



**MINUTES**  
**City Council Meeting**  
**Municipal Court Building, 540 Civic Blvd**  
**January 17, 2023 at 6:00 PM**

**Matt Russell, Mayor**  
Eric Gerke, Ward I  
Garry Wilson, Ward II  
Christopher Updike, Ward III  
Jennifer Mitchell, Ward IV  
  
Eric Franklin, Ward I  
Gerry Pool, Ward II  
Brandon Self, Ward III  
Clint Gerlek, Ward IV

**Call Meeting to Order**

The regular session meeting of the City Council of the City of Republic, Greene County, Missouri, was called to order by Mayor Matt Russell at 6:00 p.m. Council Members present included Eric Franklin, Garry Wilson, Eric Gerke, Chris Updike, Clint Gerlek, Brandon Self, Jennifer Mitchell, and Gerry Pool. Others in attendance were: City Administrator David Cameron, Deputy City Administrator Andrew Nelson, City Attorney Megan McCullough, Police Chief Brian Sells, Assistant Parks and Recreation Director Jennafer Mayfield, Assistant BUILDS Administrator Garrett Brickner, Fire Chief Duane Compton, Chief of Staff Lisa Addington, Assistant City Administrator/Parks and Recreation Director Jared Keeling, Principal Planner Chris Tabor, City Clerk Laura Burbridge, and IT Director Chris Crosby.

**Opening Prayer**

Opening prayer was led by City Administrator David Cameron.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Matt Russell.

**Citizen Participation**

Mayor Russell opened citizen participation at 6:01 p.m. No one came forward so Mayor Russell closed citizen participation at 6:01 p.m.

**Consent Agenda**

Motion was made by Council Member Pool and seconded by Council Member Updike to approve the consent agenda. The vote was 8 Aye-Franklin, Gerke, Gerlek, Mitchell, Pool, Self, Updike, and Wilson. 0 Nay. Motion Carried.

1. Approve December 6, 2022 City Council Minutes.
2. Approve Vendor List.
3. As per RSMo. 109.230(4), City records that are on file in the City Clerk's office and have met the retention schedule will be destroyed in compliance with the guidelines established by the Secretary of State's office.
4. 23-R-01 A Resolution of the City Council Authorizing the City Administrator to Increase the Not-To-Exceed Amount for the City's Engagement of Outside Legal Counsel for Environmental Compliance Matters.

**Board, Commission, and Committee Schedule**

Board of Adjustment Meeting	February 2, 2023
City Council Meeting	February 7, 2023
Planning & Zoning Meeting	February 13, 2023
City Council Meeting	February 21, 2023

