REGULAR MEETING - MARION COMMON COUNCIL - AUGUST 1, 2023 - 7:00 P.M. - CITY HALL

The Common Council of the City of Marion, Indiana, met in regular session on Tuesday, the 1st day of August, 2023 at the hour of 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers, City Hall.

On the call of the roll the members were shown to be absent or present as follows:

Present: Fordyce, Cline, Stodghill-Weeks, Luzadder, Henderson, Cowgill, Cain, and Fouce.

Absent: Brunner.

NEIGHBORHOOD SPOTLIGHT: Council President Robin Fouce told the Council today they have, in their Neighborhood Spotlight, Ronald Morrell, Jr., Executive Director of the Boys and Girls Club of Grant County. Mr. Morrell, if he'll step forward, welcome. Mr. Morrell said, glad to be here. So, Councilwoman Fouce asked him to speak about their Back to School Program that they have going on at the Boys and Girls Club this Friday and they do Back to School every year but this year was really special because he had a vision to bring all the local credit unions together and people from the same industry to be able to partner and do something, you know, what's best for the kids so they're all coming and one industry is paying for the, or one credit union's paying for the backpacks, another for the school supplies, another for the food and they're just all working together and doing what's best for the kids. And one thing that's really important is, he wants to make sure their kids and families come away with something other than just the one school supplies for that evening and so what they decided to do is have a breakout session where the kids and the families and their parents learn some financial literacy. So they're going to spend time (inaudible) about budgeting, what credit is, etc., about an hour breakout session. So they're going to leave with some things that will help them immediately but they're also going to leave with some tools that will hopefully help them grow and develop into stronger citizens for our city. So if they want to show up and show their support, it is Friday from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm and they would love to have their support if they want to show up and encourage their kids to go back to school and, you know, continue to develop in that scholastic area, Morrell said. Fouce asked, and that's located at the Boys and Girls Club? Morrell said, yes, 3402 S. Meridian Street. Fouce said, thank you. Does anyone have any comment or question for Mr. Morrell? They appreciate the work that he does with their kids in the community. They are the most important thing. She appreciates the opportunity to talk about their kids. We miss it if we miss them and she wants to spend this next month or so talking about the kids, back to school programs, different programs for the kids to help them. So they appreciate his time today. Looks like he has... Morrell said, yes, this is one of their sponsors. If she wants to speak for a second, she's part of the credit union. She told the Council, yes, so they're going to be going to the Back to School Program on August 4th and just teaching about financial literacy. She doesn't know about them but she feels like that has been something that was more of an elective versus something that's needed. So that's basically what they're doing. They're getting with other credit unions in the community, they're all coming together. They're providing food, they are providing presentations for kids and adults so hopefully they can get the family involved. Fouce asked her to please tell them her name and what credit union she is with. She said she is Stacia Nixon and she's with Partners First Federal Credit Union. Fouce said, okay, thank you. Does anyone have a comment or question? They appreciate her taking the time today. Again, that's Friday, the 4th. They'll do a breakout on financial literacy from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm at the Boys and Girls Club of Grant County. Councilman Brian Cowgill said, great idea, Ronald, getting the credit unions involved. Thank you to you guys as well for stepping up and paying for the stuff. The kids need it, they need the help, and you're right, with the financial part. It's not like back in school, they had to do and learn things. They don't have that anymore so it's a great idea. Thank you, guys, Cowgill said.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: July 18, 2023 – Council President Robin Fouce said now they'll move on to approval of the minutes for July 18, 2023. She will entertain a motion. Motion's been made by Steve Henderson for approval of the minutes, seconded by Councilman Cowgill. Any question on that motion? Roll call please. Motion carried by the following vote. Aye: Fordyce, Cline, Stodghill-Weeks, Luzadder, Henderson, Cowgill, Cain, and Fouce. Nay: None.

CONSIDERATION AND RATIFICATION OF PRE-APPROVED CLAIMS: Council President Robin Fouce said they'll consider and ratify pre-approved claims. She'll entertain a motion. Councilman Gary Fordyce said he'll make a motion to approve the pre-approved claims. Councilman Mike Cline seconded. Ms. Fouce asked, who seconded? Motion's been made by Councilman Fordyce, seconded by Councilman Cline for pre-approval, consideration of the



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pre-approved claims. Any question on that motion? Roll call please. Motion carried by the following vote. Aye: Fordyce, Cline, Stodghill-Weeks, Luzadder, Henderson, Cowgill, Cain, and Fouce. Nay: None.

CONSIDERATION OF CLAIMS: Council President Robin Fouce said now they'll have consideration of the claims. Councilman David Cain said, Madam President, he moves that they table the consideration of claims and just with a caveat that these bills are already being paid and they don't, as this Council has approved and passed an ordinance, they do not approve claims without having documents. Now they just sat back in a meeting not less than an hour ago where the Controller said the city does not pay claims without complete documentation so they pulled one from their meeting tonight. So he would totally agree with her, they do not pay bills without seeing documentation so he moves that they table. Councilman Cowgill seconded. Fouce said a motion's been made by Councilman Cain, seconded by Councilman Cowgill to table consideration of the claims. Does she have any question on that motion? Councilman Mike Cline said, Madam President, once again, he went up. The information's all there. It took him less than an hour to go through it. He had some questions, they were answered. He's heard members of the Council talk about all the hours, the 20, 30, 40, he's not making those numbers up, folks have mentioned those, that they spend on Council work. He would think there would be a way to wedge in less than an hour to look at the claims. Thank you, Cline said. Fouce said, thank you, councilman. Is he aware that they passed General Ordinance 5-2023 on June the 20-something? Cline said he is well aware of that and he knows, technically, they have the power to do it but sometimes having power and using it wisely are two different things. Fouce said, well certainly that's a matter of opinion. This Council voted in majority that that would be their city ordinance and they all want to abide by those city ordinances. They are running into pure obstinance in terms of getting that cooperation. Where he had that opportunity to go do that, there are others that don't. They geared their ordinance and so forth toward what they felt would be fiscally responsible, transparent, and attainable. It would put them in a progressive mode instead of a retro mode and they currently have the administration, she believes, continuing to pay claims unauthorized in violation of General Ordinance 5-2023. It's illegal that they are doing that and they are continuing to not supply the requested, city ordinated documentation to support and substantiate those claims. So she wanted to make note of that. They do have a motion on the floor. Any further question or comment? Other than that, she would entertain roll call. Motion is to table those claims, Fouce said. Motion carried by the following vote. Aye: Stodghill-Weeks, Luzadder, Henderson, Cowgill, Cain, and Fouce. Nay: Fordyce and Cline. Fouce said those claims remain tabled.

COMMITTEE REPORTS: Council President Fouce said she will go to committee reports. Do they have any committee reports? It's been a busy week here in the community and county so they'd like to hear from any and all of them if they have any committee reports to share with them. So busy, nobody has anything to say. Councilman Brad Luzadder said, hello Madam President. Each of the Council members received a flyer. This weekend, as the local Director of the Northern Gospel Singing Convention, this is their 24th year that they will be holding this Gospel Convention. They'll be coming in August 4th and August 5th. The evening concerts start at 5:00 pm on Friday, a matinee at 12:00 pm on Saturday and then the evening concert starts at 4:00 pm. Each of them were given VIP tickets in which to come. As the Director, he was told in which to do that by the office in Nashville and so it's his privilege to be able to do that. So, after the concert on Friday evening, they'll be going to the Firewater Mill and they will have a breakfast buffet that'll be set up so if they've ever wanted to eat with some of their favorite gospel artists that are going to be at the convention, they will be there as well. And so, pretty excited, their 24th year. They started at the Memorial Coliseum, thanks to the help of Mayor Henry and since then, they've moved to Sunnycrest because at that time, the Coliseum didn't have air conditioning. It was in ill repair. So they moved it to one of the churches and so they've now come full circle and they're proud to be back at the Star Financial YMCA, the Marion Memorial Coliseum. That's happening this weekend and he would love for any and everyone to come and enjoy, Luzadder said. Fouce said, thank you, councilman. Do they have any further committee reports? Fouce said she had the pleasure of participating with several other Council in the Center City Clean Up effort this weekend. It was a good thing to do. They started down off of 14th and Adams, Washington area and covered both some of District 5, some of District 4 and made some good leeway and it's just a good feeling, after you get over the physical part of it, to do that work in the community and just try to be a part of the things she knows she always brings up, trash, debris, grass, overgrowth, those kind of things, and

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so, kudos to Center City Neighborhood Association. If you don't know them, get to know them. They are phenomenal and they run a business operated neighborhood association. There was also a block party sponsored by, name of the church? Real Community Church, thank you, and they had games for the kids, the kids got free haircuts, free stuff for back to school, nail paint. The kids had a blast. They played ball, different games, all ages, and always good to create a good environment for them. She also attended the Grant County Economic Growth Council Annual LEO Dinner, Local Elected Officials Dinner, and it just talked about legislative updates for things that impact us as a city and the things that are on the table to be discussed and things that were passed. If they haven't been able to attend one, she would encourage them to attend and get involved, not just the Council but their most important stakeholders are people in the community and so it's good information. The next activity they will have will be Denny Spinner who is the Executive Director of OKRA and OKRA is a good entity that can help a municipality with grants and funding to achieve some of the goals out in the community. He will be speaking on the 30th of August from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm at the Tomahawk and a meal will be provided. She doesn't know if it's going to be dinner or heavy hors d'oeuvres but, again, that's August 30th from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm at the Tomahawk and everyone's encouraged. If there's a fee, it's minimal, \$10.00, \$15.00, to cover costs. So she would encourage everyone to attend that. They will have budget hearings beginning here toward mid-August and she believes they are on track for that. They'll have to see what the administration does or doesn't do regarding such, but as a Council, they are prepared to honor that schedule and come and have good discussions with their departments about the budget. They had a Development Committee meeting scheduled tonight for Appropriation Ordinance 11-2023 that the administration did not advise them they were not showing up, nor did they show up for that. It's regarding EDIT Fund Miscellaneous Contractual Services for \$17,400 and she believes the comment that was made to them was, help her councilman, David Cain, why they didn't have the meeting. Councilman Cain said, oh, so Mrs. Flores stated in fact that they received only an invoice, they received only an invoice for the \$17,000 without any existing documentation to go with that so she states that the city does not pay any bills without documentation so that's why they pulled that from the agenda tonight. Fouce said, so, ideally, professionally, it would be a good thing to advise the entity that you wanted to cancel or reschedule that. They did not get that courtesy, she wants to make note of that. She's on the fence about not moving forward with any other scheduled Development Committee meetings. If they're not going to show up, why would we show up? We'll wait to hear from the administration. We want to show up to work and handle the business of the city and we will continue to work toward that. They do need to convene the Budget Committee and she went out of order. She should have added 12-2023 to the agenda but when she finishes this, can they go ahead and add it then? Okay, her apologies for that. So, this'll be for the Council to discuss their specific budget. That typically is done by the President but she believes it should be collaborated with all Council. She has the Budget Form 1 that Controller Flores just gave her and she wants to pass those out to them today. She would beckon them to look at those and see if they have any suggestion in any of the areas and then today they'll schedule a budget hearing meeting, a budget meeting for the Budget Committee. So, let's look at their dates. Bear with her. Is there anyone that would be available on Tuesday, August 8th? She has a Development Committee meeting, that is the one that she's not sure they'll continue to have if the administration is going to not show up and not advise them of such but they could, at 5:00 pm, have the budget hearing meeting that day. Would that be okay for everyone or is there a conflict for that day and that's Tuesday, August 8th at 5:00 pm. Do we have any objection? Okay, they will convene the Marion City Council Budget Committee Tuesday, August 8th at 5:00 pm to discuss the Council budget. Councilman Gary Fordyce said, he has a question, Madam President. So she's changing the (inaudible)? Fouce told Fordyce, no, this is for the Council budget. Fordyce said he thought they already had the budget schedule. Councilman Brad Luzadder said, no, no, this is specifically for the Council to be able to put together their budget before it goes in the budget book. Fordyce said, got it. Fouce asked, any further question? Okay, they'll make note of that, clerk please. Councilman David Cain said, Madam President, several of them, a week or so ago, attended the Ready 2.0 grant meeting that was held at the newly remodeled Kennedy Art Center, which is a wonderful place to attend meetings at. In attendance was Mayor Bill Rock from Gas City with his plans for the city, excuse him, he'll turn his mike on, attending that meeting was Bill Rock, Mayor of Gas City with his plans, major plans for the city, Upland with major plans for their city, Taylor University, Indiana Wesleyan attended that meeting, all their plans to grab a hold of that grant money. There were several of them, Mr. Cowgill, himself, the Center Township Trustee Deborah Cain, Nick McKinley who is running for City Council attended. Hopefully he got

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everybody included in that but those were in attendance. Those entities were there to put their best plans forward to receive grants for their cities. Thank you, Cain said. Ms. Fouce said, thank you. Councilman? Councilman Brian Cowgill said there was, what, a total of \$50,000,000 up for grabs. Was that what it was? Fouce said for the region. So, that next Ready 2.0 meeting will be Monday, August 7th at 1:30 pm at Indiana Wesleyan and she doesn't know the specific area. As she gets that information, it's supposed to be forthcoming to her, she will forward that to all of them. But again, Monday, August 7th at 1:30 pm. And this is a good time to participate as well because it's what is it that you want to see done in your area and receive potential grant dollars for. The key phrase they always say is "shovel ready" but if we work together as a county and prioritize what gets done where, how much more power will we have in terms of progress. So, some good conversation to be a part of and she would encourage everyone to attend. Thank you, Councilman Cain, for segwaying into that. As well, she again wanted to bring up, they had a Development Committee meeting today and there was a favorable recommendation for Appropriation Ordinance 12-2023 Municipal Wheel Tax and the amount requested, \$353,980. So there was a unanimous favorable recommendation. To entertain that today to 1st reading, they need to suspend the rules and add it to their agenda so she will entertain a motion for that if someone pleases. Councilman Cain said he so moves, Councilman Fordyce seconded. Fouce said a motion's been made by Councilman Cain, seconded by Councilman Fordyce to add Additional Appropriation Ordinance 12-2023 to the agenda for today. Roll call please. Motion carried by the following vote. Aye: Fordyce, Cline, Stodghill-Weeks, Luzadder, Henderson, Cowgill, Cain, and Fouce. Nay: None. Fouce said, so that was unanimous and then, so they can go into Appropriation Ordinance 13-2023.

NEW BUSINESS

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 13-2023 1ST READING

The City Clerk read Appropriation Ordinance No. 13-2023 by title only, an Ordinance of the City of Marion, Indiana, appropriating certain funds for the City of Marion, Indiana and providing for the effective date thereof. From the General Fund to City Council Miscellaneous Contractual Services the amount of \$34,483.92. Robin Fouce, Council President, told the Council this is their legal bill that they have from Taft Law Firm. Taft has been excellent in waiting for their compensation with supreme representation and this is the appropriation to compensate them for that. Do they have any question or discussion regarding this matter? Councilman Fordyce? Councilman Gary Fordyce said he has a major issue with this, that they pay Taft Law Firm \$34,483.92 to write an ordinance when they have an attorney on staff that they're paying \$50,000/year and some of his job description is to write ordinances and resolutions. Fouce asked Fordyce, who is he referring to? Fordyce said he's referring to their counsel, City Council attorney. According to his contract, it says that he is to write ordinances, resolutions, and negotiate on tax abatements and TIFs. And they pay an outside firm \$34,000 to write an ordinance when he is a member of a law firm that he's sure is very capable of writing an ordinance to take over the paying of the bills and the vouchers for the City of Marion. He has a hard time swallowing this, to take this to his constituents and taxpayers of the City of Marion to pay \$34,000 to write an ordinance to an outside law firm. He just doesn't understand how they would do that and if there was no communication or asking about the expense that it was going to be to write this ordinance or if it just had an open checkbook. It just bewilders him. He just doesn't understand this to write an ordinance. You know, we have a corporate attorney, we have a law firm that represents the City of Marion besides our Council attorney and his firm to write an ordinance? He means, are you serious? This is just, the taxpayers ought to stand up and scream with all the money we're paying for attorney fees. Just the Council, on their ordinances and lawsuits and stuff. He means, it just gripes him to no end. He can't believe it. It's phenomenal, that amount to write an ordinance. That's all, Fordyce said. Fouce asked, do they have any further comment? Yes, Councilman Cline. Councilman Mike Cline said he will just say pretty much ditto. They have someone, qualified legal counsel that they pay. They should have their own people who are well paid, well qualified, writing their ordinances. He thinks just pretty much ditto, Cline said. Fouce said, thank you, councilman. Do they have any further comment? Councilman Henderson. Councilman Steve Henderson said he'd like to remind the Council that the city has spent \$4,000,000 on a lawsuit through other means that he doesn't agree with either and \$4,000,000 is a whole lot more than \$34,000. Fouce asked, any further comment? Fordyce said he's not talking about the administration. He's talking about the City Council. The administration does that on their

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own. He's talking about the City Council. If they're going to condemn the administration for doing that, then they're not doing any better by spending what they're spending on legal fees and lawsuits. He's talking about the City Council taking this on, being a fiscally responsible body and then putting this bill on their taxpayers' back plus the other lawsuits that they're paying for, it's just beside him that they want to put this on the taxpayers when they're supposed to be responsible and stewards of our money. Not talking about the administration, he can't speak for them. He's talking about the City Council approving this. Fouce asked, do they have any further comment? Councilman David Cain said, Madam President, this was in their packet today. This is in their packet every Council meeting. These are claims that the city pays. Over the last several years, and let's dismiss the YMCA lawsuit, that was an extraordinary item that we may or may not be in favor of. That's a different subject for another day, but there was a meeting not too many months ago where the City Administration was here using expert law firms that are specialized in certain areas of the law. Just because you're a lawyer doesn't always mean that you are expert in certain areas of the law and the City Administration chooses to use experts so they get it done and they do it right. And he thinks this Council chose Taft to research, this is their expertise and they did it right. This has passed the test of time. There's an article over the weekend where it passed another test. So, they spent probably more money that what they intended to do, just due to the fact that the City Administration didn't look at them as somebody that, in their opinion, had the authority to do what they did and so they ended up probably spending more money than what they (inaudible). Now he can go back, and he doesn't blame people for not knowing the history of Marion and the city. If they've not been involved in politics over the years, he can tell them story after story after story, going clear back to, not that he was around at that time but he served with people that were, starting clear back with Mr. Jack Edwards as mayor and the problems that they had and down through every administration where the Council and possibly the Board of Works butted heads over who had the power to pay certain things and who didn't. This has been in the works for the last two or three years. They spent a lot of time and energy on this. They needed that expertise from Taft to finish the ordinance and it passed. Reluctantly, they have a bill to pay in front of them, and in the long run, it will pay off in years to come. Now he'll remind the Council that, because of what they did over the last budget when they reduced the EDIT Fund to \$1.00, wow, all of the sudden they found out that they paid out \$2,000,000 or they're paying out \$2,000,000 for to a company that nobody in this administration knew what it was for. \$2,000,000. \$500,000 of that was in interest money, interest fees. And so, by doing what they did and investing in Taft and their expertise, yes, it did cost them \$34,000 but this will pay dividends for years to come because it brings transparency to the citizens, to the taxpayers, and to this Council. Tonight, in a committee meeting, Mrs. Flores said this administration does not pay bills without documentation. Wow, what an idea, and that's all they've asked for. Now, Mr. Cline, he realizes that he has the time to go up and research those bills. That's fine. He doesn't think they're asking anything that's out of line. Their argument is there's nobody else in the state doing this. Well he disagrees with that. And why can't we be a trend setter? There's other cities watching us. They're waiting for this to happen and they're going to take note and they're going to be doing the same thing. And so, he is all in favor, they have a bill to pay, and when she's ready, Madam President, he'll make a motion, Cain said. Ms. Fouce asked, do they have any further comment? She will say that they don't have, in the City of Marion, two different taxpayer buckets. The dollars that are taxpayer dollars for the City of Marion are just that. So, whether the administration spends it, whether the department spends it, whether the Council spends it, it is taxpayer dollars. So, she's bewildered, she likes that word, when you come talking about we should be just devastated that the Council used sound, fiscal management to be on the right side of things for legal counsel when we know what's going on around here. Listen, and she's not objectifying to it, she does think we spend too many dollars on contractual services, but she thinks that's a challenge of all municipalities and all entities is mitigating what you have to spend. We have a Corporate Counsel, or City counsel for the administration. He has the highest salary in this region, yet and still, we hire Ice Miller, to tens of millions of dollars, we have spent as a community, as a city, out of taxpayer dollars. Not out of separate buckets, out of the same, and no one's came before here bewildered because we spent those dollars that come across to us twice a month in our claims. That's (inaudible) special consult and so to refer to our counsel as not doing what he should be doing, he has done exemplary exactly what he should have done. We sought that guidance. We wanted to be on the right side of things. We have a bill and we need to pay it. What is the fight against transparency? What is the fight to inform the public about what we are doing with their dollars? What is the fight? Because you don't want to do it? Well, it's a law now so we're talking about what the Council did fascinates her. It



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bewilders her that we're not talking about how the law is being broken and how they are not adhering to the ordinances set forth by this legislative fiscal body. We don't want to talk about that. We want to talk about what the Council's doing. All the Council's trying to do is keep the people informed. So she's bewildered, she likes his word again, she's bewildered that we had to have such a conversation about paying a bill that we made when we spend millions of dollars, there's never been a question before us, these same people are the same people, don't even want to ask a question about the millions of dollars that we spent with other law firms but we don't want to pay a bill that the Council made. That bewilders her. She'll defer to anyone else for questions but otherwise she'll entertain a motion regarding General Ordinance 13-2023, Appropriation Ordinance, pardon her, 13-2023. Mr. Cain said, Madam President, he moves that they move Appropriation Ordinance No. 13-2023 to 2nd reading and public hearing. Motion was seconded by Cowgill. Ms. Fouce said a motion's been made by Councilman Cain, seconded by Councilman Cowgill to move Appropriation Ordinance 13-2023 to 2nd reading and public hearing. Any question on that motion? Roll call please. Motion carried by the following vote. Aye: Stodghill-Weeks, Luzadder, Henderson, Cowgill, Cain, and Fouce. Nay: Fordyce and Cline. Fouce said that motion stands. Now they'll do 11-2023, she's sorry, 12-2023.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 12-2023 1ST READING

The City Clerk read Appropriation Ordinance No. 12-2023 by title only, an ordinance of the City of Marion, Indiana, appropriating certain funds for the City of Marion, Indiana and providing for the effective date thereof. Mrs. Kiley said this ordinance has the amount of \$181,000. Do they need to amend that to the....? Council President Fouce said, (inaudible) the updated one. Did she get one? Kiley said she didn't but does she have the amount of \$353,980? Fouce said that is the amount. Kiley said, okay, from the Municipal Wheel Tax to the Miscellaneous Contractual Services Fund? Fouce said yes. Kiley said, she got that right, okay. She told Fouce if she'll give her the updated one, that's fine. Fouce said she'll be happy to do that. They have Engineer Mike Graft here. Thank you. They did convene the Development Committee and were able to come to a consensus on recommending this for 1st reading. Did they suspend the rules? They put it on the agenda but they didn't suspend the rules for first reading. Well, this is the first reading, never mind, never mind, her fault. And so, they would entertain, if he has anything to add, Mr. Graft, they welcome him but they would entertain a motion. Again, this got a favorable recommendation for \$353,980 for the Municipal Wheel Tax. This is a non-reverting fund. She wants to make note of that. That was noted on the actual ordinance, that was one of their requests and they also had good conversation about collaborating with the Engineering Department about specific streets in the districts that they feel may need better, more attention than others. And so, any discussion, any further discussion? Otherwise she will entertain a motion, Fouce said. Councilman Cain said, Madam President? Fouce said, Councilman Luzadder? Councilman Brad Luzadder said, Madam President, he makes a motion that they pass Additional Appropriation Ordinance No. 12-2023 to 2nd reading and public hearing. Cain seconded. Fouce said a motion's been made by Councilman Luzadder, seconded by Councilman Cain to pass Appropriation Ordinance 12-2023 to 2nd reading, public hearing. Any question on that motion? City Clerk Kathleen Kiley asked, are we moving it to the first meeting in September because of the advertising? Fouce told Kiley they shall do whatever she says they need to do. Kiley said, okay, so the public hearing is September 5th. Fouce said, September 5th for public hearing, please make note of that. Motion's been made, roll call on that motion please. Motion carried by the following vote. Aye: Fordyce, Cline, Stodghill-Weeks, Luzadder, Henderson, Cowgill, Cain, and Fouce. Nay: None. Ms. Fouce said, okay, so that public hearing again will be September 5th and they'll send out the appropriate notifications.

Council President Robin Fouce asked the Council if they had any further question, comment from anyone on the Council? Thank you all for coming today and, barring no further question or comment, she will entertain a motion for adjournment. On a motion by Cain, 2nd by Henderson, the meeting adjourned. Time being 7:44 p.m.