

**STATE OF TENNESSEE  
COUNTY OF HAMBLLEN  
CORPORATION OF MORRISTOWN  
December 6, 2022  
5:00 p.m.**

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. 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.

Robert Montgomery, Chaplain Morristown Fire Department, led in the invocation.

Councilmember A'Hearn led in the "Pledge of Allegiance".

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve the November 15, 2022 minutes as circulated. Councilmember A'Hearn seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

A Public Hearing was held relating to Ordinance No. 4713.04. No one spoke.

Councilmember Smith made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 4713.04 on second and final reading. Councilmember A'Hearn seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye."

**Ordinance No. 4713.04  
To amend Ordinance Number 4713, the City of Morristown,  
Tennessee Annual Budget for Fiscal Year 2022-2023,  
necessary to re-appropriate funds in the amount of \$60,598  
to allow for the purchase of two vehicles for the Fire  
Department.**

A Public Hearing was held relating to Ordinance No. 4728. No one spoke.

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 4728 on second and final reading. Councilmember Pedigo seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye."

**Ordinance No. 4728  
Entitled an Ordinance to amend the Municipal Code of The  
City of Morristown, Tennessee, Appendix B. {Rezoning of  
Hamblen County Tennessee Tax Parcel ID # 032034 01600  
from PCD (Planned Commercial District) to R2 (Medium  
Density Residential District). New Fire Station No. 3}.**

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2022-28. Councilmember Pedigo seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye."

**Resolution No. 2022-28  
A Resolution calling for a Municipal Election on May 2, 2023,  
for the election of a City Mayor; one Councilmember to  
represent Ward 2; one Councilmember to represent Ward 4;  
and one at-large Councilmember.**

Councilmember Pedigo made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2022-29. Councilmember A'Hearn seconded the motion. Councilmember Senter then made a motion to amend the motion on the floor to remove the language {during the "Adoption of agenda" section of the agenda} from Item 3 of Resolution. Councilmember Garrett seconded the amended motion and upon roll call; Councilmembers Bivens, Garrett and Senter voted "aye." Mayor Chesney, Councilmembers A'Hearn, Smith and Pedigo voted "no". Mayor Chesney called for a vote of the original motion and upon roll call Mayor Chesney, Councilmembers A'Hearn, Smith and Pedigo voted "aye." Councilmembers Bivens, Garrett and Senter voted "no".

**Resolution No. 2022-29  
Being a Resolution of the City of Morristown,  
Tennessee adopting an Agenda Management Policy.**

Councilmember Pedigo made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 4729 on first reading and schedule a public hearing relative to final passage of said ordinance for December 20, 2022. Councilmember A'Hearn seconded the motion and upon roll call; Mayor Chesney, Councilmembers A'Hearn, Smith and Pedigo voted "aye." Councilmembers Bivens, Garrett and Senter voted "no".

**Ordinance No. 4729  
Being an Ordinance of the City Council of Morristown,  
Tennessee Amending Title 1, Chapter 2, Section 206 of  
the Morristown Municipal Code (Order of Business).**

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to approve the Builder's Risk Insurance extension through February 28, 2023 in the amount of \$14,726 for Morristown Landing. Councilmember Smith seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Smith made a motion to accept the Grant Contract (AERO-23-232-00) from the Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) in the amount of \$86,400 for the Morristown Airport Runway Lighting Design Project. Councilmember Pedigo seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve the application for the Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) 2022-23 Traffic Signal Modernization Program (TSMP) Grant Program in the amount of \$100,000. This grant requires no local match. Councilmember A'Hearn seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Pedigo made a motion to acknowledge receipt of proposals for Mobile Restroom Trailers, accept the proposal from Ready-2-Go Restrooms as the best, lowest, and most qualified proposal, and authorize the one-time purchase of two (2) Mobile Restroom Trailers, totaling \$121,290. Councilmember A'Hearn seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to approve the purchase of one (1) Styku 3D Body Scanner Device, Styku Studio Software, and Styku Web Services totaling \$6,534 as a sole source purchase for Morristown Landing. Councilmember Pedigo seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to approve the purchase of one (1) Theragun Mini Cart package (which includes 4 – Theraguns and 2- Wave rollers) totaling \$4,999 as a sole source purchase for Morristown Landing. Councilmember Pedigo seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve a Master Services Agreement with Goodwyn Mills Cawood, LLC to provide engineering, planning, and related professional services for the Morristown Regional Airport for a five-year period beginning January 1, 2023 and authorize the City Administrator to execute the same. Councilmember Smith seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to approve the recommendation from Lose Design to award the contract for the Durham Landing Connector Road project to East Tennessee Turf and Landscape (ETTL) in amount of \$740,000. Councilmember Smith seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Pedigo made a motion to approve Change Order No. 6 with Leon Williams Contractors for the City Hall Interior Renovations in the amount of \$28,075. Councilmember A'Hearn seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to declare miscellaneous electronic equipment surplus. Councilmember Smith seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve the purchase of rock salt from Morton Salt Company in an amount not to exceed \$50,000 via Statewide Contract (#507). Councilmember Smith seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to approve moving Council meeting dates in July 2023 to the 1st and 3rd Thursday; July 6, and July 20, 2023. Councilmember Senter seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Pedigo made a motion of acceptance of the Audit for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2022. Councilmember Smith seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

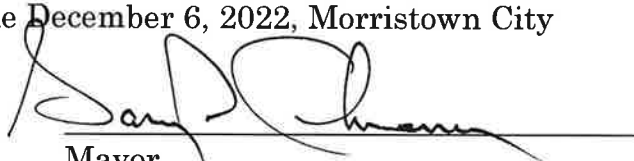
Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion of the approval to hire Hannah Marshall, Corey Romines and Samuel Sayegh as entry-level officers for the Morristown Police Department. Councilmember Smith seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Bivens made a motion of the confirmation of disciplinary action for the Morristown Police Department. Councilmember A'Hearn seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Bivens made a motion of the confirmation to terminate employment of officer for the Morristown Police Department. Councilmember Senter seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Mayor Chesney opened the floor for members of the audience to speak subject to the guidelines provided; Linda Noe, Gwen Holden and Louis Chan spoke.

Mayor Gary Chesney adjourned the December 6, 2022, Morristown City Council meeting at 6:13 p.m.

  
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Mayor

Attest:

  
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City Administrator