

**CITY OF ARNOLDSVILLE  
CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
SEPTEMBER 15, 2015**

Present: Mayor Bank, council Members: Norma Craddock, Jack Norman, Lee Norman, Joyce Sniff, George Spearing, IV, City Attorney, Danny Love; City Clerk, Debbie Love

Observers: Phyllis Jackson, Danny Morcom

7:00 p.m. Meeting called to order.

The minutes for the regular monthly meeting held on August 18, 2015 were read and approved as submitted on a motion from Norma Craddock with a second from George Spearing, IV. Vote 5 – 0

The financial report presented for the month of August for the city's General Fund account was approved on a motion from Norma Craddock with a second from Joyce Sniff. Note: Mayor Banks remarked that the city is under budget at this time on the General Fund. Vote 5 – 0

The financial report presented for the month of August for the city's Water Fund account was approved on a motion from George Spearing, IV with a second from Joyce Sniff. Vote 5 – 0

Water

Water Superintendent, George Spearing, III was not available to present a report. Mayor Banks did mention that the city had been being more aggressive on making sure water customers were not letting their water bill get behind more than two months. If this is the case, it is an automatic shut-off plus a reconnect fee. Mayor Banks also stated that the city still needs to get an estimate on the lightning damage at the well located at 155 Yancey Rd.

Mayor Banks mentioned that someone from Utility Services had asked to be notified about the next council meeting. They would like to have someone from their office present to discuss the city's impending contract termination with Utility Services for the maintenance of the tank located at 154 Yancey Rd. before it becomes final.

Fire Department

No one was available to give any report on the fire department for this month.

Other Business

Next on the agenda was the subject of water leaking into the city hall building. Mayor Banks had received a quote to have the work done that is necessary to repair the building to stop the leaking. The estimate was for \$500.00 from Stanley Holmes. George Spearing, IV stated that he thought that was a fair price and made a motion to accept this bid. Joyce Sniff seconded this motion. Vote 5 – 0

Ms. Phyllis Jackson was present to inquire about the noise ordinance that the city has in place. Ms. Jackson is planning to have social gathering at No. 3 Railroad located in the city limits including a band and she wanted to make sure no rules were being violated. After a short discussion regarding curfews etc., the council agreed that they thought Ms. Jackson's party would not be a problem. She was cautioned to make sure her guests parked only on designated parking for No. 3 Railroad.

Next, City Attorney Danny Love gave the second reading of the ordinance to change the regular meeting date from the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month. This will be effective immediately beginning with the next meeting to be held on Thursday, October 15, 2015. The motion to accept this ordinance change was made by George Spearing, IV with a second from Jack Norman. Vote 5 - 0

The second reading of the revised animal ordinance was then read by City Attorney Love. On a motion from Joyce Sniff with a second from George Spearing, IV, the council voted to accept this ordinance change. Vote 5 – 0

Mayor Banks gave a report on a letter received from the Dept. of Transportation stating that they would be making minor repairs to roads and streets all over the county. Some of these were included in Arnoldsville.

8:00 p.m. Motion to adjourn by Joyce Sniff with a second from Lee Norman. Vote 5 – 0

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

  
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Mayor Greg Banks

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