

COMMON COUNCIL MEETING

October 1, 2012

TIME: 7:00 P.M.

Present: Mayor Gary Herbert, Darrell Poling, Terry Wagner, Blake O'Mara, Glenn Tebbe, and Jamie Cain

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roll call was taken

Minutes from September 4, 2012 were presented for approval. Jamie Cain moved to approve the minutes and Darrell Poling seconded all ayes no nays, motion passed.

Mark Klosterkemper – Street Commissioner provided revised trash collection ordinance 2012-16 amending 1970-2. Glenn Tebbe moved to pass on 1st reading as amended and Blake O'Mara seconded all ayes no nays, motion passed.

Chad Miles – Enhanced Telecommunications provided updated information for service to Greensburg and Decatur County. Chad Miles is looking into the areas that are not covered in Greensburg to date.

Rose Scoval – North Central Neighborhood Revitalization Plan provided survey information for the area most commonly known as the "Dress Factory" on First and Ireland Street. Public Hearing was opened for public comment. A comment by Tony Grieshop was made to tear the building down so that a new facility could be built. Glenn Tebbe questioned census numbers and the validity of the project based on public notification of the project. Rose Scoval explained that the facility would be income and age restricted. Jean Johannigman commented that potentially have too much aging housing with other projects pending. Mayor closed public hearing. Jamie Cain moved to approve Resolution 2012-8 and Darrell Poling seconded all ayes no nays, motion passed.

Tax Abatement for Wire Works, LLC Resolution 2012-7 was requested. Jamie Cain moved to approve Resolution 2012-7 and Terry Wagner seconded all ayes no nays, motion passed.

Mayor Herbert requested to allow **Robert Duckworth** of Decatur County Emergency Management to be placed on the agenda. Darrell Poling moved to allow change in agenda and Jamie Cain seconded all ayes no nays, motion passed.

Robert Duckworth – Decatur County EMA Director provided a current report of what is happening with EMA and where it is going from this point.

Jamie Cain moved to set Trick or Treat hours from 5pm to 8pm on October 31st Terry Wagner seconded all ayes no nays, motion passed.

Ordinance 2012-15 Amending members serving on Personnel Policy Committee was presented for passage. Darrell Poling moved pass 2012-15 on its first reading and Jamie Cain seconded Glenn Tebbe nays motion for first reading. Glenn Tebbe moved to rescind nay vote to suspend rules for Ordinance 2012-15. Jamie Cain moved pass 2012-15 on second reading and Darrell Poling seconded all ayes no nays, motion passed. Jamie Cain moved to suspend rules for third reading Blake O’Mara seconded all ayes no nays, motion passed. Darrell Poling moved to approve Ordinance 2012-15 on third reading Jamie Cain seconded all ayes no nays, motion passed.

Gary Murray - City Engineer presented an alley closing from Tony Grieshop. It was recommended that the alley not be closed. Frank Hamilton representing Mr. Grieshop is requesting alley be closed on McKee and Forsythe Street due to high traffic and vandalism caused in this alley way. Jamie Cain moved not to close alley Glenn Tebbe seconded all ayes no nays, motion passed.

Gary Murray presented contract information on **DLZ** in the amount of \$32,000 that Board of Works approved at their meeting this evening with request for council direction on where funding will come from. Blake O’Mara moved to use EDIT Funds with the stipulation it is within in the plan otherwise Rainy Day Funds be used and Jamie Cain seconded all ayes no nays, motion passed.

Bridgett Weber – City Clerk-Treasurer presented budget for third reading Ordinance 2012-9 Water and Wastewater Salary and Wages, 2012-10 City Employees and Appointed Officers Salary and Wages, 2012-11 Elected Officials Salary and Wages and 2012-14 Budget for 2013. Jamie Cain moved to pass Ordinance 2012-9, 2012-10, 2012-11, and 2012-14 on its third reading and Glenn Tebbe seconded; all ayes no nays; motion passed on third reading.

Darrell Poling presented information from Board of Works Meeting this evening. Opened bids for 2012 Street Paving and O'Mara received bid for the work; Fire Chief Chasteen purchased a 2012 Ford F150 from Don Meyer Ford; Employee Assistance Program was approved; No quotes were received for intersection ramps; Trees for Gas Creek Project will be purchased from Blankenship Farms of Tennessee; Radio replacement and Kubota RTV was approved for Wastewater Department and Software replacement was approved for the Water Billing Office.

Scott Chasteen – Fire Chief provided additional information on purchasing a fire truck through Houston-Galveston or the Florida Sheriff's Association with their cooperative purchasing plans for governmental units. Chris Stephen is reviewing agreements to present at a future meeting.

Jean Johannigman questioned an alley near her property that is being used for parking and has been an issue for some time.

With nothing further to come before the board, Jamie Cain Poling moved to adjourn.

Meeting adjourned at 9:13 p.m.

PRESIDING OFFICER: _____

ATTEST:

Clerk-Treasurer