



Bob Jenkins, owner of Front Row Motorsports, and Michael Jordan, co-owner of 23XI Racing, pose before a NASCAR Cup Series auto race at Talladega Superspeedway, Oct. 6, 2024, in Talladega, Ala.

NASCAR

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distributed equally across the board with each team. For example, Team Penske might use an engineer for a NASCAR team, an IndyCar team and a sports car team. Bell asked NASCAR why it would not be satisfied with just “topline” numbers. “Why is not enough to know it costs X to run a car?” Bell asked.

Attorneys for the 12 teams also noted that their clients are extremely uncomfortable to be dragged into the suit. “This is the opposite of what they want — all the teams are torn to pieces that NASCAR wants them to disclose this information and they don't want to upset NASCAR,” Ross said. Teams have long argued that NASCAR is not financially viable and they needed multiple concessions, including a greater revenue stream and a more per-

manent length on the charter agreements. Those presently have expiration dates and can be revoked by NASCAR. Two years of negotiations ended last fall with 13 teams signing on but 23IX and FRM instead heading to court. The hearing came one day after Bell declined to dismiss the teams’ request to toss out NASCAR’s countersuit, which accuses Jordan business manager Curtis Polk of using “cartel”-type tactics in the most recent round of charter negotiations.

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Too hot to herd



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Tucker, a cattle herding dog at the Cammack Farm in Owenton, apparently deciding herding was for the birds and opted for a dip in the pool as temperatures swelled this week into the 90s.

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ORDINANCE NO 799 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY OF OWENTON, KENTUCKY ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2025, THROUGH JUNE 30, 2026 FOR THE OPERATION OF CITY GOVERNMENT		
WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed said budget proposal and made necessary modifications; NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE CITY OF OWENTON AS FOLLOWS: That the annual budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025, and ending June 30, 2026, is hereby amended as follows:		
RESOURCES AVAILABLE:	GENERAL FUND	AMENDED BUDGET
ESTIMATED REVENUE:		
Admin:		
Property Taxes	210,000.00	
Licenses and Permits	27,000.00	
Intergovernmental Revenue	161,900.00	
Payroll Tax	275,000.00	
Other	10,000.00	
*Surplus Funds	0.00	
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE	683,900.00	
Transfers to Public Works, Fire & Police	-302,000.00	
NET REVENUE	381,900.00	
Public Works		
Transfer from Admin (in Admin Revenue)	127,000.00	
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE	127,000.00	
Fire Department		
Transfer from Admin (in Admin Revenue)	35,000.00	
Fire Aid	15,000.00	
Donations	800.00	
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE	50,800.00	
Police		
Transfer from Admin (in Admin Revenue)	140,000.00	
Payroll Tax	125,000.00	
KLEFPF	18,720.00	
Other	22,450.00	
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE	306,170.00	
Street Aid		
Revenue from State	37,000.00	
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE	37,000.00	
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE:	902,870.00	
APPROPRIATIONS:		
Administrative	381,900.00	
Public Works	127,000.00	
Fire Department	50,800.00	
Police Department	306,170.00	
Street Aid	37,000.00	
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS:	902,870.00	
Given First reading in regular session of the City Council on this 8th day of May 2025.		
Given Second reading and adopted in special session of the City Council on this 19th day of June 2025.		
SIGNED: ADAM GAINES MAYOR		
ATTEST: SHERRY HAMILTON CITY CLERK		

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