

**MINUTES OF
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
MONDAY, JANUARY 28, 2019, 5:30 P.M.
CITY HALL, PIGEON FORGE, TENNESSEE**

Mayor Wear called the meeting to order with the following in attendance: Commissioner Maples, Commissioner Ogle, Commissioner Watts, City Manager Teaster, Assistant City Manager Brackins, City Recorder Clabo, City Attorney Wyrick, and interested citizens. Vice Mayor McClure was absent.

Mayor Wear opened the meeting and Commissioner Maples led in the pledge of allegiance.

REGULAR MEETING

The minutes were unanimously approved following motion by Commissioner Maples and second to motion by Commissioner Watts.

Mayor Wear asked if there were any comments from citizens.

Jerry Hanson stated that there was a possible overnight rental issue located at 716 Montewood Circle.

John Mayberry stated that he was confused regarding Ordinance No. 1065. City Attorney Wyrick spoke in response to his concerns. Commissioner Maples asked for a status update over the next few meetings.

No other comments were received.

The authorization for the payment of bills was presented for approval. On a motion by Commissioner Maples, second by Commissioner Ogle, it was unanimously approved to accept the bills as noted.

Old Business

There was no old business.

New Business

Resolution No. 858 to authorize an amendment to a contribution agreement with the Industrial Development Board of the City of Pigeon Forge, Tennessee to support an economic development project was presented for approval. Assistant City Manager Brackins presented. It was noted that this was discussed during recent work session. On a motion by Commissioner Maples, second by Commissioner Watts, and with all voting

“aye” the motion was unanimously approved. Mayor Wear noted that Vice Mayor McClure wanted it stated that he was in favor of the project.

Resolution No. 859 to adopt rules and regulations applicable to use of the City of Pigeon Forge’s Parks, Recreational Facilities, Greenway and Trails was presented for approval. City Attorney Wyrick presented. Motion was made by Commissioner Maples, which was seconded by Commissioner Ogle. During discussion, firearms on the greenway was discussed under section 8.1. It was recommended that language could be added that stated that except as otherwise permitted by city ordinances and state law to the section. Following a friendly amendment by Commissioner Maples, second by Commissioner Ogle, and with all voting “aye” the motion was unanimously approved with the friendly amendment as noted.

Discussion and consideration of bid from FTM Contracting for the Pigeon Forge Community Center outdoor pool renovation was presented for approval. Parks and Recreation Director Goodwin presented and stated that based on the bid being over budget and the pool season would be lost by the time the project was completed, he recommended rejecting bid at this time. On a motion by Commissioner Maples, second by Commissioner Watts, it was unanimously approved to reject the bid as presented.

Discussion and consideration to purchase a Dingo TX 525 utility vehicle and four attachments for the parks and recreation department from STI Turf Care Equipment utilizing the National Joint Powers Alliance contract was presented for approval. Parks and Recreation Director Goodwin presented and stated that the vehicle would cost \$24,373.78 with attachments totaling \$4,856.41 for a total of \$29,230.19. On a motion by Commissioner Ogle, second by Commissioner Watts, it was unanimously approved to accept the purchase as presented.

Discussion and consideration of bid to purchase winterfest bulbs for the street department from Christmas Lights Inc. was presented for approval. Public Works Director Miller presented and recommended the following: clear cool white at a cost of \$0.69 each, blue at a cost of \$0.62 each, red at a cost of \$0.62 each, purple at a cost of \$0.62 each, clear twinkle at a cost of \$0.70 each, yellow at cost of \$0.62 each, orange at a cost of \$0.62 each, green at a cost of \$0.62 each, white sockets with back at a cost of \$0.06 each, and green sockets with back at a cost of \$0.06 each. On a motion by Commissioner Watts, second by Commissioner Maples, it was unanimously approved to accept the bid as presented.

Discussion and consideration to purchase garbage cans for the sanitation department from Shafer Systems International utilizing the Sourcewell contract was presented for approval. Public Works Director Miller presented and recommended the purchase of 100 cans at a cost of \$56.02 each for a total of \$5,602. On a motion by Commissioner Ogle, second by Commissioner Maples, it was unanimously approved to accept the purchase as presented.

Discussion and consideration of bid from Southern Constructors for repair to the LaFollette # 2 lift station for the wastewater collection system was presented for approval. Martin Cross with Veolia presented and recommended the low bid in the amount of \$26,500. On a motion by Commissioner Maples, second by Commissioner Ogle, it was unanimously approved to accept the bid as presented.

Manager’s report included the following:

1. There will be an Industrial Development Board meeting on January 29, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. in Meeting Room A of City Hall Complex.
2. The Citizen Police Academy will start tomorrow.
3. Would like approval to accept addendum to the general services contract between the City of Pigeon Forge and Universal Standards for Digital Marketing. This is a name change only and the new name will be Orange 142. On a motion by Commissioner Ogle, second by Commissioner Watts, it was unanimously approved to accept the request as presented.

Mayor Wear asked for comments from the board.

Having no comments received, the meeting was duly adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

APPROVED: _____
MAYOR

ATTEST: _____
CITY RECORDER