

**STATE OF TENNESSEE
COUNTY OF HAMBLEN
CORPORATION OF MORRISTOWN
February 15, 2022**

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

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

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to approve the February 1, 2022, minutes as circulated. Councilmember Senter seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Mayor Chesney opened the floor for citizens comments related to Agenda items; No one spoke.

Councilmember Smith made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 4700 on first reading and schedule a Public Hearing relative to final passage of said Ordinance for March 1, 2022. Councilmember Bivens seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Ordinance No. 4700

Entitled an Ordinance to annex certain territory and to incorporate same within the corporate boundaries of the City of Morristown, Tennessee currently addressed as 363 Snyder Road having the Hamblen County Tax Parcel ID #: 032034D D 00300 the zoning designation of Medium Density Residential District, R2, the general location being shown of the attached Exhibit A.

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to approve Change Order No. 1 with Junior Hommel Excavating for a change in contract time and to close out the Wayne Hansard Park Drainage Improvements project. Councilmember Pedigo seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve Change Order No. 1 with Leon Williams Contractor for the City Hall Interior Renovations in the amount of \$22,685. Councilmember Smith seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve Change Order No. 3 – Final for Summers-Taylor increasing the contract in the amount of \$26,040.00 and Change Order No. 3 for Mattern & Craig in the amount of \$7,003.77 for the West AJ Highway Rehabilitation project. Councilmember Smith seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Smith made a motion to approve the Grant contract between the State of Tennessee Department of Transportation and the City of Morristown for the FAA American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funding for Airports in the amount of \$59,000. This is a direct appropriation grant and there is no local match. Councilmember A'Hearn seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to approve the contract between State of Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) and the City of Morristown for the rehabilitation of the Rail Crossing at South Fairmont Avenue for an estimated cost of \$40,600.00, which is to be split 10% for the City of Morristown (\$4,060.00) and 90% for TDOT (\$36,540.00). Councilmember Pedigo seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Bivens made a motion to approve PO#22001654 in the amount \$14,600.00 to West Hills Ford Tractor for the transmission rebuild of the T6020 Holland Tractor. Councilmember Pedigo seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve Change Order No. 1 with ZD Contracting Inc. (Ziggurat Development LLC) for extension of contract time of twenty-one (21) days and increase the contract in an amount of \$9,870.31 for the Park Facilities ADA Improvement Project. Councilmember Pedigo seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to approve the contract between the State of Tennessee Department of Safety and Homeland Security and the City of Morristown for participation in the Tennessee Advanced Communications Network. Councilmember Bivens seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Pedigo made a motion to approve Change Order No. 1 with Junior Hommel Excavating to close out the project, delete two (2) items not used in construction and adjust contract times for the North Cumberland Street project (remove wall at Fulton-Hill Park). Councilmember A'Hearn seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to approve PO#22001710 to purchase replacement windows from Pella Window & Door of Tennessee, Inc. for City Center offices in the amount of \$18,011.06. Councilmember Pedigo seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Bivens made a motion to approve the Sponsorship Agreement between the City of Morristown and Dicks Sporting Goods. Councilmember Smith seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember A'Hearn made a motion to extend the Brown Edwards audit contract one additional year. Councilmember Pedigo seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Mayor Chesney appointed Sabrina Seaman and reappointed Roni Synder (Regional UGB) to the Morristown Regional Planning Commission for a four (4) year term to expire March 1, 2026.

Councilmember Bivens made a motion to hire Mike Marecic and Terry Henry as Entry-Level Officers for the Morristown Police Department. Councilmember Smith seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

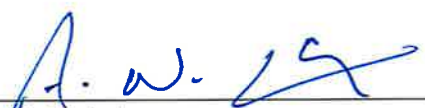
Mayor Chesney opened the floor for members of the audience to speak subject to the guidelines provided; Louis Chan spoke.

Mayor Gary Chesney adjourned the February 15, 2022, Morristown City Council meeting at 5:27 p.m.



Mayor

Attest:



City Administrator