

**MINUTES OF
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
TUESDAY, MAY 28, 2018, 5:15 P.M.
CITY HALL, PIGEON FORGE, TENNESSEE**

Vice Mayor McClure asked Judge Rex Henry Ogle to administer the oath of office to the newly elected Commissioner Maples and Commissioner Wear.

The following were in attendance: Commissioner Maples, Commissioner McClure, Commissioner Ogle, Commissioner Watts, Commissioner Wear, Assistant City Manager Brackins, City Recorder Clabo, City Attorney Wyrick, Assistant Finance Director Baiamonte, and interested citizens. City Manager Teaster was absent.

Commissioner McClure led in the pledge of allegiance.

Nominations for election of Mayor were requested. On a motion by Commissioner Maples to elect David W. Wear to serve as Mayor, second by Commissioner McClure and with all voting "aye" the motion passed as presented.

The election of Vice Mayor was presented. On a motion by Commissioner Ogle to elect Kevin McClure to serve as Vice Mayor, second by Commissioner Maples and with all voting "aye" the motion passed as presented.

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.

No comments were received.

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

Old Business

There was no old business.

New Business

Discussion and consideration of bid from Charles Blalock and Sons for paving was presented for approval. Assistant City Manager Brackins presented. On a motion by Vice Mayor McClure, second by Commissioner Watts, it was unanimously approved to accept the bid as presented.

Discussion and consideration of bid for the construction of the Ridge Road intersection at Teaster Lane from Charles Blalock and Sons was presented for approval. Assistant City Manager Brackins presented and recommended accepting the bid in the amount of \$539,669.71. On a motion by Commissioner Maples, second by Commissioner Ogle, it was unanimously approved to accept the bid as presented.

Discussion and consideration of property tax adjustments for FY 2017-2018. City Recorder Clabo presented. On a motion by Commissioner Watts, second by Vice Mayor McClure, it was unanimously approved to accept the request as presented.

Discussion and consideration of bid to purchase filters for the Water Plant from Unifilt Corporation was presented for approval. Assistant City Manager Brackins presented and recommended the low bid in the amount of \$5,600.00. On a motion by Commissioner Maples, second by Vice Mayor McClure, it was unanimously approved to accept the bid as presented.

Manager’s report included the following:

1. Budget work sessions will be scheduled for Monday, June 3, 2019 at 3 p.m. and Thursday, June 6, 2019 at 3 p.m. and Thursday, June 13, 2019 at 3 p.m. if needed.
2. The city will be opening bids for the new pedestrian bridge on Tuesday, June 4, 2019 at 2 p.m.
3. The IDB board approved PILOT payment for Lofts LLC this morning.
4. Prayers for the family of Bill Owens, a long time city employee who recently passed away.

Mayor Wear asked for comments from the board.

Having no comments received, the meeting was duly adjourned at 5:45 p.m.

APPROVED: _____
MAYOR

ATTEST: _____
CITY RECORDER