

**MINUTES OF
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016, 5:30 P.M.
CITY HALL, PIGEON FORGE, TENNESSEE**

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

Mayor Wear opened the meeting and Vice Mayor McClure led in the pledge of allegiance.

REGULAR MEETING

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

Mayor Wear asked if there were any comments from citizens.

Rich Moser mentioned that at a prior council meeting he asked that an area of road in his subdivision be painted. He noted that he met with Mikey Henry in street department the day after the council meeting to discuss and the work was completed the next day. He thanked everyone for quick response. He also asked for a sign in his subdivision to be replaced. There used to be a sign that said dead end or no outlet and would like it put back.

No other comments were received.

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

Old Business

Ordinance No. 1016 to prohibit the construction or operation of a distillery within 400 feet of US Highway 441 was presented on the second reading. On a motion by Commissioner Maples, second by Commissioner Brackins, and with all voting "aye" the motion was approved on the second reading.

New Business

Discussion and consideration of bid for paving from Blalocks for the street department was presented for approval. Public Works Director Miller presented. It was noted that only one bid had been received and it was recommended to accept the bid. On a motion by Vice Mayor McClure, second by Commissioner Maples, it was unanimously approved to accept the bid as presented.

Discussion and consideration of bid for waterline pipe from Southern Pipe and Supply was presented for approval. Public Works Miller presented and recommended low bid in the amount of \$22,728.81. On a motion by Vice Mayor McClure, second by Commissioner Ogle, it was unanimously approved to accept the bid as presented.

Discussion and consideration of a Memorandum of Understanding between the National Park Services and the City of Pigeon Forge was presented for approval. Police Chief Baldwin presented. On a motion by Commissioner Maples, second by Vice Mayor McClure, it was unanimously approved to accept the Memorandum of Understanding as presented.

Manager’s report included the following:

1. There will be a public hearing for Ordinance No. 1013, 1014, and 1015 at the regularly scheduled meeting on May 9, 2016.
2. There will be a planning commission meeting on Tuesday, April 26, 2016 at 3:00 p.m. in the council room at city hall.
3. There will be a beer board meeting on Wednesday, April 27, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in the council room at city hall.

Mayor Wear asked for comments from the board.

Commissioner Maples thanked all city staff for work during recent car show and Women of Joy event.

Having no other comments received, the meeting was duly adjourned at 5:40 p.m.

APPROVED: _____
MAYOR

ATTEST: _____
CITY RECORDER