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MEDIA RELEASE

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At the July 7, 2020 regular meeting of the City of Fort Smith Board of Directors, the Board members unanimously concurred to call a special meeting to be held at 9:00 a.m., Saturday, July 11, 2020 at the Fort Smith Convention Center, 55 South 7th Street, Exhibit Hall A, to consider the following:

- *Ordinance by the City of Fort Smith regarding the use of masks in relation to the COVID-19 pandemic*

The media release dated July 8, 2020 identified the meeting location as Fort Smith Convention Center, 55 South 7th Street, Exhibit Hall A. Due to numerous calls, a larger than anticipated attendance is expected; therefore, to ensure adequate space is available to adhere to social distancing recommendations, **the special meeting will be held in Exhibit Hall "B" of the Fort Smith Convention Center.**

As a reminder, the Fort Smith Fire Department will conduct screening of all individuals entering the meeting room. Due to the larger than anticipated attendance and time required to accomplish the aforementioned screening, attendee arrival time should be considered.

Additionally, per staff at the Fort Smith Convention Center, *"Please be mindful that event attendees at the Fort Smith Convention Center are required to wear a face covering/mask. Masks will be available onsite for attendees."*

The agenda for the above referenced special meeting will soon be posted to the City of Fort Smith website. For agenda information, please contact the City Clerk's Office at 784-2208.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Sherri Gard".

Sherri Gard, City Clerk