



City of Pensacola

CITY COUNCIL

Workshop Minutes

September 20, 2021City Council Chambers

The workshop was called to order by Council President Moore at 6:35 P.M. (immediately following a special meeting of the Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA) Board which met immediately following the 3:30 P.M. City Council Agenda Conference).

ROLL CALL

Council Members Present: Jared Moore, Ann Hill, Jennifer Brahier, Teniade Broughton (attended via Microsoft Teams), Casey Jones, Sherri Myers, Delarian Wiggins

Council Members Absent: None

Members of the public may attend the meeting in person. City Council encourages those not fully vaccinated to wear face coverings that cover their nose and mouth.

The meeting can also be watched live stream at: cityofpensacola.com/428/Live-Meeting-Video.

To provide input:

- Citizens may submit an online form here <https://www.cityofpensacola.com/ccinput> beginning at 3:00 P.M. until **that agenda item has been heard** to indicate they wish to speak to a specific item on the agenda **and include a phone number. Staff will call the person** at the appropriate time so the citizen can directly address the City Council using a telephone held up to a microphone. **Any form received after an agenda item has been heard will not be considered.**

SELECTION OF CHAIR

There was consensus among Council that Council President Moore preside as chair.

DETERMINATION OF PUBLIC INPUT

There was consensus among Council that public input be heard.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. [21-00803](#) SECTION 8-1-13 - REGULATION OF NOISE - PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

Council President Moore (sponsor) opened the discussion with reference to the draft proposed amendment language as provided for in the agenda materials (on file with background materials) and as outlined in the memorandum of **possible code amendments to address noise complaints related to vehicles and leaf blowers/other lawn equipment. Council Member Hill also referred to noise issues related to commercial activities and events near residential areas causing nuisance.**

Discussion ensued among Council. Deputy Police Chief Christman responded accordingly to questions related to enforcement of noise such as purchasing of equipment to measure decibels and training of officers. City Attorney Peppler and Deputy City Administrator Miller also provided input.

Public input was heard from John Herron who also provided handouts of information related to regulation of noise from gasoline powered leaf blowers (on file).

Council requested information be provided for further discussion (at a future meeting) from Deputy Police Chief Christman regarding costs related to implementing decibel reading equipment and required training, as well as number of complaints PPD has responded to in the last months related to noise.

2. [21-00804](#) FOOD TRUCK - RULES AND REGULATIONS

Council President Moore (sponsor) opened the discussion. Council Executive Kraher noted a handout at Council's places *Legislative Update provided by the Office of City Attorney, written by Assistant City Attorney Vanessa Moore* (on file with background materials). **Looking at applicable Florida Statutes pertaining to "mobile food dispensing vehicles" and proposed ordinance language previously drafted but not passed in 2016 (provided with agenda materials), Council discussed the possibility of regulating hours of operation, allowable locations, fire marshal regulations pertaining, and how to enforce operations.** Council Executive Kraher and Deputy City Administrator Miller provided input throughout discussion.

ADJOURNMENT