

Trenton, Missouri
April 22, 2024

The Mayor and City Council met in open session, Monday, April 22, 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; City Attorney, Kenton Kinney; City Administrator, Ron Urton; Police Chief, Rex Ross and City Clerk, Cindy Simpson.

MINUTES

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that the minutes of April 8, 2024, be approved. Motion carried.

BILLS

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

REPORTS

Reports were given by Councilmember Humphreys, Councilmember Urich, City Administrator Urton and Mayor Soptic.

PUBLIC COMMENT

A citizen asked how come the employees had no input on the merit/years of service. She felt the current department heads should of talked to their employees.

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-1

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Resolution No. 2024-1 be introduced, A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, STATING THE INTENT TO PROVIDE FUNDING, IN THE 2025-2026 FISCAL YEAR, FOR 20% MATCHING FUNDS REQUIRED FOR THE "16TH STREET SIDEWALK PROJECT" UNDER THE MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S "TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM" (TAP) GRANT PROGRAM, which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Resolution No. 2024-1 be passed for adoption. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of Resolution No. 2024-1 was made available for public inspection prior to the meeting by being posted at City Hall on April 19, 2024. The following vote was taken. Ayes: Fisher, Briggs, Brown, Humphreys, Meinecke, Mlika, Urich and Dolan. Said resolution was declared duly passed, numbered 2024-1, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk.

BILL NO. 19

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 19 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI APPROVING POLICIES ESTABLISHED BY THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, FOR IN-FILL HOUSING, PROPERTY TRANSFER PROGRAM, AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, CITY CLERK, AND/OR CITY ADMINISTRATOR OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, TO ENACT/ADMINISTER/EXECUTE THE SAME BY AND ON BEHALF OF SAID CITY which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 19 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 19 was made available for public inspection by being posted at City Hall on April 19, 2024. The following vote was taken. Ayes: Briggs, Brown, Humphreys, Meinecke, Mlika, Urich, Dolan and Fisher. Said bill was declared duly passed, numbered Ordinance No. 2024-19, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the city clerk.

BILL NO. 20

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Meinecke that Bill No. 20 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI AMENDING THE CITY CODE BY ADDING A NEW ARTICLE I, CHAPTER 750, TO ESTABLISH STANDARDS FOR THE COLLOCATION, MAINTENANCE, AND MODIFICATION OF SMALL CELL WIRELESS FACILITIES IN THE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY, which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 20 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 20 was made available for public inspection by being posted at City Hall on April 19, 2024. The following vote was taken. Ayes: Brown, Humphreys, Meinecke, Mlika, Urich, Dolan, Fisher and Briggs. Said bill was declared duly passed, numbered Ordinance No. 2024-20, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the city clerk.

BILL NO. 21

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 21 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI AMENDING THE CITY CODE, SPECIFICALLY SECTION 105.020, TITLED STANDING COMMITTEES – GENERALLY, TO INCLUDE LANGUAGE THAT FOUR (4) MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL, ONE FROM EACH WARD OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, SHALL BE APPOINTED BY THE MAYOR TO THE STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 21 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of bill No. 21 was made available for public inspection by being

posted at City Hall on April 19, 2024. The following vote was taken. Ayes: Humphreys, Meinecke, Mlika, Urich, Dolan, Fisher and Brown. Naye: Briggs. Said bill was declared duly passed, numbered Ordinance No. 2024-21, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the city clerk.

BILL NO. 22

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Meinecke that Bill No. 22 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI ADOPTING AMENDMENTS TO THE BUDGET PASSED AND ORDAINED AS ORDINANCE NO. 2024-14, SIGNED AND ENACTED ON APRIL 8, 2024, which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 22 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Discussion was held. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 22 was made available for public inspection by being posted at City Hall on April 19, 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. 2024-22, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the city clerk.

BILL NO. 23

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 23 be introduced, AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE GENERAL ELECTION HELD IN THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, ON APRIL 2, 2024, FOR THE ELECTION OF ONE CITY COUNCILMAN FROM EACH OF THE FOUR WARDS OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, MISSOURI, FOR A REGULAR TERM OF TWO YEARS AND THE QUESTION: SHALL THE CITY OF TRENTON IMPOSE A SALES TAX AT A RATE OF ONE HALF OF ONE PERCENT FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PURPOSES IN TRENTON, MISSOURI which was read. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich that Bill No. 23 be passed to the second reading placed upon final passage and voted on. Motion carried. A copy of Bill No. 23 was made available for public inspection by being posted at City Hall on April 19, 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. 2024-23, signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the city clerk.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Motion by Councilmember Brown second by Councilmember Urich to remove Councilmember Mlika from the finance committee as a temporary member for Councilmember Dolan. Motion carried.

Councilmember Meinecke wanted the merit/years of service pay scale discussed. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Mlika to refer this to the finance committee for review. Motion carried.

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich meeting adjourned sine die. Motion carried.

City Clerk Cindy Simpson gave the oath of office to Glen Briggs, Marvin Humphreys, David Mlika and Duane Urich.

The Mayor and City Council met in open session, Monday, April 22, 2024, at 7:30 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; City Attorney, Kenton Kinney; City Administrator, Ron Urton; Police Chief, Rex Ross and City Clerk, Cindy Simpson.

NEW BUSINESS

Mayor Soptic said she would like to appoint Glen Briggs, Calvin Brown, David Mlika and Duane Urich to the Administrative Committee. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Dolan to accept the Mayor's appointments to the Administrative Committee. Motion carried.

Mayor Soptic said she would like to appoint Glen Briggs, Marvin Humphreys, Timothy Meinecke and John Dolan to the Finance Committee. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich to accept the Mayor's appointments to the Finance Committee. Motion carried.

Mayor Soptic said she would like to appoint Glen Briggs, Calvin Brown, Timothy Meinecke and Duane Urich to the Economic Development Committee. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Mlika to accept the Mayor's appointments to the Economic Development Committee. Motion carried.

Mayor Soptic would like to appoint Lou Fisher, Marvin Humphreys, Timothy Meinecke and Duane Urich to the utility board. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Brown to accept the Mayor's appointments to the Utility Committee. Motion carried.

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Fisher to appoint Councilmember Mlika as president pro-tem. Motion carried.

Liaison members to various boards are Planning and Zoning David Mlika. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Dolan to accept the appointment of David Mlika to the Planning and Zoning Board. Motion carried.

Airport Advisory Board: Duane Urich. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Dolan to accept the appointment of Duane Urich to the Airport Advisory Board. Motion carried.

Domestic Violence: John Dolan. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Mlika to accept the appointment of John Dolan to the Domestic Violence Board. Motion carried.

Convention and Visitors Board: Marvin Humphreys. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Mlika to accept the appointment of Marvin Humphreys to the Convention and Visitors Board. Motion carried.

Building and Nuisance Board: David Mlika. Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich to accept the appointment of David Mlika to the Building and Nuisance Board. Motion carried.

Discussion was held concerning the Muddy Creek boring bids. Motion by Councilmember Mlika second by Councilmember Briggs to accept the low bid of Nail Excavating, LLC for \$42.00 per unit for a total of \$20,790.00. Motion carried.

Discussion was held concerning the Verizon water tower agreement. It was decided to get amounts other towns are getting for this and bring it back.

Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Mlika to adjourn at 8:04 p.m. to closed session for legal in accordance with RSMO. 610.021 (1). The following vote was taken. Ayes: Urich, Dolan, Fisher, Briggs, Brown, Humphreys, Meinecke and Mlika.

Closed session minutes are on file at City Hall.

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Motion by Councilmember Briggs second by Councilmember Urich meeting adjourned at 9:00 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Jackie Soptic
Mayor

Cindy Simpson
City Clerk