

**Bowie City Council
Meeting Results
August 2, 2021**

Consent Agenda:

All items approved.

Old Business:

- A. **Adoption of Ordinance O-3-21 Amending City Code Chapter 10 “Garbage, Trash and Refuse”, Section 10-2, “Littering Prohibited; Refuse from Excavations and Construction Work,” To Add Landscaping as a Source of Impermissible Debris; Section 10-3, “Collection and Disposal of Refuse”, To Alter the Acceptable Size of Refuse Collection Bins, To Clarify the Manner in Which Receptacles Must be Placed for Collection, and To Define Refuse and Household Trash Including the Incorporation of Requirements Relating to Bulk Trash Collection, for Purposes of That Section; Amending Section 10-4, “Requirements Relating to Refuse Collection Receptacles for Standard City Service”, To Alter the Locations in Which Refuse Collection Bins May Be Stored; Section 10-6, “Supplemental Collections and Limitations Thereon”, To Amend the Description of Acceptable Recyclable Materials, To Require the Use of City-Provided Recycling Containers; and Section 10-11, “Notice To Remove Accumulation of Litter”, To Clarify the Meaning of the Term “Litter”; and To Make Certain Additional Amendments to the Foregoing Sections for Clarity** – Councilmember Woolfley made a motion to adopt Ordinance O-3-21 with one exception in Section 5, striking the words 32 gallon from Section F, first sentence. Councilmember Gardner seconded the motion. The motion passed 7-0.

New Business:

- A. **City Transportation Priority Lists** – Public Hearing held. Councilmember Woolfley made a motion to approve with the consideration of comments they had with such matters as 197 North, acquisition for interchange at 450 and MD 3, Rails to Trails, Old Bowie Vision 0, and the pedestrian bridge. Councilmember Harrison seconded the motion. The motion passed 6-0 (Councilmember Ndebumadu did not vote.)
- B. **Staff Recommendation on the Pilot Workforce Training Request for Proposal** – Council directed staff to follow up with the top three firms who submitted proposals to find out how they will address issues that they did not originally provide answers for. Councilmember Woolfley abstained from the conversation and voting due to a potential conflict of interest. Councilmember Ndebumadu abstained from commenting on Carasoft’s proposal as Carasoft is associated with her employer, Microsoft.
- C. **Discussion on State Attorney’s Office “Stop the Violence” Campaign Event at Allen Pond Park** – Councilmember Harrison made a motion for the City to partner with the Prince George’s County State’s Attorney’s Office to cohost this event on August 26th with the City providing use of the Allen Pond Park amphitheater, tables, chairs, assistance with set up, and \$3,000 for food and a DJ. There is also the understanding that the event details may change, or that the event may be cancelled due to COVID-19 restrictions, however the budget will not increase. Councilmember Woolfley seconded

the motion. The motion passed 5-0 (Mayor Adams and Councilmember Ndebumadu did not vote.)

- D. Adoption of Resolution R-53-21 Granting the Prince George's County Memorial Library System Foundation Funding for Additional Laptops for the Bowie and South Bowie Libraries** –Councilmember Woolfley motioned to table the item to the September 7th City Council Meeting to obtain additional data and for further discussion. Councilmember Harrison seconded the motion. The motion passed 7-0.
- E. Discussion on Prince George's County Council Redistricting Committee proposal to transfer some Bowie residents from District 4 to District 6. The impacted areas are residents of Collington Station, The Manors at Collington Station and Hamptons at Woodmore** – Councilmember Harrison made a motion to direct staff to draft a letter from Council to the Prince George's County Council requesting that the entirety of the City of Bowie remain in District 4. Mayor Pro Tem Bofo seconded the motion. A roll call vote was requested. The motion passed 6-1 (Gardner).