

REGULAR MEETING
ERLANGER CITY COUNCIL
July 2, 2024

Mayor Jessica Fette called the regular meeting of the Erlanger City Council to order in the City of Erlanger Council Chambers at 7:00 P.M., Tuesday, July 2, 2024.

Ruben Berra, pastor with Centro Cristiano Bethel Church, gave the invocation.

Members of City Council and citizens pledged allegiance to the flag.

The following Members of City Council were present: Tom Cahill, Tyson Hermes, Vicki Kyle, Jennifer Jasper-Lucas, Diana Niceley, Rebecca Reckers, Don Skidmore, Renee Skidmore, and Renee Wilson.

Also present were: Mayor Jessica Fette, City Administrator Peter Glenn, Chief of Police Kyle Rader, City Clerk Sherry Hoffman, Director of Economic Development/ACAO Mark Collier, Director of Finance/HR Kara Kramer, Public Works Director Kevin Quinn, Fire/EMS Chief Randy Godsey, and City Attorney Jack Gatlin.

MEETING MINUTES – M/S, Cahill-Reckers, that the regular council meeting held on June 4, 2024 and the special council meeting held on June 18, 2024 be approved as written. All ayes, no nays, motion carried.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA - M/S, Reckers-Niceley, that the agenda be approved as presented. All ayes, no nays, motion carried.

SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS – Sharmili Reddy, Executive Director of Kenton County Planning Development Services (PDS), provided an Erlanger code enforcement and building inspection annual report.

Mariah Estes took the Firefighter/EMT Oath of Office, given by Mayor Fette.

CITIZENS/PUBLIC COMMENTS -The following addressed Mayor and City Council:

- Larry Keitz He requested the removal of a tree located on city property.
Mr. Glenn directed Mr. Quinn to look at the tree.
- Lucy Riffle She requested the cost of the railroad bridge painting project.
Mayor Fette report \$30,000-40,000 was paid to the railroad and
\$130,000-140,000 was paid to Baynum Painting.

MAYOR'S REPORT - Mayor Fette expressed thanks to everyone who worked on the railroad bridge painting project and to the City Council for including this project in the budget.

CITY ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT - Mr. Glenn reported on the following:

- Code enforcement follow-up
- Public Workshop for new park near the Cherry Hill subdivision
- PDS interlocal agreement review
- Woodlyn Hills subdivision pole replacement program by Duke Energy

CITY ATTORNEY'S REPORT - Mr. Gatlin reported on the following:

- Legislation - The Flock Safety Cameras municipal order was removed from the agenda because there was no city expense.

REPORT ON CAPITAL PROJECTS - Mr. Quinn reported on the following:

- New Public Works facility
- Park projects

Additional Department Reports - None.

REPORTS OF TASK FORCES -

- Parks Master Planning Task Force - Mr. Hermes provided an update on park projects. The next meeting would be held on August 6, 2024 at 5:00 P.M.

BIDS -

- Silverlake Park Phase 4 Improvements - The bid was awarded to Tumlin and Sons.
- Road Salt - The bid was awarded to Cargill.
- FY25 Concrete Sidewalk Replacement Program - The bid was awarded to Humphreys Construction.
- Police Vehicles - The bid was awarded to Don Franklin Somerset.
- Police Vehicle Equipment and Installation - The bid was awarded to Ridgenet.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS - None.

NEW BUSINESS -

- Councilwoman Jasper-Lucas - She received requests from residents for the procedure to hold their own neighborhood touch-a-truck events; the Mayor responded any requests should be sent to Mr. Glenn. She also asked if there was any over-time given, in which Ms. Kramer replied that the employees who were not on duty received comp time.
- Councilman Hermes - He requested a caucus meeting to discuss the OKI grant for the Brightleaf subdivision project.

LEGISLATION - None.

ANNOUNCEMENTS - None.

ADJOURNMENT - M/S, Reckers-Kyle, to adjourn from the regular meeting at 7:44 P.M. All ayes, no nays, motion carried.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED AND ATTESTED:

APPROVED:

Sherry Hoffman
City Clerk

Jessica Fette
Mayor