



## CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday, October 10, 2023 | 6:32 pm

### Pledge of Allegiance

Today is Tuesday, October 10, 2023, and the time being 6:32 pm. The meeting of the Greensburg City Council is called to order. At this time, please silence all electronic devices.

To comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the City requests that participants in this meeting complete a voluntary, anonymous survey that is available on the table in the back of the room.

### Roll Call

**Present** - Rick Emsweller, Kevin Fleetwood, Vietta McKenzie, Darrell Poling

**Present via Zoom** – Jamie Cain

### Approve Minutes

Motion to approve minutes for both public hearing meetings and the regular meeting on September 12, 2023, made by Jamie Cain, seconded by Kevin Fleetwood. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – yes, Rick Emsweller – yes, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes.

### Old Business

Police Chief Mike McNealy presented Ordinance 2023-22 for additional appropriation for General and Public Safety for second reading. Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-22 on second reading made by Kevin Fleetwood, seconded by Vietta McKenzie. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – yes, Rick Emsweller – yes, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes.

City Clerk Treasurer Amy Borns presented the following ordinances for second reading.

Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-17 Greensburg Community School Corporation 2024 Budget for second reading made by Darrell Poling, seconded by Kevin Fleetwood. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – abstain, Rick Emsweller – yes, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes.

Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-18 City of Greensburg 2024 Budget for second reading made by Kevin Fleetwood, seconded by Vietta McKenzie. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – abstain, Rick Emsweller – no, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes.

Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-19 Elected Official Salaries 2024 for second reading made by Darrell Poling, seconded by Rick Emsweller. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – yes, Rick Emsweller – yes, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes.



Motion to approve the amendment to add the Project Manager position to the Ordinance 2023-20 Jamie Cain, seconded by Darrell Poling. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – yes, Rick Emsweller – yes, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes.

Police Chief Mike McNealy presented an amendment to Ordinance 2023-20 for a raise in the base pay for police officers. There was a discussion between the Council and the Chief. Overall, the Council felt they needed more time to investigate this adjustment to the pay. Jamie Cain and Kevin Fleetwood volunteered to work with the Chief in this next month to decide on a recommendation to an amendment to the salary ordinance for the Police Department.

Motion to approve the second amendment to Ordinance 2023-20 in which the base pay for police officers is raised made by Rick Emsweller, there was not a second, therefore, the motion fails.

Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-20 City Employee Salaries 2024 for second reading with the approved amendment of adding a Project Manager position made by Jamie Cain, seconded by Kevin Fleetwood. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – yes, Rick Emsweller – yes, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes.

Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-21 Water and Wastewater Salaries 2024 for second reading made by Jamie Cain, seconded by Kevin Fleetwood. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – yes, Rick Emsweller – yes, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes.

Borns also presented a list of outstanding checks that need to be removed from the bank reconciliations. The incorrect list was uploaded to the Dropbox for the Council last month and was tabled until this month. Motion to approve the list of outstanding checks to be removed from the bank reconciliations made by Jamie Cain, seconded by Rick Emsweller. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – yes, Rick Emsweller – yes, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes.

## **New Business**

Mayor Marsh gave the update for the Veridus Group and the Street Department and Fire Station. Overall, the site is coming together and there is a lot of activity. The steel for the fire station is up, the decking will go up next month. For the sanitation building, the roof is on, and they are working on putting up the walls. The project is still on timeline and on budget.

Sarah Hamer, Building Commissioner, presented Ordinance 2023-23 for the Unified Development Ordinance for first reading. Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-23 on first reading made by Kevin Fleetwood, seconded by Jamie Cain. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – yes, Rick Emsweller – yes, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes.

Ron May, City Engineer, presented Ordinance 2023-16 for the vacation of a right-of-way for Moeller's Lane. Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-16 for first reading made by Kevin Fleetwood, seconded by Vietta McKenzie. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – yes, Rick Emsweller – yes, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes.

Motion to suspend the rules for Ordinance 2023-16 made by Jamie Cain, seconded by Vietta McKenzie. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – yes, Rick Emsweller – yes, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes.

Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-16 on second reading made by Jamie Cain, seconded by Darrell Poling. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – yes, Rick Emsweller – yes, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes.

Mayor Marsh announced that the regular November meeting will be held Thursday, November 9, at 6:30 PM.

## **Adjourn**

Motion to adjourn made by Vietta McKenzie. Voice vote: Jamie Cain – yes, Rick Emsweller – yes, Kevin Fleetwood – yes, Vietta McKenzie – yes, Darrell Poling – yes. Motion passes. Meeting adjourned at 7:11 PM.

*(Signatures on following page)*



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This 10<sup>th</sup> day of October 2023 at 6:32 PM

Jamie Cain \_\_\_\_\_

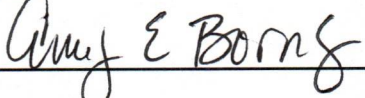
Rick Emsweller  \_\_\_\_\_

Kevin Fleetwood  \_\_\_\_\_

Vietta McKenzie \_\_\_\_\_

Darrell Poling  \_\_\_\_\_

Attest:

  
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Amy E Borns, City Clerk Treasurer