

**MINUTES OF
CITY COMMISSION WORK SESSION
WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 2019, 4:00 P.M.
CITY HALL, PIGEON FORGE, TENNESSEE**

Present were Mayor Wear, Vice Mayor McClure, Commissioner Maples, Commissioner Ogle, Commissioner Watts, City Manager Teaster, Assistant City Manager Brackins, City Recorder Clabo, and interested parties. City Attorney Wyrick was absent.

Items discussed were as follows.

1. **Review and discussion of Westside Connector project** – Jeff Mize with CDM Smith gave a status update on the project. It was noted that Phase 4A which runs from LaFollette Circle to Keegan Drive impacts 33 tracts. It is proposed to have sidewalks on both sides of the road and one lane each way with a turn lane at the intersections. This project is estimated to have a construction period of one year and could start as early as April 2020 if funding is available. The section has an estimated cost of \$4 million.

The Phase 2 section would go from Pine Mountain Road/Willa View Drive to Mill Creek. It was discussed having one sidewalk/greenway path and one lane each way with a turn lane at the intersections. Construction is estimated at \$25 million.

Following discussion, engineer was asked to rework some of drawing for alternate route and bring back to City with recommendations.

After general discussion, the meeting was duly adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

APPROVED: _____
MAYOR

ATTEST: _____
CITY RECORDER