

March 19, 2015

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 19th day of March 2015, 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

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Other city staff members present were:

Ben Holland	Interim 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
Dillard Quick	Public Works Director	Absent

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. Robert Officer, Alderman, led the Pledge of Allegiance by request of the Mayor.

There was a motion by Alderman Payne with a second by Alderman Griffin to approve the minutes of the March 5, 2015 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 approve the City Recorder's financial statements. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Jones with a second by Alderman Officer to pass Ordinance No.15-885 on first reading, an ordinance to adopt the 2008 MFPA 70 National Electrical Code . 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.....	Absent

The motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Floyd with a second by Alderman Griffin to authorize the public works director to acquire bids for a stump grinder attachment to be used on an excavator for the Public Works Department – Street Division. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Officer with a second by Alderman Payne to approve the property tax change of assessments #14-429. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Payne with a second by Alderman Floyd approve parade permits for Sparta / White County YMCA on April 11, 2015 and Northfield Elementary on May 2, 2015. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

Additional items discussed:

- Retail Coach work session
- 4/1/15 meeting regarding UCRA wetlands sale
- Congratulation Sparta Warriors
- Interim financing for emergency water plant improvements

There being no further business, there was a motion to adjourn by Alderman Payne with a second by Alderman Jones. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed. The meeting was adjourned at 5:25 P.M.

Read and approved this _____ day of _____, 2015

Jeff Young, Mayor

ATTEST

Tonya R. Tindle, City Recorder