

**July 5, 2012**

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 5<sup>th</sup> day of July 2012, with Mayor Jeff Young presiding.

**Members Present**

Alderman Jim Floyd  
Alderman Hoyte Jones  
Alderman Robert Officer  
Alderman Judy Payne  
Alderman Debbie Sopha  
Vice-Mayor Robert Verble

**Members Absent**

Other city staff members present were:

Hugh M. Carmichael II	City Administrator	Present
Tonya R. Tindle	City Recorder	Present
L. R. West	Electric System Director	Present
Lynn Omohundro	City Attorney	Present
Jeff Guth	Police Chief	Present
Kirk Young	Fire Chief	Present
Olof Fornehed	Public Works Director	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, Police Chief, opened with a prayer by request of the Mayor.

There was a motion by Alderman Payne with a second by Alderman Floyd to approve the minutes of the June 21, 2012 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 and there were no comments.

There was a motion by Alderman Floyd with a second by Alderman Jones to authorize the mayor to execute a contract with TVA supplementing the power contract with the City of Sparta. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Jones with a second by Alderman Officer to authorize the solicitation of bids for six wet valve insertions for the Water Department. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Floyd with a second by Alderman Payne to authorize the purchase of a 2012 Ford Explorer in the amount of \$24,669.00, per State contract #209, for the GIS Department, which was a budgeted item. The roll call was as follows:

Mayor Young.....Yes  
Alderman Floyd.....Yes  
Alderman Jones.....Yes  
Alderman Officer.....Yes  
Alderman Payne.....Yes  
Alderman Sopha.....Yes  
Vice-Mayor Verble.....Yes  
The motion passed.

There was a motion by Vice-Mayor Verble with a second by Alderman Payne to authorize the issuance of a show cause notice for a dangerous building to David Sims regarding his property on 218 Helen Place. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Officer with a second by Alderman Jones to approve the application for volunteer firefighter, Jason Spivey. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Payne with a second by Alderman Floyd to approve the parade permit for The Upper Room / Community Circle of Care 5K run. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

Additional items discussed:

- County Spec Building & sewer connection

There being no further business, there was a motion to adjourn by Alderman Payne with second by Alderman Officer. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed. The meeting was adjourned at 5:36 P.M.

Read and approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2012

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Jeff Young, Mayor

ATTEST

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Tonya R. Tindle, City Recorder