

Meeting Minutes
May 3, 2021

The Mayor and Board of Commissioners met in a regular monthly meeting on Monday, May 3, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. at City Hall. Mayor Lowe called the meeting to order with Commissioners present being: Lamar Hughes, Alan Richeson, Sam Moser, Billy G. West, and Bill W. Stockton. A quorum was present. City Attorney John Cleveland was present.

Commissioner Stockton moved to approve the minutes from the monthly meeting of April 5, 2021 and workshop of April 22, 2021. A second was given. All voted in favor, with none opposed. The motion was carried.

After the Recorder's report, Commissioner Richeson moved to approve the distributions for the month of March, 2021. A second was given. All voted in favor, with none opposed. The motion was carried.

A public hearing was opened to take comment on Ordinance No. 989 entitled An Ordinance Amending the Zoning Map of the City of Sweetwater, Tennessee by rezoning Parcel 11.00 of Tax Map 015 from A-1 to M-1. No written or oral comments were given. The public hearing was closed at 5:07 p.m.

In Old Business, Commissioner Moser moved to approve Ordinance No. 989 entitled An Ordinance Amending the Zoning Map of the City of Sweetwater, Tennessee by rezoning Parcel 11.00 of Tax Map 015 from A-1 to M-1 on second and final reading. A second was given. On Roll Call Voting, the Ayes were as follows: Commissioners Hughes, Richeson, Moser, West, and Stockton. Nays being none. The motion was carried.

In New Business, Main Street Interim Director Hayley Isbill was present to provide an annual report on the Main Street Committee to the board. The board applauded her work and the Main Street Board's commitment to improving Sweetwater.

Commissioner Hughes moved to approve the Sweetwater Public Library Budget. A second was given. All voted in favor, with none opposed. The motion was carried.

Commissioner Moser moved to approve Ordinance No. 990 entitled The Budget Ordinance for the year ending June 30, 2022 and tax levy for property tax year 2021 on first reading. A second was given. On Roll Call Voting, the Ayes were as follows: Commissioners Hughes, Richeson, Moser, West, and Stockton. Nays being none. The motion was carried.

Commissioner Hughes moved to approve the fire chief to dispose of a fire truck via gov deals and an air compressor via donation to a volunteer department. A second was given. All voted in favor, with none opposed. The motion was carried.

Commissioner Richeson moved to approve the Resolution to Adopt and Allocate Funds for an outdoor fitness court as part of the 2021 National Fitness Campaign. A second was given. All voted in favor, with none opposed. The motion was carried.

Mayor Lowe invited everyone to the Blooms, Bluegrass, & BBQ festival this weekend. He also reminded the board about the tour of the Red Stag facility on Thursday.

Mayor Lowe took a moment to acknowledge the work of the City Recorder and the city hall staff for National Professional Clerk Week, acknowledging their contributions to the city's success.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:31 p.m.

This the 3rd day of May, 2021

Mayor

Attest:

Recorder