

REORGANIZATIONAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING
APRIL 21, 2023

CALL TO ORDER/RECORD OF ATTENDANCE

The Sikeston City Council Reorganizational Meeting of April 21, 2023 was called to order at noon in the Council Chambers at City Hall, located at 105 E. Center St., Sikeston. Present at the meeting were: Mayor Greg Turnbow, David Teachout, Vest Baker, John Leible, Brian Self, Tom Robison and Onethia Williams. Staff in attendance were: City Manager Jonathan Douglass, City Counselor Tabatha Thurman, City Clerk Rhonda Council, Finance Director Karen Bailey, HR Director Amanda Groves and Carrie Burgfeld, Public Works Director Jay Lancaster, Street Superintendent Brian Dial, Street Supervisor Darren Martin, Public Safety Director James McMillen and Community Development Director Barry Blevins.

Presentation and Acceptance of Verification Board for At-Large Council Representative

City Clerk Rhonda Council presented the New Madrid and Scott County Clerks' Certifications for Election of At-Large Council Representative. Councilman Baker moved to accept the results as presented. The motion was seconded by Councilman Robison and the following roll call vote recorded:

Baker Aye, Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Self Aye, Teachout Aye,
Williams Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Oath of Office Ceremony

City Clerk Rhonda Council administered the oath of office for Councilman At-Large Ryan Lindsey.

Nomination and Election of Mayor Pro Tempore

Councilman Teachout nominated Councilwoman Williams to serve as Mayor Pro Tem. Councilman Robison seconded the nomination. There being no further nominations, the following roll call vote was recorded:

Baker Aye, Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Teachout Aye,
Williams Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Oath of Office Ceremony of Mayor Pro Tempore

City Clerk Rhonda Council administered the oath to Mayor Pro Tempore Self.

Nomination and Election of Professional Consulting Committee

The Professional Consulting Committee consists of three members that review and make recommendation on the award of all professional services contracts when the fees for these services exceed \$10,000. Councilman Baker nominated Councilmen Leible. The nomination was seconded by Councilman Robison. Councilman Robison nominated Councilman Baker and Lindsey. The nomination was seconded by Councilman Teachout. There being no further nominations, the following roll call vote was recorded for the appointment of Councilmen Leible, Baker and Lindsey to serve on the Professional Consulting Committee:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Council Appointment to Liquor License Review Board

The Liquor License Review Board created by Municipal Code Section 600.089, hears and rules on appeals to the City Manager's suspension or revocation of a City liquor license.

Councilman Leible nominated Councilman Robison to continue serving on the Liquor License Review Board. The motion was seconded by Councilman Teachout. There being no further nominations, the following roll call vote was recorded:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Selection of Planning and Zoning Commission Representatives

The Planning and Zoning Commission consists of eleven members, including the Mayor or his designee and one other member of Council. Councilman Williams nominated Councilman Teachout to represent the Mayor. The nomination was seconded by Councilman Leible. Councilman Baker nominated Councilman Lindsey as the Council's representative. The nomination was seconded by Councilman Teachout and there being no further nominations, the following roll call vote was recorded:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Nomination and Election of Ex Officio Representative to the Board of Municipal Utilities Commission

Municipal Code establishes an ex officio position on the BMU Board of Commissioners for a City Council representative. Councilman Leible nominated Councilman Robison to serve as the ex-officio member to the Board of Municipal Utilities. The nomination was seconded by Councilman Teachout. There being no further nominations, the following roll call vote was recorded:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Appointment of Council Representative to the Library Board of Trustees

Councilman Baker nominated Councilman Teachout for reappointment to the Library Board of Trustees. The nomination was seconded by Councilman Leible. There being no further nominations, the following roll call vote was recorded:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Council Appointment to Sikeston Housing Authority Board

Councilman Teachout nominated Councilwoman Onethia Williams for reappointment to the Sikeston Housing Authority Board. The nomination was seconded by Councilman Robison. There being no further nominations, the following roll call vote was recorded:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Council Appointment to the Land Clearance Redevelopment Authority (LCRA) Commission

Councilman Baker nominated Councilman Leible to serve as the council representative to the LCRA Commission. The nomination was seconded by Councilman Robison. There being no further nominations, the following roll call vote was recorded:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Council Appointment to the Park Board

Councilwoman Williams nominated Councilman Robison to serve as the council representative to the Park Board. The motion was seconded by Councilman Leible and there being no further nominations, the following roll call vote recorded:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Council Appointment to the Public Safety Advisory Board

Councilman Leible nominated Councilman Teachout for reappointment on the Public Safety Advisory Board. The nomination was seconded by Councilwoman Williams. There being no further nominations, the following roll call vote was recorded:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Appointment to Tourism Advisory Board

Two councilmembers serve on the seven-member Tourism Advisory Board. Councilman Robison nominated Councilmembers Williams and Leible to serve on the Tourism Advisory Board. The motion was seconded by Councilman Teachout. There being no further nominations, the following roll call votes were recorded:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Council Appointment to the Stormwater Management Board

The Stormwater Management Board meets to consider actions for municipal compliance with DNR Stormwater Management regulations and to design/implement on-going education campaigns. Councilwoman Williams nominated Councilman Lindsey for reappointment to the Stormwater Management Board. The nomination was seconded by Councilman Leible. There being no further nominations, the following roll call vote was recorded:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Appointment to Friends of the PAWS Animal Shelter Advisory Board

PAWS Board meets to raise community support and interest in the care and well-being of animals. Councilman Teachout nominated Councilman Lindsey for reappointment as Council

representative to the PAWS Animal Shelter Advisory Board. The nomination was seconded by Councilwoman Williams and the following roll call vote recorded:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

Council Appointment to Capital Improvements Plan Evaluation Committee

Councilman Teachout nominated Mayor Turnbow to serve as the City Council representative on the Capital Improvement Evaluation Committee. Councilman Robison seconded the motion and there being no further nominations, the following roll call vote was recorded:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the City Council, Councilman Leible moved to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilman Teachout and the following roll call vote was recorded:

Leible Aye, Robison Aye, Lindsey Aye, Williams Aye,
Baker Aye, Teachout Aye, and Turnbow Aye, thereby being passed.

APPROVED:

GREG TURNBOW, MAYOR

ATTEST:

RHONDA COUNCIL, CITY CLERK

SEAL: