

January 13, 2022

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Sparta, White County, Tennessee, met in a regularly scheduled meeting at the City Hall, at 5:00 PM on the 13th day of January 2022, with Vice-Mayor Jim Floyd presiding.

Members Present

Vice-Mayor Jim Floyd
Alderman Hoyt Jones
Alderman Jerry Lowery
Alderman Robert Officer
Alderman Judy Payne
Alderman Brent Young

Members Absent

Mayor Jeff Young

Status of other city staff members were:

Brad Hennessee	City Administrator	Absent
Tonya R. Tindle	City Recorder	Present
Dillard Quick	Public Works Director	Present
Lynn Omohundro	City Attorney	Present
Doug Goff	Police Chief	Present
Kirk Young	Fire Chief	Present
Mike O'Neal	Codes Enforcement	Absent
Belva Bess	Electric Manager	Present

A quorum was present and notice had been previously mailed to all members and the news media. Vice-Mayor Floyd called the meeting to order. Doug Goff opened with a prayer. Bobby Officer led the Pledge of Allegiance by request of the vice-mayor.

There was a motion by Alderman Lowery with a second by Alderman Jones to approve the minutes of the December 16, 2021 regular meeting, which had been previously mailed to all board members and read by each member prior to the meeting. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Lowery with a second by Alderman Jones to approve Ordinance No.22-943 on first reading, an Ordinance amending Title 12 of the Sparta Municipal Code to adopt the 2018 International Fire Code, 2018 International Building Code, 2018 International Plumbing Code, 2018 International Fuel Gas Code, 2018 International Property Maintenance Code, and 2018 International Mechanical Code. The roll call was as follows:

Mayor Young.....	Absent
Alderman Floyd.....	Yes
Alderman Jones.....	Yes
Alderman Lowery.....	Yes
Alderman Officer.....	Yes
Alderman Payne.....	Yes
Alderman Young.....	Yes

The motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Payne with a second by Alderman Officer to approve the City Recorder's Financial Reports. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. The motion passed.

There was no motion regarding authorizing the solicitation of proposals to update the design guidelines for the Sparta Historic District. No action was taken.

There was a motion by Alderman Payne with a second by Alderman Young to authorize the solicitation of applications for Business Office Manager for the Utilities Department. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. The motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Jones with a second by Alderman Payne to approve the hiring of Jimmy Blankenship for the position of Patrolman, due to the resigning of Shannon Jenkins. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. The motion passed.

Department heads gave reports.

There was a motion by Alderman Jones with a second by Alderman Officer to approve the emergency repairs to replace the 36 original switches, 80 feet of Buss Bars and 12 insulators at the substation, due to failure. The work will be performed by Service Electric in the amount of \$110,187.00.

The roll call was as follows:

Mayor Young.....	Absent
Alderman Floyd.....	Yes
Alderman Jones.....	Yes
Alderman Lowery.....	Yes
Alderman Officer.....	Yes
Alderman Payne.....	Yes
Alderman Young.....	Yes

The motion passed.

No Citizen comments were heard.

No additional items were discussed.

There being no further business, there was a motion to adjourn by Alderman Officer with a second by Alderman Young. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed. The meeting was adjourned at 5:28 P.M.

Read and approved this _____ day of _____, 2022

Jeff Young, Mayor

ATTEST

Tonya R. Tindle, City Recorder