

CITY COUNCIL MINUTES CITY OF MAYFIELD, KENTUCKY

March 14, 2022

The City Council of the City of Mayfield, Kentucky, met in a regular meeting on March 14, 2022 at 5:00 p.m. at the Purchase Area Development District. There were present Mayor Kathy O’Nan, Fire Chief, Ambulance Director & Community Development Coordinator, Jeremy Creason, Police Chief Nathan Kent, Public Works Director Russ Brower, City Attorney Bo Neely, and City Clerk Tamie Johnson.

Council members present were as follows:

Jana Adams	Barry McDonald
Brad Rodgers	Derrick Parrott
Johnny Jackson	Carol Todd
	Darrick Herndon
Lauren Carr	

Police Chief, Nathan Kent, opened the city council meeting.

Councilmember Darrick Herndon led the council in prayer.

Councilmember Johnny Jackson led the council in the pledge to the American flag.

Councilmember Johnny Lee Jackson arrived at 5:02

Mayor O’Nan introduced LTC Jason Caldwell, Senior Army Instructor with Graves County Jr ROTC. Lt Col Caldwell then introduced to the council three Graves County Jr ROTC cadets that had recently been awarded the Cadet Command Medal of Heroism. This was awarded to Cadet Captain Anthea Hanskins, Cadet Lieutenant Colonel Alex Medley and Cadet Sergeant Tanner Smith for their actions taken following the collapse of MCP following the December 2021 tornado. Mayor O’Nan presented these young adults the City of Mayfield Leadership Award.

Mayor O’Nan presented a key to the city to Marco “Tony” Sanchez, who, even injured himself, continued to rescue individuals trapped in the candle factory following the December 2021 tornado. Mr. Sanchez was an inmate employed by the candle factory as a part of the jail work release program. Mr. Sanchez went to great lengths to return to the jail that night, even tho the jail had been destroyed by the tornado.

David Norsworthy, 625 S 7th St, addressed the council concerning the possibility of building office buildings on the entire side of the west side of the court square. Mr. Norsworthy is asking for total cooperation from the council as well as the community. He is also offering to invest, with payback, \$500,000.

On a motion by Herndon, seconded by Adams, with Carr, Todd, Rodgers, Jackson, McDonald, Adams, Parrott, Herndon and Johnny L Jackson voting yea and with none voting nay, Council approved the minutes of the February 9,14 & 22, 2022 meetings. Motion passed unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS

On a motion by McDonald, seconded by Rodgers, with Carr, Todd, Rodgers, Jackson, McDonald, Adams, Parrott, Herndon, Johnny Lee Jackson voting yea and with none voting nay, Council approved on second reading **Fiscal Ordinance 5-21** a fiscal ordinance amending Fiscal Ordinance 2-21 “an ordinance adopting the annual budget and scheduled salaries for the City of Mayfield Kentucky, for the fiscal year July 2, 2021 through June 30, 2022 estimating revenues and resources and appropriating funds for the operation of city government”. Motion passed unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

On a motion by Carr and seconded by Jackson, with Johnny Lee Jackson, Herndon, Parrott, Adams, McDonald, Jackson, Rodgers, Todd and Carr voting yea and with none voting nay, Council approved **Resolution 3-1-22**, "a resolution declaring property in the police department as surplus". Motion passed unanimously.

Mayor O'Nan asked city attorney Bo Neely to explain Executive Orders 11-22 and 12-22. These orders allow the placement of recreational vehicles and mobile homes on citizen's property to allow the citizen homeowner to rebuild.

Felix Lopez and Rajan Raja with FEMA explained to council the uses and restrictions to council.

Ryan Drane, with Long Term Recovery gave updates to council.

Reports were given by department heads.

With no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 6:53 p.m.

Attest:

Approved:

Tamie Johnson, City Clerk
City of Mayfield, Kentucky

Kathy S O'Nan, Mayor
City of Mayfield, Kentucky