

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING
GOODLETTSVILLE CITY COMMISSION

Date: June 13, 1996

Time: 6:30pm

Place: City Hall

Present: Bobby Jones, Johnny Long, Jerry Garrett, Ron Filson, Jim Driver

Also Present: David Wilson, John Wright, Bill Martin, Bill Brasier, Terry Hutcherson, Jack Tompkins, Mike Alsup, B. Gayle Patterson, Hal Smith, Jay and Betty McKinney, David Green

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Jones. Prayer was offered by Jerry Garrett.

On a motion by Filson, seconded by Driver, the minutes of the May 23 regular meeting were approved as written by a vote of 5-0.

Consider on second reading and public hearing Ordinance No. 96-535, an ordinance to close Jackson Road from the westerly property line of Moss-Wright Park to Caldwell Road. During the public hearing no one spoke for or against the ordinance, and the Mayor declared the public hearing closed. Motion by Long to pass Ordinance No. 96-535 on second and final reading. Seconded by Garrett. Commissioner Driver pointed out that the end of the road will be a cul-de-sac large enough for emergency vehicles to turn around. The City Manager stated that he would be meeting with Mr. Smith, the property owner next to the park, about possible drainage problems at the end of the road. Commissioner Filson stated that provision should be made for walkers to have access to the park from Jackson road. The motion passed 5-0.

Consider on first reading and public hearing Ordinance No. 96-537, an ordinance adopting a budget and establishing a property tax rate for the fiscal year July 1, 1996, through June 30, 1997. During the public hearing no one spoke for or against the ordinance, and the Mayor declared the public hearing closed. Motion by Garrett to pass Ordinance No. 96-537 on first reading. Seconded by Long. Passed 5-0.

Consider a resolution to authorize a 3.6% indexing feature as a non-contributing employer in the Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System. Motion by Filson to adopt Resolution No. R96-172. Seconded by Driver. Passed 5-0.

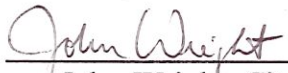
Commissioner Long complimented the Police Department on the way it represented itself during the funeral for officer Donnie Holt. The Mayor asked that everyone remember the Holt family in their prayers.

Commissioner Driver reported that the Public Works Director had received word that a left turn signal for traffic turning into Memorial Drive from Dickerson Road had been approved by the state.

Betty McKinney asked if a traffic light at Dickerson Road and Moncrief Avenue had ever been considered due to the dangerous intersection. Commissioner Garrett stated that part of the problem is drivers using the center turn lane to travel through that part of town and asked that the police department see if something can be done about that.

The City Manager asked that an ordinance calling for the next city election in October be passed on caption on first reading. Motion by Garrett to pass Ordinance No. 96-538 on caption on first reading. Seconded by Filson. Passed 5-0.

The meeting adjourned at 6:43 p.m.



John Wright, City Recorder



Bobby Jones, Mayor