

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING
GOODLETTSVILLE CITY COMMISSION

Date: May 8, 1997

Time: 6:30pm

Place: City Hall

Present: Bobby Jones, Johnny Long, Jerry Garrett

Absent: Jim Driver, Jim Thomas

Also Present: David Wilson, John Wright, Joe Haynes, Bill Terry, Jack Tompkins, Mike Alsop, Phillip Gibson, Tommy Deloach, Jim Moore, B. Gayle Patterson, Debbie Robinson, Harold Williams

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Jones. Prayer was offered by David Wilson.

On a motion by Long, seconded by Garrett, the minutes of the April 24 meeting were approved as written by a vote of 3-0.

Consider on first reading Ordinance No. 97-544, an ordinance to enter into a contract to provide public safety software and support for the Police Department. The City Manager stated that the current system is ten years old and that he, Jim Moore, and members of the Police Department have been evaluating new systems for a couple of years. The proposed contract is with Vision Software, Inc., and the cost of the new system including hardware, software, and installation and training is about \$91,000. There is currently \$96,000 in the budget for the new system. Motion by Garrett to pass Ordinance No. 97-544. Seconded by Long. Passed 3-0. The City Manager thanked Jim Moore for his help in deciding on the new system.

Consider approval of a capital expenditure for a power supply for the new fire hall. Tommy Deloach stated that the purpose of the \$5690 power supply is to provide immediate emergency power to operate the bay doors and computers in the event of a power outage. Motion by Long to approve the purchase. Seconded by Garrett. Passed 3-0.

Commissioner Garrett added his appreciation to Jim Moore for his help with selecting the new computer system for the Police Department. He also stated that the new city clock looks fantastic.

Commissioner Long also praised the city clock. He asked the City Manager to pass along to the Police Department his disappointment that no one from the department attended the meeting when an item related to the police department was on the agenda. He also recognized Harold Williams, a member of the Sumner County School Board, and thanked him for his help in getting the approval of the Madison Creek Elementary School.

Harold Williams spoke to thank the commission for their support in the process of selecting Madison Creek Road as the site of the new elementary school.

The City Manager announced that a budget work session will be held on Friday, May 16, beginning at 8:00 a.m. He also reminded everyone of the dedication of the new fire hall on Saturday, May 17, at 9:00 a.m.

The meeting adjourned at 6:52 p.m.



John Wright, City Recorder



Bobby Jones, Mayor