

TRENTON CITY COUNCIL
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2008
6:30 P.M.
TRENTON CITY HALL

- A. CALL MEETING TO ORDER & WELCOME
- B. INVOCATION/ALDERMAN JACKSON
- C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- D. APPROVE MINUTES OF OCTOBER 14TH MEETING
- E. RECORDER'S REPORT
- F. CITIZENS' INPUT-ANY CITIZEN WILL BE GIVEN UP TO 3 MINUTES TO ADDRESS THE MAYOR ON ANY ISSUE
- G. OLD BUSINESS
 - 1.
- H. NEW BUSINESS
 - 1. ADOPT FACT ACT FOR TRENTON LIGHT AND WATER
 - 2. NEW DESIGN FOR PATROL CARS
 - 3. APPOINT GEORGE WADE TO BZA BOARD
 - 4. CHANGE COUNCIL MEETING TIME
- I. REPORTS FROM DEPARTMENT HEADS
 - 1. TERRY BAILEY/STREET & SANITATION DEPARTMENT
 - 2. RICKY BAILEY/BUILDING & ZONING DEPARTMENT
 - 3. TERRY BROWN/PARK DEPARTMENT
 - 4. BARRY GREEN/FIRE DEPARTMENT
 - 5. WILL SANDERS/POLICE DEPARTMENT
 - 6. BRET FISHER/LIGHT & WATER DEPARTMENT
- J. CITY ATTORNEY'S REPORT
- K. ALDERMAN'S REPORT
- L. MAYOR'S REPORT

Trenton City Council
Tuesday, October 14, 2008
Trenton City Hall
6:30 p.m.

A regular scheduled meeting of the Trenton City Council was called to order by Mayor Tony Burriss. The invocation was given by Alderman Hammonds. Mayor Burriss welcomed all in attendance and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Those present were elected officials, Mayor Burriss, Aldermen Abbott, Cannon, Gibson, Hammonds, Jackson, and Overall. City employees present were Sammy Dickey, Will Sanders, Barry Green, Terry Bailey, Ricky Bailey, Terry Brown, James Frazier, Richard Gossum, and Jenny Corbin. Present as visitors were D. Scott Hutson, Jean Westbrook, Lemmie Richardson, Darryl Word, Dinah Corley, and Danny Corley.

A motion was made by Alderman Jackson to approve the minutes of the September 23, 2008 meeting. Alderman Hammonds gave a 2nd motion. The motion was passed by all.

RECORDER'S REPORT

Sammy Dickey reported on the 10th of the month bills. The electric bill was \$583,200.12, water and sewer \$38,708.59, general fund \$144,747.81, TML insurance \$59,940.00, fire truck \$37,103.50, and sanitation \$25,202.44. Alderman Gibson made a motion to pay the 10th of the month bills. Alderman Hammonds made a 2nd motion. The motion was passed by all.

CITIZENS INPUT

Darryl Word made a complaint about cats on George Street.

SALE OF 45 PACKAGE STORE

Scott Hutson come before council and stated that he intends to renovate the inside and outside of the package store. He stated that the finished packet is almost completed for state approval. He will need a couple of things from the city so they can present the packet to the State of TN. Mayor Burriss stated that our ordinance requires owner or owners must live in the City and County for 2 years and or must have voted in 1 election thus live here 1 year.

Alderman Cannon stated to change the wording from "and" to "or" in ordinance A-104 dealing with domicile.

City Attorney Richard Gossum said that would not help unless the owners live in the city. The consensus was to eliminate Section 2. Alderman Cannon made a motion to change to at least 1 owner domiciled in Trenton. Alderman Hammonds made a 2nd motion.

The second reading will be October 28, 2008.

TDOT T21 ENHANCEMENT GRANT

Randy McKennon of TLM Engineering Firm of Jackson presented a plan that would redo curbs, sidewalks, landscaping and lighting of a corridor between 3rd Street and court square, connecting the City Hall and the Courthouse. The application must be submitted by November 3, 2008 and will take approximately 1 year to be awarded.

OTHER BUSINESS

A motion was made by Alderman Overall to sell the old tanker for \$22,500. Alderman Abbott made a 2nd motion. The motion was passed by all.

Alderman Cannon recommended that every company that makes a cut in the city's street register with the city and pay a fee. The area should be replaced to its original state before the cut was made.

Mayor Burris reminded everyone that the next council meeting will be October 28, 2008.

With no other business the meeting was adjourned at 7:23 with a motion made from Alderman Hammonds. Alderman Overall gave a 2nd motion. The motion was passed by all.