

January 21, 2016

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Sparta, White County, Tennessee, met in a regular scheduled meeting at the City Hall, at 5:00 PM on the 21st day of January 2016, with Mayor Jeff Young presiding.

Members Present

Alderman Jim Floyd
Alderman Chad Griffin
Alderman Hoyt Jones
Alderman Robert Officer
Alderman Judy Payne
Vice-Mayor Robert Verble

Members Absent

Status of other city staff members were:

Chris Dorsey	City Administrator	Present
Tonya R. Tindle	City Recorder	Present
Dillard Quick	Public Works Director	Present
Lynn Omohundro	City Attorney	Present
Jeff Guth	Police Chief	Present
Kirk Young	Fire Chief	Present

A quorum was present and notice had been previously mailed to all members and the news media. Mayor Young called the meeting to order. Jeff Guth opened with a prayer by request of the Mayor. Bobby Officer, Alderman, led the Pledge of Allegiance by request of the Mayor.

There was a motion by Alderman Payne with a second by Vice-Mayor Verble to approve the minutes of the January 7, 2016 regular meeting, which had been previously mailed to all board members and read by each member prior to the meeting. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

Department heads gave reports.

There was a motion by Alderman Officer with a second by Alderman Payne to approve the purchase of a 2016 International Utility Bucket Truck from Altec Industries in the amount of \$222,852.00 under the NJPA Purchasing for the Electric Department, which was a budgeted item. The roll call was as follows:

Mayor Young.....	Yes
Alderman Floyd.....	Yes
Alderman Griffin.....	Yes
Alderman Jones.....	Yes
Alderman Officer.....	Yes
Alderman Payne.....	Yes
Vice-Mayor Verble.....	Yes

The motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Griffin with a second by Alderman Payne to approve parade permits for the WCHS Baseball on March 12, 2016 and Aaron Shafer Memorial Foundation on April 23, 2016. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Officer with a second by Alderman Griffin to approve T.J. Dennis as a volunteer firefighter. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

Additional items discussed:

- Update on electric department management

There being no further business, there was a motion to adjourn by Alderman Payne with a second by Alderman Officer. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed. The meeting was adjourned at 5:22 P.M.

Read and approved this _____ day of _____, 2016

Jeff Young, Mayor

ATTEST

Tonya R. Tindle, City Recorder