

City Meeting Of August 18, 2020

Mayor Reasoner called the meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen to order at 7:04 p.m., Tuesday, August 18, 2020. The meeting was held at City Hall.

Mayor Reasoner stated the Board of Mayor and Alderman for the City of Ridgetop, Tennessee, has determined that meeting electronically is necessary to protect public health, safety and welfare of Tennesseans and the citizens of Ridgetop in light of the coronavirus and that pursuant to Executive Order No. 16, issued by Governor Lee for State of Tennessee on the 20th day of March 2020, the Board of Mayor and Alderman is conducting its meeting electronically having giving clear notice of the meeting agenda and how the public can access the meeting electronically at a time and location reasonably accessible to all members of the public.

Invocation

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

Roll Call

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

Absent: Alderman Rider

Also Present: Dan Seeback

Approval of Minutes

The minutes of July 21, 2020 were presented for approval or corrections.

Motion made by: Mayor Reasoner

Second: Vice Mayor Johnson

Mayor Reasoner...yes

Vice Mayor Johnson...yes

Alderman Deweese...yes

Alderman Johnson...yes

Motion Carried.

Commissioners & Department Reports

Utilities:

Mayor Reasoner gave the utility report Mayor Reasoner stated all sewer air release valves have been marked.

New Business:

Rebid traffic light signal replacement

Mayor Reasoner asked to rerun the advertisement for traffic light signal replacement due to no bids being received from first bid advertisement.

Bid Paving and Road Repair

Vice Mayor Johnson made the motion to place a advertisement for bid for paving and road repair. Alderman Deweese seconded.

Vice Mayor Johnson ...yes

Alderman Deweese...yes

Alderman Johnson...yes

Mayor Reasoner...yes

Motion Carried.

Sewer Personnel

Alderman Johnson stated Elite Septic Systems will help on a temporary basis for sewer maintenance calls at a rate of \$125 per call and \$85 per hour after the first hour.

Alderman Johnson made the motion to hire Elite Septic Systems for emergency temporary service at the rate of \$125 per service call and \$85 per hour after the first hour.

Mayor Reasoner...yes

Vice Mayor Johnson ...yes

Alderman Johnson...yes

Alderman Deweese...yes

Motion Carried.

Bid Approval for Fencing @ 1003 B Highland Ave

Council discussed fencing quotes and the need to request additional details before approval of bid.

Ridgetop Station Garden House Repair

Alderman Johnson made the motion to place an seek bids to include window replacement and painting not to exceed \$4,000 for the repair of the Ridgetop Station Garden House.

Mayor Reasoner...yes

Vice Mayor Johnson ...yes

Alderman Deweese...yes

Alderman Johnson...yes

Special Call City Meeting
Of
August 31, 2020

Mayor Reasoner called the meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen to order at 6:04 p.m. Monday, August 31, 2020. The meeting was held at City Hall.

Mayor Reasoner stated the Board of Mayor and Alderman for the City of Ridgetop, Tennessee, has determined that meeting electronically is necessary to protect public health, safety and welfare of Tennesseans and the citizens of Ridgetop in light of the coronavirus and that pursuant to Executive Order No. 16, 34, 51 and 60 issued by Governor Lee for State of Tennessee on the 20th day of March 2020, the Board of Mayor and Alderman is conducting its meeting electronically having giving clear notice of the meeting agenda and how the public can access the meeting electronically at a time and location reasonably accessible to all members of the public.

Invocation

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

Roll Call

Present: Mayor Reasoner, Alderman Johnson, Vice Mayor Johnson, Alderman Deweese, Attorney Russell Freeman, Jannet Beasley

Absent: Alderman Rider, Kelly Rider, City Recorder

Purchase Odorator

Alderman Johnson reported the Natural Gas Odorator was shipped for calibration and lost in transit. The odorator was originally purchased in 1995 from Heath Consultants.

Alderman Johnson made the motion for the Ridgetop Natural Gas System to purchase a Natural Gas Odorator from Heath Consultants Incorporated in the amount of \$5,100. Alderman Deweese seconded.

Mayor Reasoner...yes

Vice Mayor Johnson...yes

Alderman Johnson...yes

Alderman Deweese...yes

Motion Carried.

Fence @ 1003 B Highland Ave

Alderman Johnson reported originally it was voted to purchase the fence with LESO funds however after additional consideration the fence will be on Ridgetop Natural Gas Property and should be paid for by the gas department.

City Street Signs

Alderman Johnson reported the sign specifications stating the size of 6 to 9” ribbed, approximately 50 signs, posts and mounts. Alderman Johnson reported sign replacement was budgeted for this year.

Alderman Johnson stated the road bid consists of installing signs.

Vice Mayor Johnson made the motion to proceed with the replacement of city signs. Mayor Reasoner seconded.

Mayor Reasoner...yes

Vice Mayor Johnson...yes

Alderman Johnson...yes

Alderman Deweese...yes

Motion Carried.

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

Mayor Reasoner...yes

Vice Mayor Johnson...yes

Alderman Johnson...yes

Alderman Deweese...yes

Motion Carried.

Mayor Reasoner

Kelly Rider, City Recorder