

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING
GOODLETTSVILLE CITY COMMISSION

Date: August 14, 1997

Time: 6:30pm

Place: City Hall

Present: Bobby Jones, Johnny Long, Jerry Garrett, Jim Driver, Jim Thomas

Also Present: David Wilson, John Wright, Joe Haynes, Mike Alsup, Bill Brasier, Tommy Deloach, Phillip Gibson, Terry Hutcherson, Jack Tompkins, Jack Hunnicutt, Ernie Gregory, Phillip Uldrich, B. Gayle Patterson, Ennis Moore, softball team players, coaches, and families

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Jones. Prayer was offered by Jim Thomas. On a motion by Driver, seconded by Garrett, the minutes of the July 24 regular meeting were approved as written by a vote of 5-0.

The Mayor and Park Director presented plaques to the players and coaches of the ASA State Championship 8 year-old and under girls softball team.

Consider on second reading Ordinance No. 97-547, to establish the property tax rate for the fiscal year July 1, 1997, through June 30, 1998. Motion by Garrett to pass Ordinance No. 97-547 on second reading. Seconded by Driver. Passed 5-0.

Consider a resolution to amend the Personnel Policies and Procedures Manual to address employee service. The City Manager stated that this item needs to be discussed further and recommended that it be deferred. Motion by Thomas to defer consideration. Seconded by Long. Passed 5-0.

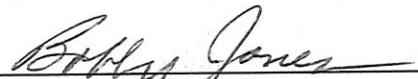
Commissioner Garrett requested that a letter be written to the Bank of Goodlettsville thanking them for the improvements to the corner lot across from City Hall.

Commissioner Long asked if a center turn lane could be added on Springfield Highway north of the Louisville Highway intersection. The Public Works Director and City Attorney stated that conversations had been held with Tennessee Department of Transportation officials over the past two years and that the road is not wide enough to add a fifth lane. It was agreed that a meeting should be set up to discuss a center turn lane, the northbound merge lane, and other concerns about traffic in that area.

The meeting adjourned at 6:55 p.m.



John Wright, City Recorder


Bobby Jones, Mayor