

TRENTON CITY COUNCIL
MARCH 13, 2018
6:00 PM
TRENTON CITY HALL

Mayor Jackson called the regularly scheduled meeting of the Trenton City Council to order. Alderman Abbott led the invocation with the Pledge of Allegiance to follow. Those present for the meeting were Mayor Jackson, Alderman Abbott, Hammonds, Wade, Gibson, Graves, and Alderperson Leadbetter. City employees were Terry Bailey, Ricky Bailey, Terrence Elam, Jeff McCoy, Jenny Corbin, Terry Brown, Richard Gossum, Eric Horne, John Warmath, and Leigh Reynolds. Visitors present were Carolyn Little, Peggy Thornton, Kevin Allen, Bryan Wilson, and Tommie Hyde.

Alderman Abbott made a motion to approve the February 27, 2018 minutes. Alderperson Leadbetter 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 approve the expenditures with general fund being \$17,258.95 and sanitation \$42,639.09. Alderman Gibson seconded the motion. The motion carried by voice vote.

CITIZENS' INPUT

Bryan Wilson stated that he wanted to clarify about his property on 4th street and Church. He was not pressured by home owners to take the property off the market it was my choice. He stated that he understands the concerns of a mobile home next to a beautiful historic home but he cannot tell the buyer what to do with the property.

Mayor Jackson stated that he and Ricky Bailey are working on a Historic Zoning that we can adopt but it will take several months to get everything together.

Kevin Allen stated that when he read in the newspaper that the City Council does not care that infuriates me. I believe all of you do more for this town and respect every citizen. I have been to you with a problem and you helped or stated that you could not do anything. I think you bend over backwards to help this town.

RESOLUTION NO. 2018 R-3: WTRBA STATE FUNDING

Alderman Graves made a motion to pass Resolution #2018 R-3 for state funding for West Tennessee River Basin Authority. Alderman Hammonds seconded the motion. The motion carried by voice vote.

RESOLUTION NO. 2018 R-4: THDA HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

Alderman Hammonds made a motion to pass Resolution #2018 R-4 to make application for THDA home investment partnership program 2018. Alderman Abbott seconded the motion. The motion carried by voice vote.

UTILITY BOARD MEETING: March 27, 2018

Mayor Jackson recommended changing the Utility board meeting on March 27, 2018 to March 28, 2018 because of the TML conference. Alderman Abbott made a motion to change Utility board meeting from March 27, 2018 to March 28, 2018. Alderman Hammonds seconded the motion. The motion carried by voice vote.

ALDERMAN'S REPORT

Alderman Abbott thanked Kevin Allen and Bryan Wilson for their interest in our town.

Alderman Leadbetter reminded everyone of T-pot Festival starting April 29, 2018 and ending May 5, 2018. The theme is Let's Celebrate the Teapot's 38th. T-shirts and lawn signs are on sale now and if anyone would like to be a sponsor it would be appreciated.

Alderman Wade stated that March 24, 2018 will be George Wade day at New Springhill Baptist Church at 5pm.

MAYOR'S REPORT

March 20, 2018 interview candidates for police chief
March 26th and 27th Legislative Conference, Nashville, TN
March 27, 2018 next City council meeting

Ricky Jackson, Mayor

Leigh Reynolds, City Recorder