

MAY 8, 2007

The Harriman City council met in regular session Tuesday May8th, 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: JD Sampson
Chris Mason
Chase Tedder
Lonnie Wright
ABSENT: Jackie Gallaher

Mayor Davis asked for a motion to approve the minutes from 05/01 Councilmember Tedder made the motion and Councilmember Morris 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.

Amy Gaskin approached council regarding the house next door to her on Clifty Street. She stated that she had received a letter from Harold Balcom, City Attorney, stating that the city could not do anything about the house. She stated that according to the Tennessee Code Annotated 13-21-102 structures unfit for human occupation or use-power of municipalities to demolish states that the municipality has the power to demolish. Also, she stated that the code 13-21-205 certification of property as blighted or deteriorated-notification of owner states the owner of the property will be sent an order by the appropriated agency of the municipality to eliminate the conditions which are in violation of local codes or law. Ms. Gaskin stated that this has been going on for three months. Councilmember Mason made a motion to hire an outside attorney to look into this matter and was seconded by Councilmember Tedder. The motion passed with a unanimous "Aye".

Hannah Gann approached council asking for curbs in front of her house and also to do something about the dogs in her back yard. Mayor Davis stated that he would get Drack Langley on the sidewalk issue and Charlie Chambers about the dog issue.

OLD BUSINESS-JD Sampson asked for three additional copies of the audit for the incoming council members. Councilmember Sampson also requested having an orientation at the council workshop in June for the new members.

AGENDA

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCE 07-05-01-Mayor Davis asked for a motion for the second reading or Ordinance 07-05-01 adopting pursuant to sections 13-7-201 through 13-7-210 of the Tennessee Code Annotated for the purpose of amending the Harriman, Tennessee municipal zoning ordinance, appendix D, F-1 Flood Hazard District Regulations, regulating the floodplain areas of Harriman, Tennessee. The motion was made by Councilmember Mason and seconded by Councilmember Tedder. The vote passed with a unanimous "Aye".

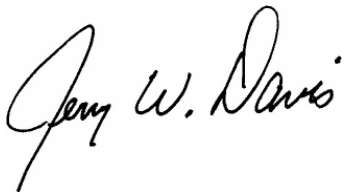
Waive agenda rule-Mayor Davis asked to waive the agenda rule. Councilmember Morris made the motion and was seconded by Councilmember Mason. The motion passed with a unanimous "Aye"

Reappointment-Mayor Davis recommended reappointing David Webb to the Harriman Housing Authority. Councilmember Mason made the motion for the

reappointment and was seconded by Councilmember Tedder. The motion passed with a unanimous "Aye".

Police Seminar-Mayor Davis asked council for a motion to approve the canine seminar the Chief Heidle requested to have using money from the drug fund. The motion was made by Councilmember Tedder and seconded by Councilmember Sampson. The motion passed with a unanimous "Aye".

There being no further business meeting adjourned.



Jerry W. Davis
Mayor



Tracey C. Bolden
City Clerk