



# City of Ringgold

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Agenda for December 9, 2024  
Mayor and Council Meeting  
6:00 p.m. - Work Session, City Hall 2nd Floor Meeting Room

The purpose of this Work Session is for the possible discussion and consideration of those items that are to be discussed at the regular scheduled city council meeting that is to follow. The public is welcome.

Council Meeting will immediately follow the 7:00 Public Hearing, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Court Room

**I. Call to Order**

Invocation  
Pledge of Allegiance

All matters listed under Consent Agenda are considered to be routine by the City of Ringgold and will be enacted by one motion. There will not be separate discussion of these items. If discussion is desired by a member of the council, that item will be removed from the consent agenda and will be considered separately.

**II. Consent Agenda**

A. Work Session Minutes, November 11, 2024  
B. Regular Scheduled Meeting Minutes, November 11, 2024  
C. Special Called Meeting Minutes, November 27, 2024  
D. Final Reading of Ordinance No. 2024-1209 FY25 Budget

**III. Public Hearing (Following the Public Hearing the Council will consider taking action on the following items)**

A. None

**IV. Adjourn Public Hearing**

**V. Take Action on Public Hearing Items**

A. None.

**VI. Ceremonial Proclamations/Resolutions**

A. FY25 Resolution and Agreement for Expenditure of Hotel/Motel Excise Tax Proceeds - Vaughn

**VII. Invited Guests**

A. None.

**VIII. Citizen Comments**

**IX. Reports from Committees and Departments**

A. None.

**X. Old Business**

A. Lift Partner Request - Millwood

**XI. New Business**

- A. GMA-GIRMA Georgia First Responder PTSD Program Proposal for Coverage – Vaughn
- B. Floating Homestead Exemption Discussion – Vaughn
- C. Water System Improvements Contract A and B – Vaughn
- D. GMA WCSIF - 2025 Workers' Compensation Renewal – Vaughn
- E. Consideration of Use and Allocation of ARPA Funds to Creekside Park Phase 2 Contract – Vaughn
- F. Request to Approve GEFA Loan DW2024011 to Fund Poplar Springs Well and Peters Lane Water Line Projects – Vaughn
- G. Community Garden on City Hall Property – Henderson
- H. Consider Approving Reappointment of Mark Higgs and Jesse Branum to Planning and Zoning Commission – Vaughn
- I. Consider Approving Reappointment of Jason Lund and Jeremy Thacker to DDA - Vaughn
- J. Consider and/or Approve Notification of Cancellation of Upcoming Council Meetings for 2025 – Lundeen

**XII. Council Comments to Public**

**XIII. Executive Session - Personnel, Land Acquisition & Potential Litigation**

The Council may take action on issues relating to Personnel, Land Acquisition, and/or Potential Litigation following its Executive Session.

**XIV. Return to Open Session**

**XV. Adjournment**

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