

Trenton, Missouri
July 25, 2022

The Mayor and City Council met in open session, Monday, July 25, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall. The following officers and members were present: Mayor Linda Crooks-via audio conferencing; Council members Lance Otto, Glen Briggs, Danny Brewer, Marvin Humphreys, Robert Romesburg-via audio conferencing, David Mlika, Duane Urich and John Dolan; City Attorney, Tara Walker; City Administrator, Ron Urton-via audio conferencing; Police Chief, Rex Ross and City Clerk, Cindy Simpson.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND PRAYER

At this time, the Pledge of Allegiance was recited. A prayer followed the pledge.

MINUTES

Motion by Councilmember Brewer second by Councilmember Briggs that the minutes of July 11, 2022, be approved. Motion carried.

BILLS

Motion by Councilmember Brewer second by Councilmember Briggs that all duly obligated bills for the city be paid. Motion carried.

BILL NO. 31

Motion by Councilmember Brewer second by Councilmember Briggs that Bill No. 31 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MISSOURI FIREFIGHTERS' CRITICAL ILLNESS TRUST AND POOL, AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE SUCH DOCUMENTS AS MAY BE NECESSARY FOR THE CITY'S PARTICIPATION THEREIN, which was read. Motion by Councilmember Brewer second by Councilmember Briggs that Bill No. 31 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 31 was made available for public inspection prior to this meeting by being posted at City Hall on July 22, 2022. The following vote was taken. Ayes: Otto, Briggs, Brewer, Humphreys, Romesburg, Mlika, Urich and Dolan. Said bill was declared duly passed, numbered Ordinance No. 2022-31, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk.

BILL NO. 32

Motion by Councilmember Brewer second by Councilmember Briggs that Bill No. 32 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TABLE V – A ENTITLED “PROHIBITED PARKING” OF SCHEDULE IV ENTITLED “PROHIBITED PARKING” OF TITLE III ENTITLED “TRAFFIC CODE” OF THE TRENTON CITY CODE, which was read.

Motion by Councilmember Brewer second by Councilmember Otto that Bill No. 32 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 32 was made available for public inspection prior to this meeting by being posted at City Hall on July 22, 2022. The following vote was taken. Ayes: Briggs, Brewer, Humphreys, Romesburg, Mlika, Urich, Dolan and Otto. Said bill was declared duly passed, numbered Ordinance No. 2022-32, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk.

Discussion was held concerning the parking issue on Oklahoma Avenue by the Middle school. City Administrator Urton and Mayor Crooks said they will talk to the new superintendent.

NEW BUSINESS

Mayor Crooks said she would like to appoint Brandon Spencer to the historic preservation committee.

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Otto to accept the Mayor's appointment of Brandon Spencer to the historic preservation committee. Motion carried.

Motion by Councilmember Brewer second by Councilmember Mlika to adopt the new drug policy. Motion carried.

Discussion was held concerning getting 1 more police car. It is in the budget. Motion by Councilmember Brewer second by Councilmember Otto to spend up to \$35,000 for a new police car. Motion carried.

Motion by Councilmember Otto second by Councilmember Briggs to sell the 2 old police cars on purple wave. Motion carried.

Discussion was held concerning a volume commitment agreement with Arkansas Electric Cooperative, Inc. for transformers. It was agreed to bring back an ordinance for this.

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Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Brewer meeting adjourned at 7:24 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Crooks
Mayor

Cindy Simpson
City Clerk