



## **ATHENS CITY COUNCIL MINUTES OF SPECIAL-CALLED SESSION**

The Athens City Council met in regular session on **Thursday, December 4, 2025**, at 12:00 p.m. in the Athens City Hall Council Chambers, with Mayor Eaton presiding. Vice Mayor Curtis led the invocation. Councilmember Sherlin led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Roll call:**

**PRESENT:** Duggan, Sherlin, Curtis, Eaton

**ABSENT:** None

### **CITIZEN'S COMMENTS GERMANE TO THE AGENDA**

- Abby Burke Carroll supports Perry McCowan filling the vacant City Council position.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Review submitted applications for the vacant city council position.

Five applicants were considered:

- Joe Kimbro
- Perry McCowan
- Adelaide Miller
- Joshua Satterfield
- H. Chris Trew

- B. A motion, second, and majority vote are needed to make an appointment to fill the vacancy.

**Vice Mayor Curtis moved to appoint Perry McCowan to fill the vacant City Council position created by the resignation of Dr. Dick Pelley on October 23, 2025; seconded by Councilmember Sherlin.**

**PASSED**

**Roll call vote:**

**YEAS:** Duggan, Sherlin, Curtis, Eaton

**NAYS:** None

- C. Administer the Oath of Office to the Newly Appointed Council Member.

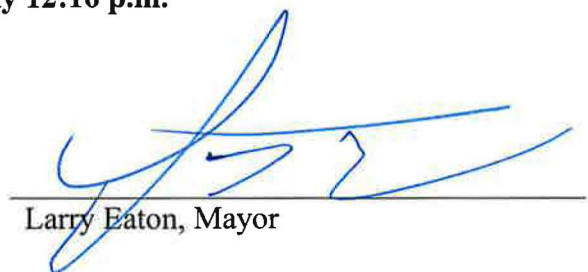
**Interim City Judge Mitchell Bryant administered the Oath of Office to newly appointed Councilmember Perry McCowan.**

### **ADJOURNMENT**

**Mayor Eaton adjourned the meeting at approximately 12:16 p.m.**



Randall Dowling, City Manager



Larry Eaton, Mayor