

Trenton, Missouri
October 28, 2024

The Mayor and City Council met in open session, Monday, October 28, 2024, at 7:00 p.m. at city hall. The following officers and members were present: Mayor Jackie Soptic; Council members William Fisher, Glen Briggs, Calvin Brown, Marvin Humphreys, Timothy Meinecke, David Mlika, Duane Urich and John Dolan (via zoom); City Attorney, Kenton Kinney; City Administrator, Ron Urton; Police Chief, Rex Ross; City Clerk, Cindy Simpson and Asst. City Clerk, Anita Ewing.

MINUTES

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Brown that the minutes of September 23, 2024, be approved. Motion carried.

BILLS

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

REPORTS

Reports were given. Councilmember Humphreys gave a report from the Utility Committee. Councilmember Briggs gave an update on the mass notification system that was used to inform the community of the power outage on October 1. City Administrator Urton reported that disinfection of the water system is to be done by October 31. He mentioned the new call system installed to manage calls during power outages. Mayor Soptic mentioned that a Canadian Consulate will be coming to Trenton on Veteran's Day to lay a wreath on the grave of a soldier who had volunteered with the Canadian army during World War II. She said there are several events planned for that day. She reported that the police 501(c)(3) funds that were being managed by the Green Hills Regional Planning Commission are now being kept by the Main Street Trenton 501(c)(3) until a community 501(c)(3) can be established. She mentioned that the Missouri Day Festival saw approximately 14,000 on the grounds over the two-day period.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Gary Schuett spoke to the council on behalf of the Police Personnel board and presented two candidates for employment - Russell Dean Morris to begin the police academy in January 2025 and Brian Andy Anderson to be hired immediately. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Mlika to accept the Police Personnel Board recommendations for employment. Motion carried.

Luanne Oneal spoke to the council about a concern she has with the amount of fluoride the City adds to the water and asked that we stop adding fluoride to City water. She said she feels it presents a health risk and presented reports to support those claims.

BILL NO. 50

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 50 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, DENYING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT TO VANCE COX IN CARE OF AMERICAN SPORTSMAN LLC TO ALLOW FOR TWO (2) CAMPER HOOKUPS TO BE LOCATED BEHIND HIS EXISTING BUILDING, which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 50 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 50 was made available for public inspection by being posted at City Hall on October 25, 2024. The following vote was taken. Ayes: Mlika, Urich, Dolan and Briggs. Nays: Brown, Humphreys, Meinecke and Fisher. Mayor Soptic cast the tie-breaking vote by voting Aye. Said bill was declared duly passed, numbered Ordinance No. 2024-50, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the assistant city clerk.

BILL NO. 51

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 51 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, APPROVING A PROPOSAL BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, AND JAMESPORT BUILDERS FOR INSULATION OF THE TRENTON NORTH SUBSTATION GENERATOR ROOFS AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, TO EXECUTE THE SAME BY AND ON BEHALF OF SAID CITY, which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 51 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 51 was made available for public inspection by being posted at City Hall on October 25, 2024. The following vote was taken. Ayes: Humphreys, Meinecke, Mlika, Urich, Dolan, Fisher, Briggs and Brown. Said bill was declared duly passed, numbered Ordinance No. 2024-51, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the assistant city clerk.

BILL NO. 52

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 52 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, APPROVING A PROPOSAL BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, AND ARKANSAS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION FOR PAD MOUNT TRANSFORMERS AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, TO EXECUTE THE SAME BY AND ON BEHALF OF SAID CITY, which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 52 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 52 was made available for public inspection by being posted at City Hall on October 25, 2024. The

following vote was taken. Ayes: Meinecke, Mlika, Urich, Dolan, Fisher, Briggs, Brown and Humphreys. Said bill was declared duly passed, numbered Ordinance No. 2024-52, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the assistant city clerk.

BILL NO. 53

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 53 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, APPROVING A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, AND FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY FOR FREE DESIGN AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, TO EXECUTE THE SAME BY AND ON BEHALF OF SAID CITY, which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 53 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 53 was made available for public inspection by being posted at City Hall on October 25, 2024. The following vote was taken. Ayes: Mlika, Urich, Dolan, Fisher, Briggs, Brown, Humphreys and Meinecke. Said bill was declared duly passed, numbered Ordinance No. 2024-53, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the assistant city clerk.

BILL NO. 54

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 54 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, APPROVING A PROPOSAL BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, AND MISSOURI HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION FOR AIRPORT INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT AGREEMENT AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, TO EXECUTE THE SAME BY AND ON BEHALF OF SAID CITY, which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 54 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 54 was made available for public inspection by being posted at City Hall on October 25, 2024. The following vote was taken. Ayes: Urich, Dolan, Fisher, Briggs, Brown, Humphreys, Meinecke and Mlika. Said bill was declared duly passed, numbered Ordinance No. 2024-54, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the assistant city clerk.

BILL NO. 55

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 55 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, APPROVING A PROPOSAL BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, AND

MISSOURI HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION FOR AMENDMENT #1 OF THE EXISTING MODOT STATE BLOCK GRANT AGREEMENT AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, TO EXECUTE THE SAME BY AND ON BEHALF OF SAID CITY, which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 55 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 55 was made available for public inspection by being posted at City Hall on October 25, 2024. The following vote was taken. Ayes: Dolan, Fisher, Briggs, Brown, Humphreys, Meinecke, Mlika and Urich. Said bill was declared duly passed, numbered Ordinance No. 2024-55, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the assistant city clerk.

BILL NO. 56

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 56 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, APPROVING A PROPOSAL BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, AND NAIL EXCAVATING LLC FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A T-HANGAR - MODOT PROJECT NO. 23-011A-1 AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, TO EXECUTE THE SAME BY AND ON BEHALF OF SAID CITY, which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 56 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 56 was made available for public inspection by being posted at City Hall on October 25, 2024. The following vote was taken. Ayes: Fisher, Briggs, Brown, Humphreys, Meinecke, Mlika, Urich and Dolan. Said bill was declared duly passed, numbered Ordinance No. 2024-56, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the assistant city clerk.

BILL NO. 57

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 57 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, APPROVING A PROPOSAL BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, AND OLSSON, INC. FOR THE AVIATION PROJECT CONSULTANT SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT NO. 1 AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, TO EXECUTE THE SAME BY AND ON BEHALF OF SAID CITY, which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 57 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 57 was made available for public inspection by being posted at City Hall on October 25, 2024. The following vote was taken. Ayes: Briggs, Brown, Meinecke, Mlika, Urich, Dolan and Fisher. Nays: Humphreys. Said bill was declared duly passed, numbered Ordinance No. 2024-57, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the assistant city clerk.

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Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Mlika meeting adjourned at 7:54 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Jackie Soptic
Mayor

Anita J. Ewing
Assistant City Clerk