

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLARKSVILLE,  
ARKANSAS HELD IN THE CONFERENCE OF CITY HALL ON JUNE 08, 2020 AT 6:00 P.M.

PRESENT AND PRESIDING: Mayor David Rieder, City Clerk/Treasurer Barbara Blackard and City Attorney Clayton McCall.

ALDERMEN PRESENT: Eddie Bradley, Heather Johnston, Eddie King, Danna Schneider, Judy Weaver and Freeman Wish.

Alderman Schneider made a motion to approve the Agenda with the Addition under Old Business of the Ordinance to read by title only which Alderman Weaver seconded.

Vote aye: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

Alderman Bradley made a motion to approve the Minutes of May 11<sup>th</sup> & 27th which Alderman Wish seconded.

Vote aye: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

**Resolution FAA Airport Cares Act Grant**

Mayor Rieder presented the Resolution Authorizing the Mayor of the City of Clarksville, Arkansas, to sign all documents related to the application and acceptance of funding for the Clarksville Municipal Airport made available through the FAA Airport Cares Act Grant. The Clerk read the Resolution. Alderman Weaver made a motion to approve the Resolution which Alderman Bradley seconded.

Vote aye: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

Resolution No. 20-1083 passed 6-0.

**Ordinance to read by title only**

Mayor Rieder introduced the Ordinance to read by title only. The Clerk read the Ordinance the first time in its entirety. Alderman Schneider made a motion to approve the Ordinance which Alderman Weaver seconded.

Vote aye: Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

The Mayor opened the Ordinance for discussion. Alderman Wish made a motion to suspend the rules and place the Ordinance in the second reading which Alderman Schneider seconded. The Clerk read the Ordinance by title.

Vote aye: Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

Alderman Wish made a motion to suspend the rules and place the Ordinance in the third and final reading which Alderman Bradley seconded. The Clerk read the Ordinance by title.

Vote aye: Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

Alderman Schneider made a motion to approve the Ordinance which Alderman Johnston seconded.

Vote aye: Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

Ordinance No. 20-843 passed 6-0.

**Grant for Levee Project**

The letter from Debra Dickson with the Arkansas Department of Agriculture was reviewed. The recommendation was for funding in the amount of up to \$1,000,000.00 in a grant from the Arkansas Department of Emergency Management utilizing the Governor's Emergency Funding. The grant would include a loan in the amount of \$412,000.00 from the Water Development Fund. The Executive Director will set the combined annual borrower rate and loan terms of 10 years with a combined rate of 2.10% per annum. Alderman Wish made a motion to approve the recommendation which Alderman Bradley seconded.

Vote aye: Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

### **Airport Bids**

Airport Chairman Bryan Burnett reviewed the Bid on the Runway Rehabilitation which would be paid for with FAA funds. The low bid was from Redstone Construction at \$2,761,422.82. Burnett stated the bid for the runway extension was \$593,217.50 and this could not be paid for with FAA funds. This could be paid for with a State grant of 90-10 or an 80-20 grant. The State still currently has funds available, and the Airport is eligible for 2 grants per year. The next project would be for a taxi-way extension which would be eligible for FAA funds. Alderman Wish made a motion to pursue options with the State to see what Grants would be available to help with the runway extension which Alderman Weaver seconded.

Vote aye: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

Alderman Wish made a motion to approve the Bid on the Runway Rehabilitation of \$2,761,422.82 which Alderman Schneider seconded.

Vote aye: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

### **Appointment of Scott Sheinfeld to replace Greg Phillips on P & Z**

Mayor Rieder introduced Scott Sheinfeld to the Council. Mr. Sheinfeld stated was excited to serve on Planning and Zoning. Alderman King made a motion to appoint Scott Sheinfeld to replace Greg Phillips on the Planning and Zoning Commission which Alderman Bradley seconded.

Vote aye: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

Motion passed 6-0.

### **Resolution Parks Grant**

Mayor Rieder presented the Resolution to improve the recreation facilities. The Clerk read the Resolution. Alderman Bradley made a motion to approve the Resolution which Alderman Johnston seconded.

Vote aye: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

Resolution No. 20-1084 passed 6-0.

### **Resolution in Support of Federal Emergency Support for Local American Economies**

Mayor Rieder presented the Resolution in support of fair, direct federal emergency support to reopen and rebuild local American Economies. The Clerk read the Resolution. Alderman Schneider made a motion to approve the Resolution which Alderman Wish seconded.

Vote aye: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

Resolution No. 20-1085 passed 6-0.

### **Reports**

#### **Police**

Chief Jeff Ross presented the report in the Dropbox.

#### **City Inspector**

City Inspector Cody Graham presented the report in the Dropbox.

#### **Airport/Fire**

Jim Looney stated that the Fire Department report was in the Dropbox.

#### **Street/Engineer**

Stanley Edgmon reported that the City was Partners with RVFB & Clarksville School to distribute food provided by USDA. Over 2,100 gallons of Milk and over 500 boxes of produce were distributed.

Morgan Barrett reported the recent rains had delayed the start of the construction on Country Club Road. The first round of questions for the Levee project were complete. We are currently waiting on FEMA for the Levee project.

#### **Parks/MPB/Recycle**

Robby Miller reported the Recycle bins were being emptied on Thursday and Monday by the Parks department.

Aquatic

Ian Elliot reported that the Outdoor pool was open.

Maintenance

Report in Dropbox.

Economic Development

Stephen Houserman reported on Economic Development along with Jessica Gunn from the Chamber; reports are in the Dropbox.

CCU

General Manager John Lester reported on projects for CCU; the report is in the Dropbox.

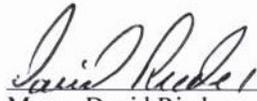
A&P

The Mayor stated that approval had been given for the Lightning on Ludwig by the Health Department.

Treasurer

Treasurer's Report, Budget Comparison and Disbursements were submitted.

After motion being made and seconded the meeting adjourned at 6:43 p.m.



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Mayor David Rieder

ATTEST:



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City Clerk/Treasurer Barbara Blackard