

APRIL 10, 2007

The Harriman City council met in regular session Tuesday April 10th, 2007 at 7:30 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Harriman Municipal/Utility Building. The Honorable Jerry Davis Mayor was present and presiding. Mayor called meeting to order. Roll call of Council was as follows:

PRESENT: Jackie Gallaher
Chris Mason
Chase Tedder
Lonnie Wright
Garvin Morris
JD Sampson

Mayor Davis asked for a motion to approve the minutes from 05/01 Councilmember Wright made the motion and Councilmember Gallaher seconded the motion. The motion passed with a unanimous "Aye".

Mayor Davis asked for a motion to pay the bills. Councilmember Mason made the motion and was seconded by Councilmember Morris. The motion passed with a unanimous "Aye".

Mayor Davis called to hear delegations.

Randy Heidle, Police Chief recognized Chris Condron who is eleven, for his generosity of getting parts of bicycles and making new bicycles for children who do not have one. Councilmember Mason presented Chris with a plaque of recognition on behalf of the HEAT committee.

Amy Gaskins asked council if they had received any more information regarding the house on Clifty Street belonging to Ms. Lawson. Bob Tidwell stated that he had talked with Ms. Lawson and she stated that as soon as she turned in some paperwork to the Harriman Utility Board that she would have her nephew tear down the house. Ms. Gaskins stated that she understood Mr. Balcom to say that the letters that were sent to Ms. Lawson supercedes the demolition permit. Mayor Davis instructed Bob Tidwell to consult with Mr. Balcom and Maria Nelson to find out what to do to get this house torn down.

Jane Olis with the Roane County Chamber of Commerce handed council information regarding a fishing tournament that will be held in Rockwood on October 13th and 14th. Ms. Olis asked council for any monetary donation to help with the tournament, which in turn would help promote tourism. Councilmember Wright stated that council should check the treasurer to see if there are any funds available.

Curtis Anderson-Mr. Anderson approached council regarding a house next to his on Barnett Circle. He stated that the house is infested with rats and has several dogs that are always barking. Mayor Davis asked Drack Langley to check on this.

OLD BUSINESS

AUDIT FINDINGS-Councilmember Sampson stated that he was very disappointed that the Roane County News did not publish any response the council made last council meeting regarding the audit findings. Councilmember Sampson stated that he knows it is the editor of the paper that does not want to print anything good regarding Harriman. Councilmember Sampson stated that he is also upset with BBB Communications for the sound not working on the video. Lastly, Councilmember Sampson stated that he believes that Metro government does not work and hopes Harriman will not even consider it.

PRINTERS FOR CLERKS OFFICE-Councilmember Tedder stated that he had made a mistake at the last council meeting regarding the printers for the clerk's office. He thought it was only one printer but it was two and the price of the two printers from Hewlett Packard was very competitive to Local Government.

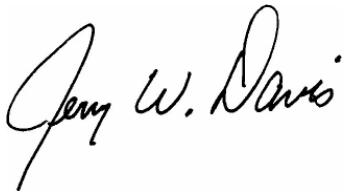
AGENDA

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCE 07-04-01- Tracey Bolden read the second reading of the ordinance for the annexation of a portion of the right of way of Vernal Drive and parcel 60.01 of Roane County tax map 36, revision date 1/98 into the corporate limits of the City of Harriman, Tennessee. The motion was made by Councilmember Morris and seconded by Councilmember Sampson. The motion passed with a unanimous "Aye".

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCE 07-04-02- Tracey Bolden read the second reading of the ordinance amending the zoning map of the City of Harriman, Tennessee by zoning newly annexed territory. The motion was made by Councilmember Morris and seconded by Councilmember Sampson. The motion passed with a unanimous "Aye".

GOLF COURSE BOARD- Mayor Davis stated that he would like to appoint a board for the golf course, however he wants Bob Tidwell to see how Rockwood runs their golf course. Mayor Davis also stated that he wants something drawn up by Mr. Balcom for council to look at.

There being no further business meeting adjourned.



Jerry W. Davis
Mayor



Tracey C. Bolden
City Clerk