



CITY OF MUNFORD BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN

MINUTES – January 23, 2023

**Regular Monthly Meeting – Monday January 23, 2023, 7:00 p.m.
Municipal Building, 70 College Street, Munford, Tennessee.**

Members present: Mayor Dwayne Cole, Alderman Jack Bomar, Steve Childress, Richard Cramer, Ray Deneka, Lonnie Glass, and Deborah Reed.

Absent:

Department Heads in Attendance:

I. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Cole called the January 23, 2023, regular meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Munford to order at 7:00 pm. Mayor Dwayne Cole gave the invocation.

II. ESTABLISH A QUORUM

Mayor Cole noted the Board had a quorum with all aldermen and the mayor present.

III. APPROVE MINUTES

Mayor Cole presented the minutes from the Re-Scheduled Meeting of December 27, 2022, for approval. *With no corrections, minutes approved as distributed.*

IV. PUBLIC FORUM

V. OLD BUSINESS:

- Public Works – Public Works Director Sherry Bennard presented the monthly report. See attached sheet.
- Public Safety
 - a. Police: Chief Randal Baskin presented the monthly report. See attached sheet.
 - b. Fire: Chief Jeremy Reeves presented the monthly report. See attached sheet.

- Parks & Recreation – Director Griff Fisher presented the monthly report. See attached sheet.
- Building Inspector – Building/Code Inspector Glenn Stringfellow presented the monthly report. See attached sheet.
- Library – Reference report as written.
- Mayor’s Report and Comments – Mayor Cole presented his monthly report.
- Mayor Cole presented for a first reading **ORDINANCE 2023-01-01** An Ordinance to adopt Downtown Improvement Grant Program and appropriating up to \$150,000 per year for three years from Gas Utility Funds to support program. *Motion was made by Alderman Bomar to approve **ORDINANCE 2023-01-01**. Motion was seconded by Alderman Glass. Motion carried; all members present voting aye.*
- Mayor Cole presented **RESOLUTION: 2023-01-01** A Resolution approving and supporting the submission of Violent Crime Intervention Fund grant application to the Tennessee Department of Justice. *Motion was made by Alderman Cramer to approve **RESOLUTION: 2023-01-01**. Motion was seconded by Alderman Childress. Motion carried; all members present voting aye.*
- Mayor Cole presented **RESOLUTION: 2023-01-02** A Resolution to adopt the US Motto “In God We Trust”. *Motion was made by Alderman Glass to approve **RESOLUTION: 2023-01-02**. Motion was seconded by Alderman Cramer. Motion carried; all members present voting aye.*
- Mayor Cole presented **RESOLUTION: 2023-01-03** A Resolution approving and supporting the submission of the Assistance to Fire Fighters (AFG) Grant through FEMA. *Motion was made by Alderman Deneka to approve **RESOLUTION: 2023-01-03**. Motion was seconded by Alderman Childress. Motion carried; all members present voting aye.*

VIII. **NEW BUSINESS** –


- Mayor Cole announced a Special Called Meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen to take place on February 2, 2023 at 5:00 pm in the City Boardroom. This meeting is primarily for second reading on Ordinance 2023-01-01.

IX. **FINANCIAL REPORT** –

- **Checks over \$10,000** – Mayor Cole presented the checks over \$10,000 for December. *A motion was made by Alderman Deneka to accept all checks over \$10,000 as presented. Alderman Reed seconded motion. Motion carried; all members present voting aye.*

- **Financial Report 12-31-2022** – Mayor Cole presented the Financial Report for the period ending December 31, 2022. *A motion to accept the report was made by Alderman Bomar. Alderman Cramer seconded motion. Motion carried; all members present voting aye.*

With no further discussion, Vice-Mayor Deneka made a motion to adjourn at 7:35 pm.



Dwayne Cole, Mayor



Sherry Yelvington, City Recorder