

City of Greenbrier
Regular Board Meeting Minutes
March 7, 2016

Public Hearing

- Ordinance 16-01, Ordinance to amend budget ordinance 15-03 for fiscal year 2015-2016 – *No one spoke for or against.*

Citizen Comments

Terry Wilson with the Robertson County Veterans Service Office thanked the Mayor and Aldermen for the new office space at City Hall.

1. Call to Order by Mayor Dawson at 7:08 PM at Greenbrier City Hall.
2. Roll Call

Present: Alderman Bill Deaver
Alderman Jeff DeLong
Alderman Billy Ray Dorris
Alderman Carol Fagg
Alderman Steve Higdon
Alderman Larry Stroup
Mayor Bonnette Dawson

Absent: None

Also Present: City Attorney Bill Vernich
City Superintendent Tommy Maitland
City Recorder Rachel Slusser
Police Chief Kenneth Smith
Fire Chief Kyle Hamill

3. Prayer – Alderman Larry Stroup
4. Pledge to flag
5. Adoption of the Agenda

It was moved by Stroup, seconded by Dorris, to adopt.

Vote: 7-0
Yes: Deaver, DeLong, Dorris, Fagg, Higdon, Stroup and Dawson
No: None

Motion Passed. (Voice Vote)

6. Approval of Minutes of the February 1, 2016 regular scheduled board meeting

It was moved by Dorris, seconded by Deaver, to approve.

Vote: 7-0
Yes: Deaver, DeLong, Dorris, Fagg, Higdon, Stroup and Dawson
No: None

Motion Passed. (Voice Vote)

7. Presentations/Memorials

Mayor Dawson presented Rachel Slusser as Employee of the Month for March 2016.

Chief Smith and Deputy Chief Pack recognized Officer Vaygen Trimble and Officer Dexter Mines with a Letter of Commendation for their outstanding professional behavior during a police call involving a vehicle crash. A copy of the Letter of Commendation will be placed in their personnel file.

Chief Smith and Deputy Chief Pack recognized Officer Vaygen Trimble and Detective Chris Jones with a Letter of Commendation for their skill and dedication to the police profession during an investigation of burglaries.

8. Communications from the Mayor and Aldermen

Mayor Dawson had the following:

- Mayor Dawson has spoken with a TDOT Representative about the possibility of obtaining crossing arms for the railroad crossings. Mayor Dawson is also reaching out to Senator Roberts, Representative Kumar, and CSX for their assistance to make the crossings safe for the community.
- Mayor Dawson is in process of setting up a Park Board.
- The pre-agenda meeting in March will be at 9:00 am on Wednesday, March 23rd.
- Mayor Dawson swore in Buster Locklayer as a new police officer.

9. Communications from the City Attorney

10. Reports from Committees and Department Heads

Chief Smith handed out his department activity report.

Chief Hamill handed out his department activity report.

11. Old Business

- a. Ordinance 16-01, Ordinance to amend budget ordinance 15-03 for fiscal year 2015-2016 – 2nd Reading

It was moved by Stroup, seconded by Deaver, to approve.

Vote: 7-0
Yes: Deaver, DeLong, Dorris, Fagg, Higdon, Stroup and Dawson

No: None
Motion Passed. (Roll Vote)

12. New Business

- a. Resolution 16-01, Resolution to adopt a revised personnel policy manual

It was moved by Dorris, seconded by DeLong, to approve.

Vote: 7-0
Yes: Deaver, DeLong, Dorris, Fagg, Higdon, Stroup and
Dawson
No: None

Motion Passed. (Roll Vote)

- b. Finance
1. Purchase of 2 motorcycles for the Police Department

It was moved by DeLong, seconded by Stroup, to approve.

Vote: 5-2
Yes: Deaver, DeLong, Fagg, Stroup and Dawson
No: Dorris and Higdon

Motion Passed. (Roll Vote)

Discussion: Chief Smith explained to the Board that the motorcycles were a tool the department was going to utilize patrolling the side streets. Aldermen Dorris and Higdon felt that Greenbrier didn't need the expense associated with the motorcycles at this time.

2. Adjustments to water and sewer account \$ 3,378.38 January

It was moved by Dorris, seconded by Higdon, to approve.

Vote: 7-0
Yes: Deaver, DeLong, Dorris, Fagg, Higdon, Stroup and
Dawson
No: None

Motion Passed. (Roll Vote)

3. Adjustments to water and sewer account \$ 1,942.59 February

It was moved by Deaver, seconded by DeLong, to approve.

Vote: 7-0

Yes: Deaver, DeLong, Dorris, Fagg, Higdon, Stroup and
Dawson
No: None
Motion Passed. (Roll Vote)

13. Adjournment

It was moved by Dorris, seconded by Stroup, to adjourn.

Vote: 7-0
Yes: Deaver, DeLong, Dorris, Fagg, Higdon, Stroup and
Dawson
No: None

Motion Passed. (Roll Vote)

MEETING ADJOURN [7:29 PM](#) .

Mayor Dawson

Attest: _____
City Recorder