

# City Meeting Of October 15, 2019

Mayor Reasoner called the meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen to order at 7:08 p.m., Tuesday, October 15, 2019. The meeting was held at City Hall.

## **Invocation**

Mayor Reasoner offered invocation. Mayor Reasoner led the pledge of allegiance.

## **Roll Call**

Present: Mayor Reasoner, Vice Mayor Johnson, Alderman Deweese, Alderman Rider, Alderman Johnson, Kelly Rider, City Recorder

Absent: Attorney Russell Freeman

## **Approval of Minutes**

The minutes of September 17, 2019 were presented for approval or corrections.

Motion made by: Alderman Johnson

Second: Alderman Deweese

Voting Aye: All

Voting No: None

**Motion Carried.**

## **Citizens Comments:**

Lynn Miller  
Brent Martin  
Jeff Kelton

## **Commissioners & Department Reports**

### **Utilities:**

Mayor Reasoner stated the project at Watauga School has been started for the air release valve. The vents were being installed today. Mayor Reasoner stated they will be repairing the check valve on the Watauga School side so that they could check the line.

### **Finance:**

Vice Mayor Johnson reported Sessions paving has started and hopes to complete the project weather permitting next week. Vice Mayor inquired with Keith Mitchell about the paving repair needed at red light. Keith stated Moss Welding was going to call Session about paving.

Park:

Alderman Johnson stated they had met with Brandon Frank and he had answered some of the questions about the Wilson House project.

Alderman Johnson stated Smoke on the Ridge Festival was a tremendous success. He estimated approximately 1500 people throughout the day.

LESO:

No Report.

Streets:

No Report.

Fire:

Mayor Reasoner gave the fire report.

Mayor Reasoner announced the Pancake Breakfast will be November 2, 2019 from 7 a.m. to 10 a.m.

Dan Seeback reported the city received the forestry grant.

Police:

Alderman Dewese reported he spoke with Chief Morris and he is out on vacation leave. He stated he should be back in a week and a half.

Planning and Zoning:

Alderman Rider reported in the meeting last month the board spoke about a change in lots sizes.

**Business Reports:**

City Recorder:

No Report.

Attorney Freeman:

No Report.

**Mayor Comments:**

Mayor Reasoner stated he appreciates all the help with the Smoke on the Ridge Festival.

**Old Business:**

*Remove Surplus Vehicle*

Vice Mayor Johnson made the motion to remove the Dodge Charger VIN # 5637 from surplus and add the Dodge Charger VIN # 8177 to surplus. Alderman Johnson seconded.

Voting Aye: All

Voting No: None

**Motion Carried.**

**Public Hearing**

Mayor Reasoner made the motion to close the meeting and open public hearing. Alderman Rider seconded.

Voting Aye: All

Voting No: None

**Motion Carried.**

Mayor Reasoner made the motion to close public hearing. Alderman Rider seconded.

Voting Aye: All

Voting No: None

**Motion Carried.**

Mayor Reasoner made the motion to open regular meeting. Alderman Rider seconded.

Voting Aye: All

Voting No: None

**Motion Carried.**

**New Business:**

*Ordinance 2019-105, Design Review Standards*

Mayor Reasoner made the motion to accept Ordinance 2019-105, Design Review Standards for the City of Ridgetop, Tennessee. Alderman Deweese seconded.

Voting Aye: All

Voting No: None

**Motion Carried.**

*Workshop*

Council scheduled a workshop for November 18, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.

There being no further business to come before the board, Alderman Johnson moved for adjournment. Alderman Rider seconded.

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Mayor Reasoner

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Kelly Rider, City Recorder