

**STATE OF TENNESSEE
COUNTY OF HAMBLLEN
CORPORATION OF MORRISTOWN
FEBRUARY 19, 2013**

The City Council for the City of Morristown, Hamblen County, Tennessee, met in regular session at the regular meeting place of the Council in the Morristown City Center at 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 19, 2013 with the Honorable Mayor Danny Thomas presiding and the following Councilmembers present: Bob Garrett, Chris Bivens, Kay Senter, Dennis Alvis, Paul LeBel and Gene Brooks.

Chris Dotson, Morristown Police Department Chaplain Coordinator and Pastor of Peace Free Will Baptist Church lead in the invocation and Councilmember Brooks led in the "Pledge of Allegiance".

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve the February 5, 2013 minutes as circulated. Councilmember Alvis seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Terry Winstead of Craine Thompson & Jones gave a presentation of the City of Morristown's 2012 audit report.

A public hearing was held on Ordinance No. 3443.05. The following people spoke regarding Ordinance No. 3443.05: Rev. Nigel Marlin Reid, Sr.

Councilmember Alvis made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 3443.05 on second and final reading. Councilmember Bivens seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Ordinance No. 3443.05

An Ordinance to Amend Ordinance Number 3443, the City of Morristown, Tennessee Annual Budget for the Fiscal Year 2012-2013 and Appropriate the Sum of \$42,000 for Land Purchase for Park & Recreation Wayne Hansard Park.

A public hearing was held on Ordinance No. 3464.

Councilmember LeBel made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 3464 on second and final reading. Councilmember Bivens seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Ordinance No. 3464

An Ordinance of the City of Morristown, Tennessee Providing for the Use of a Collection Agency to Collect Unpaid Fines Owed to the City.

A Public hearing was held on Ordinance No. 3465.

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 3465 on second and final reading. Councilmember Alvis seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Ordinance No. 3465

An Ordinance to Amend the Morristown Municipal Code Title 14, Chapter 2 – Zoning Ordinance (Chapter 29, Signs) by deleting said chapter in its entirety and substituting therefore a new Chapter 29, Signs.

Councilmember Alvis made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 3466 on first reading and schedule a public hearing relative to final passage of said Ordinance for March 5, 2013. Councilmember Brooks seconded the motion and upon roll call; Councilmembers Garrett, Bivens, Senter, Alvis, Brooks and Mayor Thomas voted "aye"; Councilmember LeBel "abstained".

Ordinance No. 3466

An Ordinance to Amend the Municipal Code of the City of Morristown, Tennessee, Appendix B. Rezoning of 200 South Liberty Hill Road from Heavy Industrial (HI) to Planned Commercial District (PCD). [Rezoning Request – Liberty Hill Food City]

Councilmember LeBel made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 3443.06 on first reading and schedule a public hearing relative to final passage of said Ordinance for March 5, 2013. Councilmember Bivens seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Ordinance No. 3443.06

An Ordinance to Amend Ordinance number 3443, The City of Morristown, Tennessee Annual Budget for the Fiscal Year 2012-2013 and Appropriate the Sum of \$598,295 for Mid-Year Budget Amendments.

Councilmember Alvis made a motion to award a design contract to Lamar Dunn & Associates for the Rehabilitation design for Mini-basin WWTP 3 for a lump sum fee of \$83,000. Councilmember Bivens seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve a contract with Tennessee Department of Transportation for installation of Signalization on SR-160 Intersection at Commerce Blvd, Contract #130016. Councilmember Alvis seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember LeBel made a motion to award a bid to Ford of Murfreesboro for a 2013 Ford F-150 Ext. Cab 4X4 in the amount of \$22,438 to be used by the Public Works Director. Councilmember Bivens seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Mayor Thomas re-appointed Ken Smith to the Morristown Regional Planning Commission for a four (4) year term to expire on March 1, 2017.

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve the annual maintenance agreement for Operating System & Database Administration Support Agreement between the City of Morristown and Tyler Technologies, Inc., MUNIS Division in the amount of \$42,129.30. Councilmember Alvis seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember LeBel made a motion to open the Agenda for the purpose of considering the request for installation of sewer on the Catron Lane properties owned by Mr. George Thomas Parker. Councilmember Garrett seconded the motion and upon roll call; Councilmembers Garrett, Bivens, Senter, Alvis and LeBel voted "aye"; Mayor Thomas voted "no"; Councilmember Brooks "abstained".

Councilmember Bivens made a motion to deny Mr. Parker's request for sewer services. Councilmember LeBel seconded the motion and upon roll call; Councilmembers Garrett, Bivens, Alvis and LeBel voted "aye"; Councilmember Brooks and Mayor Thomas voted "no"; Councilmember Senter "abstained".

Mayor Thomas adjourned the February 19, 2013 meeting.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY ADMINISTRATOR