

CITY COUNCIL MEETING Minutes February 15, 2022

After pledge and invocation, Mayor Stinson called the Meeting to order.

Amy Hurst	Present	Joyce Carson	Present
Craig Owen	Present	Sebastian Ernst	Present
Darryl Ammerman	Present	Luke Price	Present

Present: Attorney Brandon Voelker

GUESTS

Attorney Brandon Voelker introduced Judge Susanne M. Cetrulo who is running for Kentucky Court of Appeals, 6th Appellate District, Division 2. Judge Cetrulo was present to introduce herself stating she had been visiting Pendleton County trying to meet as many people as possible. She gave a brief introduction of herself and her history with the Court of Appeals and wanted the counties she represented to have an opportunity to put a face with the name, adding if anyone needed anything, to certainly reach out to her.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes of Regular Meeting January 18 and February 1, 2022 Caucus Meeting.

MOTION: Amy Hurst made a motion to approve the minutes of both meetings, seconded by Darryl Ammerman. Motion carried all aye 6-0-0.

ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS/MUNICIPAL ORDERS

ORDINANCE 2022:1 Attorney gave a 1st reading of an Ordinance amending the parking regulations for inclusion of handicap parking on streets.

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Mayor Stinson brought before council discussion of Pendleton County Recreation Commission request for purchase of a piece of equipment to properly maintain the ball fields at the Athletic Park. The reported quote they received was approximately \$10,000. Several council members questioned the equipment, whether it was a "need" versus a "want", and could the equipment being considered have a dual purpose. After a lengthy discussion with multiple questions a motion was made.

MOTION: Darryl Ammerman made a motion to table this discussion and asked that a representative from the Recreation Commission attend the Caucus Meeting to answer the questions. Seconded by Joyce Carson; all aye. Motion carried 6-0-0

CLOSED SESSION

MOTION: Luke Price made a motion to retire to closed session per KRS 61.810(1)(b) Land Acquisition, second by Craig Owen. All aye: 6-0-0

MOTION: Sebastian Ernst made a motion to return to open session, second by Darryl Ammerman. All aye 6-0-0.

Mayor Stinson stated discussion took place, no action taken.

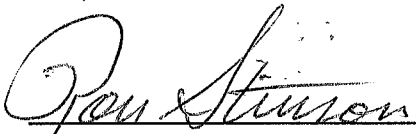
OTHER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Mayor informed Council of a Quarter Auction to be held at the High School to benefit Senior Council on February 19th.
- Mayor had been contacted by Judge Fields for an invitation next Wednesday February 23, in Grant Co, the Lt Governor would be awarding checks for the funding previously announced.
- Announced the public meeting on February 24th, 7:00-8:30 PM, PC Courthouse for Licking River Blue Water Trail Project

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Darryl Ammerman made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Craig Owen. All aye 6-0-0.



Ron Stinson, Mayor



Attest: City Clerk