

**CITY OF ARNOLDSVILLE  
CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
AUGUST 18, 2015**

Present: Mayor Banks, Council Members: Norma Craddock, Jack Norman, Lee Norman, Joyce Sniff, George Spearing, IV; City Attorney, Danny Love; Water Superintendent, George Spearing, III; City Clerk, Debbie Love

Observers: M. Eidson, M. Fleming, D. Morcom, B. Seagraves

7:03 PM Mayor Banks called the meeting to order.

The minutes for the regular monthly meeting held on July 21, 2015 were read and approved as submitted on a motion from Joyce sniff and a second from Lee Norman.  
Vote 5 – 0

The financial report presented for the month of July for the city's General Fund account was approved on a motion from Jack Norman with a second from Lee Norman.  
Vote 5 – 0

The financial report presented for the month of July for the city's Water Fund account was approved on a motion from Joyce Sniff with a second from Jack Norman.  
Vote 5 – 0

Water

George Spearing, III reported that he and Mayor Banks had met with a representative from Utility Services regarding the tank maintenance for the tank located at 154 Yancey Rd. The representative of Utility Services submitted in that meeting a report reflecting a small amount of rust that was visible. In these photographs, that was the only damage reported. They are scheduled by contract to wash out this tank in late October. It was determined that the inside of the tank would be due for a sandblasting in 2017.

The only other water business discussed was the telemetry located on the pump at Yancey Rd. The estimated cost to repair the damage plus new programming is \$2,500.00. This telemetry gives water level readings etc. City Attorney Love stated that he had inquired with the city's insurance company regarding filing a claim for this damage. The city has a \$1,000.00 deductible.

Fire Department

Mike Eidson, Fire Chief of the Arnoldsville Volunteer Fire Dept. reported that the brush truck is back in service after replacing the tank. He stated that rescue equipment is next on their purchase list. He also reported that the county may possibly assist with this purchase. Arnoldsville has 2 new members with 17 on the roster.

Other Business

Mayor Banks reported that he had been in touch with Georgia Power regarding the security light located at city hall. The light had been on during the day.

Next on the agenda was the discussion regarding whether or not to change the current animal ordinance. Each council person that had suggestions regarding how to change the ordinance submitted their ideas for the discussion. After much debating and discussing, a motion was made by Joyce Sniff with a second from Jack Norman to change the ordinance in the following manner: A time limit will be attached to #1, #2 & #3 of 12 months from the warning date. No time limits will be set on #4 & #5. Vote 5 – 0

The first reading of this ordinance was presented by City Attorney, Danny Love. Joyce Sniff made a motion to disperse with reading the whole ordinance; only the specific changes were read.

On a motion from Joyce Sniff with a second from Jack Norman, the council voted to change the regular meeting date of each city council meeting from the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday. Vote 5 – 0

8:10 PM Meeting adjourned on a motion from Norma Craddock with a second from George Spearing, IV. Vote 5 – 0

Minutes prepared and submitted by Debbie Love, City Clerk, September 15, 2015.

  
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Mayor Greg Banks

9-15-2015  
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