



**CLARKSVILLE CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL SESSION
APRIL 14, 2020**

MINUTES

IN AN EFFORT TO FACILITATE THE RESPONSE TO CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19), THIS MEETING WAS CONDUCTED VIA GOOGLE MEETS AND LIVE STREAMED ON CITYOFCLARKSVILLE.COM.

CALL TO ORDER

A special session of the Clarksville City Council was called to order by Mayor Joe Pitts on Tuesday, April 14, 2020, at 5:00 p.m. This meeting was conducted via Google Meets from City Council Chambers, 106 Public Square, Clarksville, Tennessee.

A prayer was offered by Councilman Ron Erb.

ATTENDANCE

Members responded verbally and attendance was recorded as follows:

PARTICIPATING: Richard Garrett (Ward 1), Vondell Richmond (Ward 2), Ron Erb (Ward 3), Valerie Guzman (Ward 5), Wanda Smith (Ward 6), Travis Holleman (Ward 7), David Allen, Mayor Pro Tem (Ward 8), Jeff Henley (Ward 9), Stacey Streetman (Ward 10), Gary Norris (Ward 11), Jeff Burkhart (Ward 12)

NOT PARTICIPATING: Tim Chandler (Ward 4)

Mayor Joe Pitts, City Attorney Lance Baker, and City Clerk Sylvia Skinner, as well as SGT. Chuck Gill and representatives from the City Information Technology Department, were physically present in the Council Chambers. Several Department Heads were also connected to the meet.

APPROVAL OF ELECTRONIC MEETING

“In order to comply with the technical aspects of the Governor’s Executive Order regarding holding open meetings in a forum other than in the open and in public, this governing body determines that meeting electronically is necessary to protect the health, safety, and welfare of its citizens due to the COVID-19 outbreak.”

Councilman Erb made a motion to approve conducting this meeting by electronic means. The motion was seconded by Councillady Smith. A voice vote was taken; the motion passed without objection.

EXTENSION OF MAYORAL EXECUTIVE ORDER 003

RESOLUTION 53-2019-20 Approving extension of Mayoral Executive Order No. 003 pertaining to the Novel Coronavirus in order to limit the spread of the COVID-19 Disease (April 15-April 21, 2020)

Councillady Smith made a motion to adopt this resolution. The motion was seconded by Councilman Holleman. There was no discussion. The following roll call vote was recorded.

AYE: Allen, Burkhart, Erb, Garrett, Guzman, Henley, Holleman, Norris, Pitts, Richmond, Smith

NOTE: Due to technical difficulties, Councillady Streetman’s response was not heard in the Council Chambers; Councillady Streetman expressed her approval of this resolution following the meeting.

The motion to adopt this resolution passed.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 5:08 p.m.

ADOPTED: May 7, 2020