

**STATE OF TENNESSEE
COUNTY OF HAMBLLEN
CORPORATION OF MORRISTOWN
JULY 1, 2014**

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, July 1, 2014, with the Honorable Mayor Danny Thomas, presiding and the following Councilmembers present; Bob Garrett, Chris Bivens, Kay Senter, Dennis Alvis, Paul LeBel and Gary Chesney.

Chris Dotson, Chaplain Coordinator Morristown Police Department Chaplain led in the invocation and Councilmember Alvis led in the "Pledge of Allegiance".

Councilmember Alvis made a motion to approve the June 17, 2014 minutes as circulated. Councilmember Chesney seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Mayor Thomas presented a Cigarette Litter Prevention Proclamation to members of Crossroads Downtown Partnership and Keep Hamblen Beautiful.

Mayor Thomas and Chief Overholt recognized Debra Lamb with a proclamation and watch congratulating her on retirement from the Morristown Police Department and thanking her for thirty-six years of dedicated service to the City of Morristown.

Mayor Thomas and Chief Overholt recognized Captain David Beckner with a proclamation and watch congratulating him on his retirement from the Morristown Police Department and thanking him for his thirty-eight years of dedicated service to the City of Morristown.

Councilmember Alvis made a motion to approve the declaration of one service weapon as surplus property; Glock 31-357 sig caliber, Serial #LFL901, and the ownership be transferred to Captain David Beckner. Councilmember Senter seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Chief Overholt presented Captain David Beckner with his service weapon.

Councilmember Chesney made a motion to approve Change Order No. 1 for the 2013-2014 Annual Street Paving Program, to increase the contract amount by \$453,103.26 (from \$341,985.66 to \$795,088.92). This Change Order accesses the additional funds appropriated by Council in the FY15 budget to allow additional streets to be paved under the existing contract with Summers-Taylor. Councilmember LeBel seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember LeBel made a motion to defer the Interlocal Cooperation Agreement between Hamblen County Emergency Communications District, Hamblen County and the City of Morristown until the July 15, 2014, City Council Meeting. Councilmember Bivens seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember LeBel made a motion to replace Terry Ball on the Industrial Development Board appointment list with Ed Hale and to vote the remaining slate submitted by the Industrial Development Board separately. Councilmember Garrett seconded the motion and upon roll call; Councilmembers Garrett, Bivens, Senter, Alvis, LeBel and Mayor Thomas voted "aye"; Councilmember Chesney voted "no".

Councilmember LeBel made a motion to appoint Ed Hale to the Industrial Development Board of the City of Morristown for a six (6) year term to expire on June 30, 2020. Councilmember Garrett seconded the motion and upon roll call; Councilmembers Garrett, Bivens, Senter, Alvis, LeBel and Chesney voted "aye"; Mayor Thomas voted "no".

Councilmember LeBel made a motion to re-appoint Jack Campbell, Tim Coley, Joel Hicy and Anderson Smith, to the Industrial Development Board of the City of Morristown for a six (6) year term to expire on June 30, 2020. Councilmember Bivens seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Senter made a motion to appoint Raul Rangel to the Industrial Development Board of the City of Morristown to fill the unexpired term of Jennifer Schuchart, term expiring June 30, 2018. Councilmember LeBel seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember LeBel made a motion to reject Mayor Thomas's nomination of Max Biery to the Morristown Utility Commission, (term expiring A.E. Gene Jolley). Councilmember Garrett seconded the motion and upon roll call; Councilmembers Garrett, Bivens, Senter, Alvis, LeBel and Chesney voted "aye"; Mayor Thomas voted "no".

Councilmember LeBel made a motion to approve the Police Departments appointment of Michael Patrick as a Reserve Police Officer. Councilmember Alvis seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve the Police Departments promotion of Mike Giles to Patrol Captain. Councilmember LeBel seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve the Police Departments promotion of Clyde Short to Patrol Lieutenant. Councilmember Alvis seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".


Councilmember Senter made a motion to approve the Police Departments promotion of Eddie Dilbeck to Patrol Sergeant. Councilmember Chesney seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

Councilmember Alvis made a motion to confirm Police Chief Overholt's recommendation of disciplinary action. Councilmember Senter seconded the motion and upon roll call; all voted "aye".

City Administrator Tony Cox reported the following to Council:

- The City of Morristown received the Tennessee Municipal League Municipal Achievement Award Excellence in Governance presented on June 24, 2014 at the State Meeting in Chattanooga.
- Morristown Utility System received approval of the \$1 Million Telecommunications Capital Outlay Note at a fixed rate of two point nine percent.

Mayor Thomas adjourned the July 1, 2014 meeting


MAYOR

ATTEST:


CITY ADMINISTRATOR