

## ORDINANCE 2026-102

### **AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE 1-102 OF THE RIDGETOP MUNICIPAL CODE TO INCLUDE IN THE ORDER OF BUSINESS OF THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN TO INCLUDE THE RESERVATION OF A PERIOD FOR PUBLIC COMMENT**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Ridgetop Municipal Code § 1-102 provides for the order of business for the board of mayor and aldermen; and

**WHEREAS**, due to previous disruption and discord which caused the board of mayor and aldermen to not be able to conduct the city business, the public comments were suspended; and

**WHEREAS**, notwithstanding the previous suspension of public comments, the agenda for the meetings of the board of mayor and aldermen has included and allowed for the reservation of time for citizens' comments; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated § 8-44-112, the board of mayor and aldermen deems it appropriate to include in the official order of business an agenda item four (4) entitled "Citizens' comments."

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF RIDGETOP BY ITS BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, THAT ORDINANCE § 1-102 BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:**

**1-102 Order of business.** At each meeting of the board of mayor and aldermen the following regular order of business shall be observed unless dispensed with by a majority vote of the members present:

- (1) Call to order by the mayor.
- (2) Roll call by the recorder.
- (3) Reading of minutes of the previous meeting by the recorder and approval or correction.
- (4) Citizens' comments.
- (5) Communications from the mayor.
- (6) Reports from committees, members of the board of mayor and aldermen and other officers.
- (7) Old business.
- (8) New business.
- (9) Adjournment. (1977 Code, § 1-102)

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Mayor Tim Shaw

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City Recorder