

Stanford City Council
Special Called Council Meeting
6:30pm VIA Zoom
January 13th, 2022

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I. Call to Order, Welcome, Pledge and Prayer

Mayor Miller called to order the Special Called Meeting of the Stanford City Council at 6:30pm on Thursday, January 13th, 2022. All recited the pledge to the U.S. Flag after which prayer was led by Councilwoman Sara Givens.

II. Roll Call

A roll call was conducted with the following members present: Eddie Carter, Ronnie Deatherage, Sara Givens, Jason Hignite, and Joe Tackett. Absent was Bill Miracle. A quorum was declared by the Mayor. Also present were: John Hackley, City Attorney; and special guests, Jack Withrow and Bridgette Lynn.

III. Approval of Minutes

Motion was made by Councilman Tackett (2nd by Councilwoman Givens) to accept the minutes from the December 9th, 2021 Special Called City Council Meeting as written. All in favor, motion carried.

IV. Citizen's Comments

Ella Curlis thanked Mayor Dalton and the Street Department for doing such a great job keeping the streets clean during the recent snow storm.

IV. Council Comments

Councilwoman Givens shared that MLK Day speaking spots are available by contacting Mr. Charles Fegan, who will be recording at the United Methodist Church in order to put together a presentation that will be available through Zoom for Monday's celebration. All council members are invited to come and speak.

V. Recognition of Jack Withrow

A lifetime service award was presented to Jack Withrow from the City of Stanford and its citizens for appreciation of over 50 years of service to the City of Stanford. Mr. Withrow served as Mayor and most recently as a Water Department Commissioner. Mrs. Withrow also served as City Clerk for the City of Stanford for 33 years. Combined they have almost 90 years of service to the City. Jack shared that he is proud of this "little old town", it's a good place to live and settle down. Mayor Miller shared that he did not grow up here, but because of men like Jack and the citizen's of Stanford, he chose to relocate and move his family here. Mr. Withrow's granddaughter Bridgette shared that her grandfather did the same

thing. He moved his family here from Ashland, KY in 1954. Several members of the council shared their appreciation to Mr. & Mrs. Withrow and their dedication to the City.

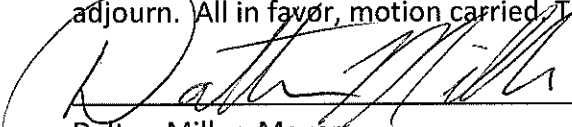
VI. Mayor’s Information to Council

Mayor Miller reported the following items to council:

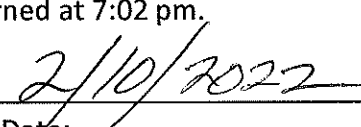
- Foster Lane Sidewalk project is still waiting to be bid out. Current estimate looks like the city and county may each be responsible for \$18,300 towards this project.
- Whitley Avenue Sidewalks, we are still waiting on word about the award of discretionary funds to complete this sidewalk project.
- A request has been put in to do study on speed reduction from Frontier Blvd to Cordier. Also, the light at McDonald’s has been worked on three times.
- CDBG Utility Assistance Funds first deposit of \$15,000, should be received tomorrow, January 14th. We will be working with BGADD and BGCAP. We have up to \$200,000 available.
- the City Awards Ceremony will be held on Thursday, January 20, 2022 at the Stanford Baptist Church Christian Life Center at 6:00pm. Walmart has graciously offered to donate all the food for the dinner.
- Mayor Miller applauded the teamwork of the Street Department, Code Enforcement, Police and Fire department during the snow storm for getting the streets so clean, so quick, pulling cars out of ditches, delivering medicine and various other services. Also, thank you to the citizen’s for moving their cars off the streets so that the snow plows could pass.
- Rachel Fitzpatrick is having a Free Pop-Up Yoga Class at the L&N Depot, 10-11:00am on Monday, January 17th.
- An events committee is meeting to plan events such as a chili supper and a possible New Years Eve Celebration on Main.
- A Group of Union Soldier Re-enactors are contacting the cemetery board to come out and do a possible Memorial Day Service at Buffalo Springs.
- A Job Fair, Monday, February 28th is being worked on.

VII. Adjourn

With no further business, a motion was made by Councilwoman Givens (2nd by Councilman Carter) to adjourn. All in favor, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 7:02 pm.



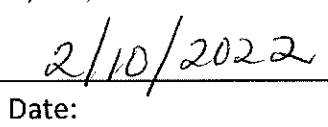
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