

**Meeting of the Marion City Council
October 18, 2021 5:00 p.m.**

The Marion City Council met in Regular Session October 18, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. with Mayor Jared Byford presiding. Council members present were; Darrin Tabor, Phyllis Sykes, Donnie Arflack, Dwight Sherer, D'Anna Browning, and Mike Byford. City employees in attendance were as follows: Adam Ledford, Pam Enoch, Danielle Duncan, Ronald Howton, and the City Attorney Bart Frazer. A public sign-in sheet is attached and made part of these minutes.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Motion made by Phyllis Sykes, seconded by D'Anna Browning to approve the minutes of September 20m 2021 council meeting, and special called meeting held on October 3, 2021 as submitted to the council. All voted yes.

Administrator Ledford discussed with the council changes that needed to be made to an ordinance governing the operation of mobile food unit vendors in the City of Marion, Kentucky. The ordinance that was presented to the council would also include schools which are a nonprofit organization. The council had several concerns about this ordinance.

Council member Donnie Arflack introduced 1st reading of Ordinance #21-20 entitled, "An Ordinance of the City of Marion, Kentucky, amending ordinance #01-23 to rezone property at 111 Rochester Avenue from R-Single family residential to R-3 mobile home overlay". Council member Darrin Tabor had some concerns regarding this zone change. He stated this would contradict everything the city had done the last 10 yrs if this ordinance was approved. The City Attorney advised Lydawn Moxley, present at meeting requesting the zone change, that he would look further into this before the second reading. The City Attorney gave the first reading of said ordinance.

Administrator Ledford updated the council on various projects and staffing matters. (1) Sewer Plant – able to see structure now. (2) Technology- going with Dale for the Vendor- once purchased could take up to 3-4 months. (3) Recent Staff Openings- as of today fully staffed. (4) Leaf Collection- Garry is putting the leaf schedule together for the press.

Administrator Ledford presented the council with a copy of a surplus list. Fire Chief Howton was present and had the following items to add to the list: (1) 85 GMC Step van (2) 2000 pound lift gate (3) 35 ft extended ladder (4) 14 ft roof ladder. Motion by Darrin Tabor, seconded by Donnie Arflack to approve the surplus list. A copy of surplus list is attached and made part of these minutes.

OTHER BUSINESS

Mayor Byford requested a list of lots that the City owns.

Council member Phyllis asked who would be responsible for the car that hit the Police Chief's vehicle. Administrator Ledford explained the process.

Council member Donnie Arflack asked for an update on the hole on Chipps Drive. Administrator Ledford advised him he turned it over to Garry.

Council member Mike Byford inquired about how many times a year a person is allowed to have a yard sale.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the council; meeting was adjourned at 5:52 p.m.

JARED BYFORD, MAYOR

ATTEST:

PAM ENOCH, CITY CLERK