

STATE OF TENNESSEE
COUNTY OF HAMBLLEN
CORPORATION OF MORRISTOWN
May 5, 2020

The City Council for the City of Morristown, Hamblen County, Tennessee, met in regular session via electronic means at 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 5, 2020, with the Honorable Mayor Gary Chesney presiding and the following Councilmembers present; Al A'Hearn, Chris Bivens, Bob Garrett, Tommy Pedigo, Kay Senter and Ken Smith.

Councilmember Al A'Hearn led in the invocation.

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to make a determination by the City Council of Morristown, Tennessee that meeting electronically and prohibiting the physical presence of the public at the meeting is necessary to protect public health, safety, and welfare of all concerned in light of the COVID-19 virus. Councilmember Senter seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye"

Councilmember Pedigo made a motion to approve the April 21, 2020 minutes as circulated. Councilmember Senter seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye"

Councilmember Bivens made a motion to approve the 2020 Annual Inflation Adjustment of the Financial Assurance for the Hamblen County and City of Morristown Landfills, Permit Nos. SNL320000152 Original, SNL320000152 Expansion, and SWP320000235 as required by the Regulations of the Division of Solid Waste Management. Councilmember A'Hearn seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Smith made a motion to approve Change Order No. 1 for Roofing Project for City Center in the amount of \$16,970.42, Fire Station No. 5 in the amount of \$3,115.10 and Fire Station No. 2 in the amount of \$7,354.72 for a total contract increase in the amount of \$27,440.64. Councilmember Senter seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Pedigo made a motion to approve to apply for the 2021 Tennessee Agriculture Enhancement Program (TAEP) Grant in the amount of \$20,000. This is a 50/50 match grant. Councilmember A'Hearn seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Smith made a motion to approve the lowest and best bid for Bullet Proof Vests for the Police Department submitted by Galls, LLC as detailed in the bid tabulation. Councilmember Pedigo seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to approve the grant contract in the amount of \$83,807.47 between the Tennessee Emergency Management Agency and the City of Morristown for eligible cost incurred as a result of Presidential Disaster Declaration number FEMA-4427DR-TN for severe storms, flooding, landslides and mudslides February 19, 2019 to March 30, 2019. Councilmember Senter seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye"

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve the contract in the amount of \$30,000 with LDA Engineering and the City of Morristown for design and bidding services for the repair of the Croxdale Road slope failure. Councilmember Pedigo seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Mayor Gary Chesney announced that he has reappointed Willie Santana as the Mayor's Designee to the Morristown-Hamblen Humane Society; term to expire on May 15, 2021.

Mayor Gary Chesney adjourned the May 5, 2020 Morristown City Council meeting at 5:27 p.m.



Mayor

Attest:



City Administrator

A video recording of the electronic meeting was made available for viewing on the city website at www.mymorristown.com on Tuesday, May 5, 2020.