

Council Proceedings of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana
July 27, 2021

The City Council meeting of the City Council of the City of Shreveport, State of Louisiana was called to order by Chairman Flurry at 3:00 p. m. Tuesday, July 27, 2021, in the Government Chamber in Government Plaza (505 Travis Street).

Invocation was given by John Settle.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Councilman Flurry.

The roll was called. Present: Councilwomen Tabatha Taylor, LeVette Fuller, Councilmen John Nickelson, Grayson Boucher, James Flurry, James Green and Jerry Bowman (arrived at 3:07 p.m.). 7. Absent: 0.

Motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Boucher, to approve the minutes of the Administrative Conference and the Council Meeting, Tuesday, July 13, 2021. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry and Green. 6. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman Bowman. 1. Abstentions: 0.

**AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS, COMMUNICATIONS OF THE MAYOR RELATIVE TO CITY BUSINESS, AND REQUIRED REPORTS
AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS BY CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS, NOT TO EXCEED FIFTEEN MINUTES
AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS BY THE MAYOR, NOT TO EXCEED FIFTEEN MINUTES
COMMUNICATIONS OF THE MAYOR RELATIVE TO CITY BUSINESS OTHER THAN AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS**

Councilman Green: I would just like to go on record encouraging everyone and, I would also like to encourage young people that at the age that you can encourage your friends because the life that you save might be yours and somebody that you love, and I would really encourage everybody to get vaccinated because it is very important. I would also like to commend, my colleagues for saying to their party, not to spread the wrong message because this stuff is real, and people are dying every day. I would like to encourage you all to please tell your friends, be safe, I know you like to have fun and all but sometimes fun will lead to death. But I would encourage all of you to encourage your friends to also get vaccinated. Thank you, Mr. Chairman.

REPORTS:

Property Standards Report (resolution 7 of 2003)

Revenue Collection Plan & Implementation Report (resolution 114 of 2009)

Surety Bond Forfeitures Report (resolution 238 of 2010)

Master Plan Committee Report (resolution 132 of 2012)

Budget to Actual Financial Report (resolution 183 of 2017)

PUBLIC HEARING: ORDINANCE NO. 107 of 2021: ANNEXATION: TAG NO. 21-02:

An ordinance to annex property in Section 21 (T16N-R13W), Caddo Parish, Louisiana, into the City Limits of the City of Shreveport and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (public hearing required - July 27, 2021) (D/Boucher)

Chairman Flurry called the public hearing to order at 3:45 p.m. and asked if there was a presentation from the administration. Malcolm Stadlander with Property Management made a presentation.

Chairman Flurry asked if there was anyone present to speak in favor of or in opposition to Ordinance No. 107 of 2021. No one rose to speak. The public hearing was closed at 3:49 p.m.

ADDING ITEMS TO THE AGENDA, PUBLIC COMMENTS, CONFIRMATIONS AND APPOINTMENTS

ADDING LEGISLATION TO THE AGENDA (REGULAR MEETING ONLY) AND PUBLIC COMMENTS ON MOTIONS TO ADD ITEMS TO THE AGENDA PUBLIC COMMENTS (IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 1.11 OF THE RULES OF PROCEDURE) (PUBLIC COMMENTS ON MATTERS WHICH ARE ON THE AGENDA)

Stephanie Myles spoke in opposition to Ordinance No. 110 of 2021.

Felicia Scroggins made general comments as it relates to crime in the city.

Ashley made general comments as it relates to the homeless living downtown.

Sammy Mears asked the council for donation for M.D.A.

Omari Ho-Sang made general comments as it relates to the eviction moratorium.

Feamula Bradley and Randy Hayden spoke in opposition to Ordinance No. 94 of 2021.

Kenneth Krefft made general comments as it relates to property standards issues in the city.

CONFIRMATION AND APPOINTMENTS:

Deputy Building Official for the Division of Permits - John Barnard

Motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilwoman Taylor, to approve the executive appointments of John Barnard as Deputy Building Official for the Division of Permits. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

**CONSENT AGENDA LEGISLATION
TO INTRODUCE ROUTINE ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS**

RESOLUTIONS: NONE

ORDINANCES: NONE

TO ADOPT ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

RESOLUTIONS: NONE

ORDINANCES: NONE

REGULAR AGENDA LEGISLATION

RESOLUTIONS ON SECOND READING AND FINAL PASSAGE OR WHICH WILL REQUIRE ONLY ONE READING

The Clerk read the following:

Resolution No. 87 of 2021: A resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute a Contract between the City of Shreveport, Louisiana and C. Edwards Concepts, LLC. to provide curbside recycling within the limits of Shreveport and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Flurry, to postpone. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 91 OF 2021

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO DEDICATE THE 1500 BLOCK OF FORD STREET IN HONOR OF ROY D. MAHONEY, AND OTHERWISE PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO.

BY: COUNCILWOMAN TABATHA TAYLOR

WHEREAS, Roy Mahoney was a lifelong resident of Shreveport, Louisiana; and
WHEREAS, Roy Mahoney was an avid farmer who served in the United States Army; and
WHEREAS, for 35 years Roy Mahoney owned a convenience store, gas station, a mechanic shop and an office building, all in the 1500 block of Ford Street. He still owned six lots on Ford Street and three rental properties surrounding Ford Street at his passing; and

WHEREAS, Roy Mahoney donated school supplies and uniforms to school organizations and non-profits benefitting extracurricular activities for children; he also assisted the elderly with utility payments and food donations; and

WHEREAS, Roy Mahoney was a member of the Mayor's Advisory Council for Persons with Disabilities, Shreveport Optimist Club, Life Member of Disabled Veterans, Louisiana Notary Association, AARP and Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity; and

WHEREAS, Roy Mahoney was married to Audrey Carey Mahoney for 53 years and together they had three children; Dimitri, Deitriek and Renata.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport in due regular and legal session convened, that the Mayor, on behalf of the City, is authorized to dedicate the 1500 block of Ford Street in honor of Roy D. Mahoney.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in accordance with Resolution No. 156 of 2019, the dedication marker should be approximately 9 inches tall and 42 inches wide and should be placed on an existing standard or street sign if the placement is authorized by Traffic Engineering.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilwoman Taylor, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

RESOLUTION NO. 92 OF 2021

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO DEDICATE THE 7900 BLOCK OF THORNHILL AVENUE IN HONOR OF JESSIE PEARL BRADBERRY, AND OTHERWISE PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO.

BY: COUNCILMAN GRAYSON BOUCHER

WHEREAS, Jessie Pearl Bradberry was born on November 17, 1943 in Timon, Louisiana and graduated from Springville High School in Red River Parish; and

WHEREAS, in 1966, Jessie married the late, Osborne Bradberry, together they raised four beautiful daughters, Karen, Rebecca, Stephanie, and Patsy, and helped raise a bonus daughter, Margaret Ann Johnson; and

WHEREAS, Jessie worked as a surgical technician at Doctors Hospital in Shreveport, Louisiana for over forty years and as an evening supervisor for Red River Sanitors for twenty years; and

WHEREAS, Jessie was a faithful member of her church, she sang in the choir, cooked and served the community, and served in the Sunday School ministry; and

WHEREAS, Jessie traveled the world with friends from the Golden Girls Club, she was also a member of the Unique Social Club and the Order of the Eastern Star; and

WHEREAS, in her later years, Jessie became a true community advocate and active member of the Neighborhood Watch Program, in the Cedar Grove neighborhood she offered a safe place for kids to buy snacks and cool cups, gaining the title of the candy lady, and cooked food for the elderly residents; and

WHEREAS, for over twenty years Jessie, and fellow neighbors, coordinated the National Night Out event in Cedar Grove, however on October 6th 2015 while preparing for that year's National Night Out event Jessie's life was tragically cut short due to a reckless driver.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport in due, regular, and legal session convened, that the Mayor, on behalf of the City, is authorized to dedicate the 7900 block of Thornhill Avenue in honor of Jessie Pearl Bradberry.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in accordance with Resolution No. 156 of 2019, the dedication marker should be approximately 9 inches tall and 42 inches wide and should be placed on an existing standard or street sign if the placement is authorized by Traffic Engineering.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions or parts of thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Boucher, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

Resolution No. 93 of 2021: A resolution suspending the effects of certain provisions of Chapter 66 relative to the City's health benefits plan and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Nickelson, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to postpone. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS (*NOT TO BE ADOPTED PRIOR TO (August 10, 2021)*) (Motion and second is sufficient to introduce resolutions)

1. **Resolution No. 94 of 2021**: A resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute an Entity/State Agreement between the City of Shreveport and the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development for the City of Shreveport Traffic Signal Backup Project and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.
2. **Resolution No. 95 of 2021**: A resolution employing professionals with respect to the issuance by the City of Shreveport, State of Louisiana of not exceeding Two Hundred Forty-Two Million Six Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$242,600,000) of general obligation bonds, in one or more series, on a taxable or tax-exempt basis; and otherwise providing with respect thereto
3. **Resolution No. 96 of 2021**: A resolution authorizing the mayor to execute an Intergovernmental Agreement between the City of Shreveport and the Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) for video sharing and to otherwise provide with respect thereto
4. **Resolution No. 97 of 2021**: A resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute grant documents with the U.S. Department of Justice, and to otherwise provide respect thereto.
5. **Resolution No. 98 of 2021**: A resolution authorizing the Mayor to make application with the U.S. Department of Justice for PSN Grant and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Nickelson, seconded by Councilman Green, to introduce Resolution No. 94, 95, 96, 97 and 98 of 2021 to lay over until the next regular meeting.

INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES (*NOT TO BE ADOPTED PRIOR TO (August 10, 2021)*) (Motion and second is sufficient to introduce ordinances)

The Clerk read the following:

1. **Ordinance No. 108 of 2021**: An ordinance to amend various articles and sections in the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, Unified Development Code, relative to pay day/title loans, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.
2. **Ordinance No. 109 of 2021**: An ordinance to amend various articles and sections in the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, Unified Development Code, related to portable reader board signs, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.
3. **Ordinance No. 110 of 2021: Zoning Case No. 21-54-C**: An ordinance to amend the official zoning map of the City Of Shreveport Unified Development Code, by rezoning property located on the southwest corner of Kingston Road and Francais Road, Shreveport, Caddo Parish, Louisiana, from C-2, Corridor Commercial District to C-2 (SPUD), Corridor Commercial Small Planned Unit Development District and to otherwise provide with respect thereto (E/Flurry)

4. **Ordinance No. 111 of 2021: Zoning Case No. 21-62-C:** An ordinance to amend the official zoning map of the City Of Shreveport Unified Development Code, by rezoning property located on the north side of Overton Brooks Road, approximately one thousand six hundred feet west of Norris Ferry Road, Shreveport, Caddo Parish, Louisiana, from R-1-7, Single Family Residential District to R-E, Residential Estate District. (D/Boucher)
5. **Ordinance No. 112 of 2021: Zoning Case No. 21-63-C:** An ordinance to amend the official zoning map of the City Of Shreveport Unified Development Code, by rezoning property located on the northwest corner of Youree Drive and King Place, Shreveport, Caddo Parish, Louisiana, from I-2, Heavy Industrial District to C-3, General Commercial District and to otherwise provide with respect thereto (D/Boucher)

Read by title and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilwoman Fuller, to introduce Ordinance No. 108, 109, 110, 111 and 112 of 2021 to lay over until the next regular meeting.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING AND FINAL PASSAGE (NUMBERS ARE ASSIGNED ORDINANCE NUMBERS)

The Clerk read the following:

1. **Ordinance No. 100 of 2021:** An ordinance amending the 2021 General Fund Budget and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on July 13, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Nickelson, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

2. **Ordinance No. 101 of 2021:** An ordinance amending the 2021 General Fund Budget and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on July 13, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

3. **Ordinance No. 102 of 2021:** An ordinance amending the 2021 Community Development Special Revenue Fund Budget and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on July 13, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Nickelson, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

4. **Ordinance No. 103 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2021 General Fund Budget and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on July 13, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

5. **Ordinance No. 104 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2021 Street Special Revenue Fund Budget, and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on July 13, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Flurry, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

6. **Ordinance No. 105 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2021 budget funding contractual services provided to SporTran by Metro Management Associates, Inc. and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on July 13, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

7. **Ordinance No. 106 of 2021**: An ordinance amending the 2021 Capital Improvements Budget and otherwise providing with respect thereto.

Having passed first reading on July 13, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Bowman, to adopt. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

8. **Ordinance No. 107 of 2021: ANNEXATION: TAG NO. 21-02**: An ordinance to annex property in Section 21 (T16N-R13W), Caddo Parish, Louisiana, into the City Limits of the City of Shreveport and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (**public hearing required - July 27, 2021**) (D/Boucher)

Having passed first reading on July 13, 2021, was read by title, and on motion, ordered passed to third reading. Read the third time in full and as read motion by Councilman Boucher, seconded by Councilman Green, to adopt. Motion approved by the following

vote: Ayes: Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 5. Nays: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller. 2. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

Ordinances that were adopted, except ordinances that will be published in the Shreveport Code Ordinances, including the Shreveport Unified Development Code, are as follows:

ORDINANCE NO. 100 OF 2021

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2021 BUDGET FOR THE GENERAL FUND AND OTHERWISE PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO

BY: Councilman James Flurry

WHEREAS, the City Charter provides for the amendment of any previously adopted budget; and WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2021 budget for the General Fund to adjust appropriations, reflect current revenue estimates and for other purposes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in legal session convened, that Ordinance No. 138 of 2020, the 2021 budget for the General Fund, is hereby amended as follows:

In Section 2 (Appropriations):

City Council

Decrease Contractual Services by \$16,300

Increase Personal Services by \$16,300

Adjust totals and subtotals accordingly.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of Ordinance No. 138 of 2020 shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and, to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

ORDINANCE NO. 101 OF 2021

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2021 GENERAL FUND BUDGET AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2021 General Fund Budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, in due, regular and legal session convened, that:

Ordinance Number 138 of 2020, the 2021 General Fund Budget, is hereby amended as follows:

In Section 2. (Appropriations):

Decrease Operating Reserves by \$200,000.

Increase Transfer to Community Development by \$200,000.

Adjust totals and subtotals accordingly.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of Ordinance 138 of 2020 as amended, shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of

this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

THUS, DONE AND ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana.

ORDINANCE NO. 102 OF 2021

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2021 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT SPECIAL REVENUE FUND BUDGET AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2021 Community Development Special Revenue Fund Budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, in due, regular and legal session convened, that:

Ordinance Number 141 of 2020, the 2021 Community Development Special Revenue Fund Budget, is hereby amended as follows:

In Section 1. (Estimated Receipts):

Increase Other Revenues General Fund by \$200,000.

In Section 2. (Appropriations):

Increase Other Charges by \$200,000.

Adjust totals and subtotals accordingly.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of Ordinance 138 of 2020 as amended, shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

THUS, DONE AND ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana.

ORDINANCE NO. 103 OF 2021

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2021 GENERAL FUND BUDGET AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2021 General Fund Budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, in due, regular and legal session convened, that:

Ordinance Number 138 of 2020, the 2021 General Fund Budget, is hereby amended as follows:

In Section 1. (Estimated Receipts):

Increase transfer from Streets Special Revenue Fund by \$500,000

Increase Sales Taxes by \$6,200,000

In Section 2. (Appropriations):

Public Works

Increase Personal Services by \$213,900

Increase Improvement and Equipment by \$400,000

Increase Material and Supplies by \$150,000

Increase Contractual Services by \$350,000
Police
Increase Personal Services by \$120,300
Property Standards
Increase Personal Services by \$55,000
SPAR Increase Personal Services by \$319,600
Finance
Increase Personal Services by \$2,400
General Government
Increase Transfer to SporTran by \$82,000
Increase Transfer to Solid Waste by \$136,800
Establish Transfer to Airports by \$43,600
Establish Transfer to Water & Sewer by \$45,600
Increase Operating Reserves by \$4,769,200
City Court

Increase Personal Services by \$11,600
Adjust totals and subtotals accordingly.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of Ordinance 138 of 2020 as amended, shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

THUS DONE AND ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana.

ORDINANCE NO. 104 OF 2021

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2021 STREETS SPECIAL REVENUE FUND BUDGET, AND OTHERWISE PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2021 Streets Special Revenue Fund Budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, in due, regular and legal session convened, that Ordinance Number 154 of 2020, the 2021 Streets Special Revenue Fund Budget, be amended and re-enacted as follows:

(Appropriations):

Decrease Operating Reserve by \$500,000
Increase transfer to General Fund by \$500,000
Adjust totals and subtotals accordingly.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of Ordinance 154 of 2020 as amended, shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

THUS DONE AND ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana.

ORDINANCE NO. 105 OF 2021

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2021 BUDGET FUNDING CONTRACTUAL SERVICES PROVIDED TO SPORTRAN BY METRO MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATES, INC. AND OTHERWISE PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2021 Budget Funding Contractual Services Provided to Sportran by Metro Management Associates, Inc.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in legal session convened, that Ordinance No. 148 of 2020, Budget Funding Contractual Services Provided to SporTran by Metro Management Associates, Inc., is hereby amended as follows:

In Section 1. Estimated Receipts,

Increase City of Shreveport receipts by \$82,000 to \$4,582,000

Adjust totals and subtotals accordingly.

In Section 2. Appropriations, decrease the appropriation for Contractual Services by \$418,000 to \$13,379,305 and increase the appropriation for Transfer to Capital Projects Fund by \$500,000 to \$1,013,750. Adjust totals and subtotals accordingly.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of Ordinance No. 148 of 2020 shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and, to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

ORDINANCE NO. 106 OF 2021

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2021 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS BUDGET AND OTHERWISE PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2021 Budget for Capital Improvements.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in legal session convened, that Ordinance No. 136 of 2020, the Capital Improvements Budget, is hereby amended as follows:

In Program L (Transit Improvements):

- Establish a new project entitled: "2021 SPORTRAN STP FLEX" (L21003) with an appropriation of \$2,500,000. \$2,000,000 comes from the Federal Transit Administration (FTA). The local match of \$500,000 comes from the General Fund. The scope of this project is to purchase replacement buses for fixed route transit service.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of Ordinance No. 136 of 2020 shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of

this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and, to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

ORDINANCE NO. 107 of 2021

AN ORDINANCE TO ANNEX PROPERTY IN SECTION 21 (T16N-R13W), CADDO PARISH, LOUISIANA, INTO THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

TAG NO. 21-02

WHEREAS, Shreveport City Charter authorizes the boundaries of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, to be enlarged from time to time as may be provided in the general laws of the State relating to annexation; and

WHEREAS, Shreveport City Code Sec. 2-261 requires the City to comply with La.R.S.33:171 et. seq., as amended, for all annexation proceedings; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to La. R.S. 33:172 (A)(1)(c), if there are no resident property owners, nor registered voters residing, in the area proposed for annexation and the area is vacant land, then the requirement for a majority of the resident property owners and a majority of the registered voters on the petition shall not apply, so long as the petition contains the written assent of each nonresident property owner of each tract, lot, parcel in the area proposed for annexation; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Shreveport Unified Development Code, the Shreveport-Caddo Metropolitan Planning Commission considered this proposed annexation at a public hearing on June 2, 2021, and pursuant to Section 20.3, with a vote of 7 to 0, recommended approval of this annexation as presented; and

WHEREAS, a petition has been signed by Mr. Ted Casten, who is the owner of all the area to be annexed and has filed with the City Council to annex and bring within the corporate limits of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, the following described property, to wit:

TAG NO. 21-02: A 1.6455 acre M/L parcel of property, located in Section 21 (T16N-R13W), Caddo Parish, Louisiana; and as more fully described as follows: Commencing at a found 5/8" iron rod at the Northeast corner of Lot 113, Long Lake Estates Subdivision, Unit 9, as recorded in Book 2200, Page 477, of the Conveyance Records of Caddo Parish, Louisiana; run thence S 0°47'15" W along the west line of said Lot 113 a distance of 30.00 feet to the Point of Beginning of the tract herein described; run thence S 0°47'15" W along the west line of said Lot 113 a distance of 200.33 feet to a found 5/8" iron rod at the Southwest corner of said Lot 113; thence run S 75°01'53" W a distance of 308.53 feet to a set 1/2" iron pipe; thence run N 0°47'15" E a distance of 282.46 feet; thence run S 89°31'49" E a distance of 296.94 feet to the Point of Beginning.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport in due, legal, and regular session convened, that the limits and boundaries of the City of Shreveport are hereby changed to include within the limits and boundaries of said City the above described property and as shown on the attached plat.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the annexed area contained herein be and is hereby assigned to Council District "D"

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the Clerk of Council be and is hereby authorized to record a certified copy of this ordinance in the official records of the District Court for Caddo Parish, Louisiana

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the Clerk of Council be and is hereby authorized to file with the Clerk of the District Court for Caddo Parish a description of the entire boundary of the municipality as changed by this ordinance.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items, or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items, or applications and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

TABLED LEGISLATION

ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS:

1. **ORDINANCE NO. 104 OF 2020**: An ordinance amending Chapter 78, Article II, Division 3 of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, Code of Ordinances relative to poles and wires and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (C/Nickelson)
2. **ORDINANCE NO. 50 OF 2021**: An ordinance amending Section 2-31 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Shreveport to provide for an increase in the salary of the Mayor, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (C/Nickelson, G/Bowman)
3. **ORDINANCE NO. 51 OF 2021**: An ordinance amending Section 2-32 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Shreveport to provide for an increase in the salaries of members of the City Council, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (C/Nickelson, G/Bowman)
4. **ORDINANCE NO. 72 OF 2021**: To amend certain portions of Chapter 26 of the City of Shreveport Code of Ordinances relative to the architectural and engineering selection process, and otherwise providing with respect thereto. (B/Fuller) (Tabled June 22, 2021)
5. **ORDINANCE NO. 85 OF 2021**: To amend certain portions of chapter 22 of the City of Shreveport Code of Ordinances relative to demolition delay in the Downtown Development District and otherwise providing with respect thereto (B/Fuller) (Tabled June 22, 2021)
6. **ORDINANCE NO. 94 OF 2021**: To repeal Section 50-212 (a)(10) and to amend Section 50-212 (b) of Article V of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Shreveport relative to the Smokefree Air Act and to otherwise provide with respect thereto. (E/Flurry) (Tabled July 13, 2021)

APPEALS

PROPERTY STANDARDS APPEALS: NONE

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE ORDINANCE APPEALS: NONE

METROPOLITAN PLANNING COMMISSION AND ZBA APPEALS: NONE

OTHER APPEALS

SOB APPEALS: NONE

TAXI APPEALS: NONE

REPORTS FROM OFFICERS, BOARDS, AND COMMITTEES

CLERK'S REPORT: The following letter of appointment was received from the Mayor's office on July 22, 2021, and are subject for confirmation on July 27, 2021) - Community Development Bureau Chief of Administration - Thea Scott, Assistant City Attorney - Briana Spivey, SPAR Division Manager - Charles Hymes, SPAR Division Manager Grounds Maintenance - Donna Conley, SPAR Division Manager of Recreation - Kenneth Cornelius, Zoning Board of Appeals - Andrew Crawford, Deputy Director of Information Technology -

Shocker Creal, Home Mortgage Authority Board - Calvin Austin, Brett Brown, Marian Claville Burks, Patrick Crawford, and Lydia Jackson Barnard.

ADDITIONAL COMMUNICATIONS:

ADDITIONAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

ADDITIONAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS

EXECUTIVE SESSION: The Clerk read a request from the city attorney to go into Executive Session pursuant to LSA-R.S. 42:16 and R.S. 42:17(A) (2) to receive information relative to the following matters: Susan D. Farrell, et al v. Safeway Insurance Co., et al- Docket No. #582,129- First Judicial District Court, Caddo Parish, Louisiana, Just Plain Fun, LLC, et al v. City of Shreveport- Docket No. #630,266-First Judicial District Court, Caddo Parish, Louisiana and Laurel R. Brightwell, et al v. City of Shreveport- #622.630- First Judicial District Court, Caddo Parish, Louisiana.

Motion by Councilman Green, seconded by Councilman Flurry, to go into executive session. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor and Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson, Boucher, Flurry, Green and Bowman. 7. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: 0. Abstentions: 0.

The Council went into executive session at 5:12 p.m. The Executive Session ended at 5:47 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business to come before the council, the city council meeting adjourned at 5:47 p.m.

James Flurry, Chairman

Danielle A. Farr-Ewing, Clerk of Council