

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING
GOODLETTSVILLE CITY COMMISSION

Date: August 10, 1995

Time: 6:30pm

Place: City Hall

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

Also Present: David Wilson, John Wright, Joe Haynes, Terry Hutcherson, Bill Terry, Phillip Gibson, Ernest Gregory, Mary Yancey Parks, B. Gayle Patterson, John St. Amant

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

On a motion by Driver, seconded by Filson, the minutes of the July 13 regular meeting were approved as written by a vote of 5-0.

Consider on second reading Ordinance No. 95-519, an ordinance to acquire property for location of the Mansker Creek pumping station. Motion by Garrett to pass Ordinance No. 95-519 on second and final reading. Seconded by Long. Passed 5-0.

Public hearing regarding the City's intent to exceed the certified property tax rate for the Sumner County portion of the City due to reappraisal of property. During the public hearing John St. Amant of 108 Ashlea Court asked some general questions about the property tax. The City Manager and several commissioners responded by stating that the City's property tax rate had been \$0.22 per \$100 assessed value since 1958 except for the years in which it was lowered due to reappraisals, property taxes make up only about six percent of the total revenue of the City with the majority of the revenue coming from sales taxes, and the City has always been conservative in spending its revenues. The Mayor declared the public hearing closed. Motion by Long to adopt Resolution No. R95-150. Seconded by Garrett. Passed 5-0.

Consider a proclamation in support of the "One Way 2 Play - Drug Free" program of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes in the Sumner County schools. Motion by Driver to issue the proclamation of support. Seconded by Filson. Passed 5-0.

Consider an additional appointment to the Bicentennial Committee. The City Manager stated that Jean Renfro, Bicentennial Committee Chairman, has requested that Jo Sanders be appointed to the committee to organize another reunion of all the classes of Goodlettsville High School as part of the Bicentennial events. Motion by Filson to appoint Jo Sanders to the Bicentennial Committee. Seconded by Long. Passed 5-0.

Commissioner Garrett asked about the damage to Mathes Court by a concrete truck. The City Attorney stated that under current ordinances the City could probably not force the concrete company to pay for repairs to the road, but that he and the Public Works Director have discussed proposing an ordinance that would impose weight limits. The Mayor asked the Police Chief to research current laws regarding construction vehicles to see what can be

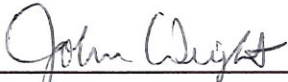
enforced. Commissioner Filson suggested that scales at the feed mill or portable scales could be used to enforce weight limits. The City Attorney stated that the City should ensure that all new streets meet required standards before being accepted by the City.

Commissioner Driver stated that Charlotte Morris had resigned from the Planning & Zoning Board and asked that she be sent a letter of appreciation for her service on the Board. He also pointed out that the two vacancies on the Board need to be filled.

Commissioner Long asked about the restricted lane of traffic on Two Mile Parkway under I-65. The City Attorney stated that he had not received a reply yet from the State.

The City Manager announced that Mary Yancey Parks is leaving the Hendersonville Star-News and that this is the last commission meeting she will be covering.

The meeting adjourned at 6:55 p.m.



John Wright, City Recorder



Bobby Jones, Mayor