance](#)

23-223 Adoption of an ordinance accepting a Virginia Homeless Solutions Program grant in the amount of \$5,000 from the Department of Housing and Community Development and appropriating said sum in the FY 2023 Grants Fund for use by the Department of Social Services for Portsmouth Continuum of Care planning activities. (Electronic Roll Call)

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NEW BUSINESS

- 23-224 Boards and Commissions (Electronic Roll Call)
- 23-225 Items Submitted by Council Members
- 23-226 Report on Pending Items
- 23-227 Non-Agenda Speakers

ADJOURNMENT

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AND ON PCTV COX 48 OR VERIZON FIOS 39.

CITIZENS MAY SIGN UP TO SPEAK FOR THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING BEGINNING JUNE 21, 2023, AND ENDING ON JUNE 27, 2023:

1. BY EMAIL AT WHITED@PORTSMOUTHVA.GOV BETWEEN 8 AM AND 5 PM.
2. BY PHONE – 393-8639 BETWEEN 8 AM AND 5 PM.
3. IN PERSON BETWEEN 8 AM – 5 PM. (SIGN UP IN PERSON UNTIL 6:30 PM ON DAY OF THE MEETING).

REGISTRATION CARDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER 6:30 PM.