

CITY OF ARNOLDSVILLE CITY COUNCIL MEETING

February 16, 2017 – 7:00 PM

Present: Mayor George Spearing, IV; Council Members: Greg Banks, Norma Craddock; Danny Morcom, Jack Norman; (Lee Norman absent due to sickness) City Attorney, Danny Love; Water Super., George Spearing, III; Debbie Love, City Clerk

Observers: Melvin Fleming, Keith Hardman, Bobby Seagraves

Media: Jessica Colquitt

Minutes

On a motion by Jack Norman, seconded by Danny Morcom, the minutes for the January 17, 2017 meeting were approved as submitted. 4 - 0

General Fund Financials

On a motion by Jack Norman seconded by Greg Banks, the January General Fund Financial Report was approved as submitted. 4-0

Water

Water Superintendent George Spearing, III reported that all equipment is running good at this time with no leaks.

Water Fund Financials

On a motion by Jack Norman seconded by Norma Craddock, the January Water Fund Financial Report was approved as submitted. 4-0

Fire Department

Keith Hardman spoke on behalf of the fire department. He announced that the American Legion had recently contributed \$2,500.00 to the fire department to use for the purchase of new rescue equipment. They were able to get a brand new "Jaws of Life" which will be housed on the Rescue Truck. Everything else is running well and all trucks are good right now. They have had a few fire calls for the month. Jack Norman expressed that he "appreciates the fire department."

Zoning

Next on the agenda was the second reading of the new zoning ordinance by city attorney, Danny Love. After a brief discussion regarding the zoning ordinance, Greg Banks made a motion with a second from Danny Morcom to pass the new Zoning Ordinance for the City of Arnoldsville. Vote 3 yes, 1 no. PASSED

City Attorney Love then brought up the subject of employment decisions that need to be made regarding the Code Enforcement Officer, Land Use Officer and Building Inspector. The city will also need to appoint a Board of Appeals. This will be a three (3) year appointment for three (3) members made up of citizens from the city. After a brief discussion regarding qualifications, salary and other items pertinent to the hiring of these positions, it was decided that a called meeting would be held on March 1, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. to work on these specific items.

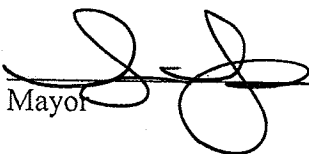
Other Business

Councilman Morcom presented an option regarding the ongoing discussion of street signs for the Creekside Subdivision that would hopefully aid in notifying thru traffic that children are in the neighborhood sometimes playing near the street. It was agreed that a minimum of four (4) signs reflecting "Share the Road" could be installed. These signs are permitted and lawful. Mayor Spearing suggested that the city use upcoming LMIG funding to help pay for these signs.

Mayor Spearing reminded the council about the upcoming Firefly Bike Ride that will be take place on March 25, 2017. The route will include a stop at No. 3 Railroad.

One more item of business was the railing on the front deck of the city hall building. A repair needs to be done to make sure the railing is safe. The city clerk will check with Mike Eidson regarding this repair.

8:25 p.m. Meeting adjourned on a motion from Greg Banks with a second from Norma Craddock. Vote 3-1

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Mayor

3/16/17
Date

Minutes prepared and submitted by Clerk, Debbie Love, March 16, 2017