

December 3, 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 3rd day of December 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

Status of other city staff members were:

Chris Dorsey	City Administrator	Present
Tonya R. Tindle	City Recorder	Present
Lynn Omohundro	City Attorney	Present
Jeff Guth	Police Chief	Absent
Kirk Young	Fire Chief	Present
Dillard Quick	Public Works Director	Present

A quorum was present and notice had been previously mailed to all members and the news media. Mayor Young called the meeting to order. Chad Griffin opened with a prayer by request of the Mayor. Bobby 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 November 19, 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.

There was a motion by Alderman Griffin with a second by Alderman Jones to approve Ordinance No.15-891 on second and final reading, an ordinance to amend Title 12 of the Sparta Municipal Code to include Chapter 13- 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.....	Yes

The motion passed.

Department heads gave reports and there were no comments.

There was a motion by Alderman Floyd with a second by Alderman Payne to approve the City Recorder's financial reports. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Griffin with a second by Alderman Floyd to approve the purchase of a sanitation truck from Stringfellow, Inc. in the amount of \$218,412.80 under NJPA purchasing, this was a budgeted item. 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.....	Yes
The motion passed.	

There was a motion by Alderman Payne with a second by Alderman Officer to approve the purchase of 9 car and body cameras for the police department from Digital Ally, Inc. in the amount of \$27,180.00, with 3 being purchased with funds from the Governors Highway Safety Grant of \$4,999.99. These were budgeted items. 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.....	Yes
The motion passed.	

There was a motion by Alderman Officer with a second by Alderman Floyd to authorize the agreement with the White County Public Library for the approval of the "Little Free Library", which places books in three City parks. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

There was a motion by Alderman Jones with a second by Alderman Officer to appoint Landon Dickerson, Charles Haston, and Cain Rogers to the Sparta Industrial Development Board. All voted "Aye" by voice vote. Motion passed.

No additional items were discussed.

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 5:29 P.M.

Read and approved this _____ day of _____, 2015

Jeff Young, Mayor

ATTEST

Tonya R. Tindle, City Recorder