



During the Birmingham City Council Meeting on October 24th, 2017 the City Council voted on the following items:

1. An Ordinance “TO ADOPT THE GENERAL FUND BUDGET” for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018, as presented by the Mayor on May 16, 2017 with amendments.

Was this item approved? Moved to the November 29th Committee of the Whole Meeting

What does this mean? Each year, the Mayor of Birmingham presents a proposed budget to the City Council. Before the Council approves that budget, they host a series of events where Council members hear from citizens about their priorities, and listen to their thoughts, questions, and concerns. After several months of budget negotiations between the Mayor’s Office and the City Council, the Council felt it to be most fair to wait until Mayor-Elect Randall Woodfin takes office on November 28th, and allow his administration to give their input on the budget. Both the current administration, as well as the incoming administration will work with Council members over the next several weeks to come to a consensus on the City’s budget.

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Refer to council agenda Item 4

2. A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute an agreement with REV Birmingham, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$725,000.00 under which REV Birmingham, Inc. will provide skilled services assisting the City with various economic development projects including economic revitalization, business growth, industrial development, and job growth, for a term of one year, pursuant to Amendment 772 of the Alabama Constitution of 1901. Notice was published in the Birmingham News, Sunday, October 15, 2017 that this agreement will be considered at the Council Meeting on October 24, 2017.

Was this item approved? Yes

What does this mean? This is the City of Birmingham's annual appropriation to REV Birmingham for their economic development and revitalization work. After discussion between Council members and REV Birmingham CEO David Fleming, the organization reinforced their commitment to economic development initiatives throughout the City of Birmingham,

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3. A Resolution confirming the recommendations of the Council President in accordance with section Sec. 2-2-14 of the Birmingham City Code the following committees and its members.

Was this item approved? Yes

What does this mean? The Birmingham City Council has a variety of committees that oversee various boards and commissions. Items relating to the topics of the various committees are often sent to that respective committee for discussion among the committee members, before any such items are brought before the full Council body. During the City Council meetings, certain items requiring more specialized consideration will be referred back to a committee. Committees also recommend appointments to the boards and agencies they are tasked with overseeing. The following are the Committee Assignments for the City Council for the years 2017-2019.

Administration/Education

1. **Chair - Abbott**
2. Roberson
3. Parker

Budget & Finance

1. **Chair - Abbott**
2. Roberson
3. O'Quinn

Community Education / Governmental Relations

1. **Chair - Scales**
2. Abbott
3. Tyson

Economic Development

1. **Chair - Hilliard**
2. Scales
3. Roberson

Park & Recreation

1. **Chair - Parker**
2. Tyson
3. Hoyt

Planning & Zoning

1. **Chair - Hoyt**
2. O'Quinn
3. Abbott

Public Improvements

1. **Chair - Tyson**
2. Parker
3. Williams

Public Safety

1. **Chair - Williams**
2. Hilliard
3. Hoyt

Transportation

1. **Chair - O'Quinn**

2. Scales
3. Hilliard

Utilities/Technology

1. **Chair - Roberson**
2. Williams
3. Parker

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Refer to council agenda addendum Item 43

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Announcements and Reminders

Friday, October 27, 2017

1:00 p.m. – Administration Committee Meeting – Conference Rooms “D & E”

Saturday, October 28, 2017

2:30 p.m. – 76th Magic City Classic – Alabama A&M University vs. Alabama State University
– Legion Field, 400 Graymont Avenue

Monday, October 30, 2017

4:30 p.m. – Public Safety, Transportation Committee Meeting – City Council Chambers

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