

## CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday, August 8, 2023 | 6:30 pm

### Pledge of Allegiance

Today is Tuesday, August 8, 2023, and the time being 6:30 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 - Jamie Cain, Rick Emsweller, Kevin Fleetwood, Vietta McKenzie, Darrell Poling

#### **Approve Minutes**

Motion to approve minutes from the July 11, 2023, meeting made by Kevin Fleetwood, seconded by Vietta McKenzie. Voice vote, all ayes no nays, Darrell Poling abstained from the vote. Motion passed.

#### **Old Business**

Amy Borns, City Clerk Treasurer, presented Ordinance 2023-11 for additional appropriation from Rainy Day for second reading. Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-11 on second reading made by Rick Emsweller, seconded by Jamie Cain. Voice vote, all ayes no nays. Motion passed.

Mayor Joshua Marsh presented Ordinance 2023-12 for the creation of a designated outdoor refreshment area (DORA) on second reading. Questions were raised by Council and answered by City Attorney Chris Stephen. Motion to approve 2023-12 on second reading made by Kevin Fleetwood, seconded by Jamie Cain. Voice vote, all ayes no nays, Rick Emsweller abstained from the vote. Motion passed with four votes for and one abstention.

Ron May, City Engineer, presented Ordinance 2023-06 for vacation of the alley behind First Christian Church for second reading. Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-06 on second reading made by Jamie Cain, seconded by Darrell Poling. Voice vote, four ayes, one nay (Kevin Fleetwood). Motion passed 4-1.

#### **New Business**

Mayor Marsh presented an update on the Municipal Complex Project from Veridus Group. Footings and foundation have begun for both the fire station and street department. The project is still on schedule and within budget.

Mike McNealy, Police Chief, presented a request for an additional appropriation for a replacement police vehicle. He asked for \$25,000 to be appropriated out of the Public Safety fund for capital outlay. Motion

of a vote of confidence from the Council for the additional appropriation made by Jamie Cain, seconded by Vietta McKenzie. Voice vote, all ayes no nays. Motion passed.

Chief McNealy invited everyone to National Night Out taking place August 17 at 5:00 pm at North Park.

Sarah Hamer, Building Commissioner, presented Ordinance 2023-14 for the amendment to the building code to clearly define fences as structures within the City limits. This will require property owners to check with the Building office before putting up a fence to make sure it is within the appropriate parameters (type, height, property line, etc.). Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-14 on first reading made by Darrell Poling, seconded by Jamie Cain. Voice vote, all ayes no nays. Motion passed.

Mark Klosterkemper presented Ordinance 2023-13 for vacation of easement. Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-13 on first reading made by Kevin Fleetwood, seconded by Jamie Cain. Voice vote, all aves no navs. Motion passed.

Motion to suspend the rules of Ordinance 2023-13 made by Jamie Cain, seconded by Kevin Fleetwood. Voice vote, all ayes no nays. Motion passed.

Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-13 on second reading made by Jamie Cain, seconded by Kevin Fleetwood. Voice vote, all ayes no nays. Motion passed.

Commissioner Klosterkemper announced Heavy Trash week for August 21-25.

Ron May, City Engineer, presented Ordinance 2023-15 for stormwater management. This will replace the City's current stormwater management. Christopher B. Burke helped in drafting this document, in accordance with statutory authority granted to the City. This will help the City stay in compliance with MS4. Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-15 on first reading made by Rick Emsweller, seconded by Darrell Poling. Voice vote, all ayes no nays. Motion passed.

Mayor Joshua Marsh requested Council appointment to the Decatur County Community Foundation. Motion to appoint Mayor Marsh for another year made by Darrell Poling, seconded by Kevin Fleetwood. Voice vote, all ayes no nays. Motion passed.

Mayor Marsh reminded the Council that the 2024 Budget Workshop will be held Wednesday, August 9, 2023, at 6:00 PM in the multipurpose room.

Mayor Marsh announced that City Engineer Ron May will be retiring at the end of the year.

# **Board and Commissions Updates**

- Jamie Cain, Council President- Board of Works
- Rick Emsweller- Main Street Greensburg
- Kevin Fleetwood- Greensburg Plan Commission, Economic Development Corporation
- Vietta McKenzie- Decatur County Solid Waste
- Darrell Poling- Greensburg Redevelopment Commission
- Mayor Joshua Marsh- Main Street, Economic Development Corporation, Chamber of Commerce, Solid Waste, Animal Control, 911, EMA, Water Board, Aviation Board, Insurance Committee

## Adjourn

Motion to adjourn made by Darrell Poling. Meeting adjourned 7:20 PM.

(Signatures on following page)



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This 8th day of August 2023 at 6:32 PM

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Rick Emsweller
Kevin Fleetwood Kenn Fleetwood
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Vietta McKenzie
Darrell Poling

Attest:

Amy E Borns, City Clerk Treasurer