

**MINUTES, BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, MARCH 28, 2017:**

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen met in regular session March 28, 2017 with Aldermen Randy Massey, Ricky Keith, Vicky Harwell, Pat Miles, Hardin Franklin and Jerry Bryant present along with City Administrator Terry Harrison and City Attorney Andy Hoover. The Honorable Mayor Pat Ford was present and presided when the following business was had to-wit:

The meeting opened with prayer by Alderman Keith and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Alderman Harwell.

There being no objections or corrections, the minutes of the March 14, 2017 regular meeting were approved as written.

The Electric, Water and Natural Gas reports were studied, after which a motion was made by Miles and seconded by Keith that these reports be received and filed. This motion carried unanimously.

There were no concerned citizen remarks regarding the agenda.

After explanation by Mr. Harrison, a motion was made by Harwell and seconded by Miles that an ordinance be passed, on first reading, relative to amending the 2012 Building Codes to not require residential sprinkler systems. A roll call vote was taken with the following results;

Massey, aye	Miles, aye
Keith, aye	Franklin, aye
Harwell, aye	Bryant, aye
	Ford, aye

This ordinance was declared passed on first reading.

A Public Hearing was set for Tuesday, April 11, 2017 at 12:05 p.m. relative to the above proposed ordinance.

The following applications for parade permits were submitted for approval:

- Giles County Humane Association – April 29, 2017
- Martin Methodist College – April 7, 2017
- Fort Donelson Camp #62 Sons of Union Veterans – June 10, 2017
- Benchmark/American Heart Association & American Stroke Association – September 9, 2017

After discussion, a motion was made by Harwell and seconded by Miles that these permits be approved. A roll call vote was taken with the following results:

Massey, aye	Miles, aye
Keith, aye	Franklin, aye
Harwell, aye	Bryant, aye
	Ford, aye

A Public Hearing which had been properly advertised was held to consider an ordinance relative to the rezoning of property owned by Lyman Brown and located at 110 North 8<sup>th</sup> Street from R-4 to C-4. Mayor Ford opened the floor for comments. Since there was no one to speak for or against the proposed ordinance, the hearing was declared duly held.

After discussion, a motion was made by Harwell and seconded by Miles that an ordinance be passed, on second reading, relative to the rezoning of the above property. A roll call vote was taken with the following results:

Massey, aye	Miles, aye
Keith, aye	Franklin, aye
Harwell, aye	Bryant, aye
	Ford, aye

This ordinance was declared passed on second and final reading.

On the recommendation of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, the following travel expenses were approved:

- Pat Miles, Rural Development Conference, Mufreesboro, TN  
3/22/17 – 3/23/17 Expenses: \$462.54

- Kevin Wells, 2017 Utility Conference, Pigeon Forge, TN  
3/8/17 – 3/10/17 Expenses: \$1009.36

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned.