



# City of Johnstown

Meeting: Common Council, Business Meeting  
 Date: Monday, July 15, 2024  
 Time: 6:00 p.m.  
 Location: Council Chambers, City Hall  
 Presiding Officer: Amy Praught, Mayor

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## Meeting Agenda

- **CALL MEETING TO ORDER / PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- **ROLL CALL OF COUNCIL-** (record of officials in attendance)

		PRESENT	ABSENT / EXCUSED	LATE
Amy Praught	Mayor			
Scott Jeffers	Council Member-at-Large			
Bradley Hayner	Council Member Ward 1			
Scott Miller	Council Member Ward 2			
Eric Parker	Council Member Ward 3			
Max Spritzer	Council Member Ward 4			
Thomas Herr	City Treasurer			
Michael M. Albanese	City Attorney			
Carrie M. Allen	City Clerk			
Bruce Heberer	Fire Chief			
David F. Gilbo	Chief of Police			
Christopher J. Vose	City Engineer			
Diedrie M. Roemer	Director, Senior Citizens Program			

- **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Persons wishing to address the Council regarding city business are permitted to speak for three (3) minutes. A council member will monitor Facebook during the session and read comments to the Council. There is no exchange of dialogue during this portion of the meeting. Profane language, obscene conduct, or disruptive comments are not acceptable and will not be allowed.

Speakers:

- **PROCLAMATION / CITATION / COMMENDATION**

- **APPROVE MINUTES**

1. Business Meeting – June 17, 2024

Action Taken

Motion:	Council Member	Ayes:	Absent:
Seconded:	Council Member	Noes:	Abstain:
Discussion:			

- **APPROVE CLAIMS AND ACCOUNTS**

Action Taken

Motion:	Council Member	Ayes:	Absent:
Seconded:	Council Member	Noes:	Abstain:
Discussion:			

- **REPORTS FROM CITY DEPARTMENTS** - Reports are attached hereto and made part of the meeting minutes.

The following questions were asked of departments:

Public Works:  
 Police:  
 Fire/Code:

Treasurer:

- **REPORTS FROM COUNCIL LIAISONS** - Reports are attached hereto and made part of the meeting minutes.

Sewer Board: Eric Parker -  
 Planning Board: Scott Jeffers - N/A  
 Assessor's Office: Scott Miller -

- **RESOLUTIONS, ORDINANCES, LOCAL LAWS**

32. Unified Court System; Court Security Contract  
Action Taken  
 Motion: Council Member Ayes: Absent:  
 Seconded: Council Member Noes: Abstain:  
 Discussion:

33. Advertise for Bids – CHIPS  
Action Taken  
 Motion: Council Member Ayes: Absent:  
 Seconded: Council Member Noes: Abstain:  
 Discussion:

- **DISCUSSION**

- **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

1. Concerts in the Park – Thursdays 7-9:00 & Fridays 7-8:30  
 2. JACC Fireworks @ Knox – Saturday, July 20<sup>th</sup> at 9:30  
 3. Partners Block Party – Friday, August 2<sup>nd</sup> 6:30-11:00  
 4. Business Meeting – August 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:00

- **EXECUTIVE SESSION** (only if necessary)

Reason: Time In:  
 Motion: Council Member Ayes: Absent:  
 Seconded: Council Member Noes: Abstain:

Action Taken:  
 Motion: Council Member Ayes: Time out:  
 Seconded: Council Member Noes: Abstain:

- **ADJOURN**

Time:  
 Motion: Council Member Ayes: Absent:  
 Seconded: Council Member Noes: Abstain:

Respectfully submitted,



Carrie M. Allen, City Clerk