

CITY OF BARDSTOWN, KENTUCKY
REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
10/08/2019
6:00 PM

The City Council met in regular session in the Council Chambers with Mayor Heaton and the following Council Members:

Councilman Joe Buckman
Councilman David Dones
Councilwoman Betty Hart
Councilman Franklin Hibbs IV
Councilman Bill Sheckles (absent)
Councilman Roland E. Williams

Others present: City Attorney Audrey Haydon, HR Director/Risk Manager Greg Ashworth, Police Chief Kim Kraeszig, Fire Chief Billy Mattingly, City Civil Engineer Jessica Filiatreau, City Clerk Gary Little, Assistant City Clerk Lisa Burdett, District Two Magistrate Gary Coulter, Rotary Club President Kenny Fogle, Essay Contest Winner Catherine Hils, Roni Hils, Martin Hils, Amanda Bradley, Madelyn Bradley, Kathy Thompson, and Pat Whelan.

Media present: Nelson County Gazette Reporter Jim Brooks, Kentucky Standard Reporter Randy Patrick, PLG Reporter Matt Gordon.

Mayor Heaton called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

CITY GOVERNMENT MONTH ESSAY CONTEST WINNER

Catherine Hils, a fourth-grader at St. Joseph School was the winner of the City Council sponsored essay contest in recognition of City Government Month. There were 62 essays submitted. She read her essay before the Council which was followed by a standing ovation. Additionally, Mayor Heaton presented her with a trophy on behalf of the City of Bardstown. She was accompanied by her mother, her teacher and other family members.

BARDSTOWN ROTARY CLUB

Bardstown Rotary Club President Kenny Fogle announced that a luncheon hosted by the Rotary Club was scheduled for October 23, 2019 and he extended an invitation to Mayor Heaton, the City Council and local residents. Tom Wyman will be the guest speaker. The purpose of the event is to bring awareness to the drug epidemic in the area.

CONTRACT #1 - TOWN CREEK IMPROVEMENTS - CHANGE ORDER #2

City Civil Engineer Jessica Filiatreau explained the need for Change Order No. 2 of the Rowan Creek Wastewater Improvement Contract No. 1 which is to relocate an existing force main that is in conflict with proposed influent sewer piping.

UPON MOTION BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS, DULY SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN DONES, CHANGE ORDER NO. 2 FOR ROWAN CREEK CONTRACT NO. 1 IN THE AMOUNT OF TWENTY-SEVEN THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-NINE DOLLARS (\$27,229.00) WAS APPROVED. THE MOTION CARRIED 5-0.

WATER TANK BID TABS

City Civil Engineer Jessica Filiatreau presented the bids for the City's recent request to clean, repair and paint the Withrow Court, the Hardin County and the Nelson County Industrial Park water tanks. Currens Construction Services, LLC was the low bidder, individually, for all three tanks in the amounts noted below:

WITHROW COURT WATER TANK	\$616,400.00
HARDIN COUNTY TANK	\$ 84,850.00
NCIP TANK	\$417,750.00

UPON MOTION BY COUNCILMAN DONES, DULY SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN HIBBS, THE THREE BIDS FROM CURRENS CONSTRUCTION SERVICES, LLC FOR THE CLEANING, REPAIR AND PAINTING OF THE WITHROW COURT, HARDIN COUNTY AND NCIP WATER TANKS WERE APPROVED. THE MOTION CARRIED 5-0.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

THE MINUTES FOR THE 9/24/2019 CITY COUNCIL REGULAR SESSION WERE APPROVED BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

REPORTS OF STAFF AND COMMITTEES

Fire Chief Billy Mattingly provided details about a new Fire Department program that will enable firemen to know if pets are in a building during a fire. Residents can call the Fire Department for stickers that can be placed on exterior doors notifying those arriving at the scene that animals are in the building. Upon request, the Fire Department will also bring a sticker to your house or business and apply it.

CEMETERY DEEDS

THE MOTION TO APPROVE THE CEMETERY DEED FOR SHIRLEY LINTON WAS APPROVED BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mayor Heaton recognized Councilman Bill Sheckles for his receipt of the Master of City Governance Award presented by the Kentucky League of Cities. The award requires a city official to attend 90 hours of approved training, along with three hours of ethics training.

ADJOURNMENT

COUNCILWOMAN HART MOVED TO ADJOURN THE MEETING AT 6:37 PM. THE MOTION WAS DULY SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN BUCKMAN AND CARRIED BY A VOTE OF 5 TO 0.

CITY OF BARDSTOWN

J. Richard Heaton, Mayor

ATTEST:

Gary Little, City Clerk