

**TRENTON CITY COUNCIL
NOVEMBER 10, 2014
TRENTON CITY HALL
6:00PM**

Mayor Burriss called the regularly scheduled meeting of the Trenton City Council to order. Alderman Hammonds led the invocation with the Pledge of Allegiance to follow. Those present for the meeting were Mayor Burriss, Aldermen Gibson, Hammonds, Jackson, Wade, Abbott and Overall. City employees were Richard Gossum, Michael Sanders, Ricky Bailey, Terry Brown, Terrence Elam, Will Sanders, and Leigh Reynolds. Visitors present were Crystal Burns, Lanny Poteet, Doug Lockard, Bob Wilson, Bryan Wilson, Dona Leadbetter, Ricky Graves, William Hardin and Velma Williams.

Alderman Jackson made a motion to approve the minutes of October 28, 2014 council meeting. Alderman Hammonds seconded the motion. The motion carried by voice vote.

RECORDER'S REPORT

City Recorder Leigh Reynolds reported the expenditures for the month. Alderman Hammonds made a motion to pay the expenditures with the general fund expenses being \$43,776.18 and sanitation \$38,717.00. Alderman Wade seconded the motion. The motion carried by voice vote.

Leigh stated that there will be an elected official's class November 20, 2014 at Greenfield City Hall conducted by Dana Deem starting at 6:00pm.

OLD BUSINESS

ORDINANCE #295 ELECTRONIC CITATION REGULATION AND FEES

Alderman Hammonds made a motion to pass 2nd reading on Ordinance #295 electronic citation regulation and fees. This will add an additional fee of \$5.00 to a citation with \$4.00 going to Police Department to be used for purchase and maintenance to electronic citation writers and software. With the other \$1.00 going to the Court Department for maintenance and purchase of computers and

software. Alderman Overall seconded the motion. The motion carried by voice vote.

ORDINANCE #296 AMEND SECTION 8-208 TRENTON MUNICIPAL CODE

Alderman Abbott made a motion to pass 2nd reading on Ordinance #296 amending our beer code in section 8-208 part 3 of the Trenton Municipal Code to say that a restaurant must have at least 50% of its sales come from food in order to sell beer. Alderman Wade seconded the motion. The motion carried by 4 yeas and Alderman Hammonds and Overall nay.

ORDINANCE #297 AMEND SECTION 8-209 TRENTON MUNICIPAL CODE

Alderman Jackson made a motion to pass 2nd reading on Ordinance #297 amending our beer code to delete parts 5 and 6 from this section. Part 6 is covered in Part 4 and Part 5 prohibits beer to be sold on the Court Square and 1 block any way off the square. The change would allow a restaurant on Court Square to serve beer if 50% of their sales were from food. Alderman Abbott seconded the motion. The motion carried by 4 yeas and Alderman Hammonds and Overall nay.

PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT FOR SHADY ACRES PARK

Alderman Abbott stated that he has a layout and bid from Miracle Playground and it is over \$10,000.00 so he will need to get two other bids. He will try to have them at the next council meeting.

COMMENDATION FOR CAPTAIN WILLIAM HARDIN

Mayor Burriss read a letter of commendation to Captain William Hardin for his commitment to duty and bravery shown in the rescue of youth from a burning home on October 5, 2014. The Mayor and City Council wish to thank Captain Hardin for his dedication to duty while sacrificing his life to save lives in the City of Trenton.

MAYOR'S REPORT

Governor's Conference November 13th and 14th
City Hall closed November 11, 2014 for Veterans Day

Veterans Day Program starting at 10:30am at the Cemetery and program at 11:00am at the Armory.

Community Thanksgiving November 16, 2014 at the Presbyterian Church starting at 6:00pm.

November 26, 2014 Utility Board Meeting

December 10, 2014 City Stew

November 25, 2014 next City council meeting at Phelan Education Center

Alderman Wade made a motion to adjourn at 6:25pm. Alderman Hammonds seconded the motion. The motion carried by voice vote.

Tony Burriss, Mayor

Leigh Reynolds, City Recorder

