## CITY OF KNOB NOSTER Board of Aldermen Meeting Minutes September 5, 2017

- MAYOR MORTON called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. All present recited the Pledge of Allegiance. ALDERMAN ANGELES, BABINEAUX, THERING, COHEN, BRENT and CHARRETTE were present. A quorum was verified.
- 2. The August 15, 2017, meeting minutes were reviewed by the Board of Aldermen.
- 3. The City Council reviewed the bills presented.
- 4. ALDERMAN BRENT inquired about the best way to get information to the City Administrator regarding issues around town. The CA stated email is best. He also stated that there was a car at 307 Division with a car on jacks which is against City rules and a possible safety issue with children around the property. The PD has already warned the patrons and stated they would be ticketed next. ALDERMAN ANGELES stated that there were numerous overgrown yards on West 7<sup>th</sup> Street Terrace. ALDERMAN CHARRETTE inquired about possibly placing a sign "Reduced Speed Ahead" with flags to slow down speeders going north on State Street. He also stated that the Knob Noster population signs were displaying different population amounts. The CA stated he would check on this item. MAYOR MORTON stated that September has been a busy month with school starting, the Flea Market, Valor Church and downtown renovations. Many in the community have noticed the positive activity in our downtown. MAYOR MORTON stated that, at an upcoming meeting, he would be appointing committees for Planning/Zoning, Streets, etc. CHIEF KNISKERN introduced Destry McConnell, a new Police Officer. All welcomed him.
- 5. Doug Kermick presented the City Administrator's report.
- 6. Discussion was held regarding rating the RFQ's received for the Washington Street project. All rating sheets were turned in to the City Administrator for compilation.
- 7. Mr. Jerry Akins of the Knob Noster Lion's Club stated that, due to it being a Legacy Project year, they would like to donate 2 trees to the new City Hall landscape. Motion was made to accept the donation from the Lion's Club by ALDEWRMAN CHARRETTE and was seconded by ALDERMAN ANGELES.

Motion carried 6 ayes to 0 nays.

8. Presentation was made by Justin Blecke of CivicPlus and by Ms. Lilian Vasile of TownWeb regarding possibly hosting Knob Noster's City website. Discussion was held and questions were asked. Motion was made to accept CivicPlus' bid for the City's website by ALDERMAN BABINEAUX with a second by ALDERMAN CHARRETTE.

Motion carried 6 ayes to 0 nays.

9. Discussion was held regarding the phone system in the new Knob Noster City Hall. The phones used currently will not be able to be used in the new City Hall due to their age. Motion was made by ALDERMAN CHARRETTE to bid out a phone system for new City Hall/Police Station and was seconded by ALDERMAN ANGELES.

Motion carried 6 ayes to 0 nays.

- 10. Discussion was led by MAYOR MORTON regarding a possible Open House date to present the new City Hall/Police Department facility to the public.
- 11. Motion was made to adjourn at 8:45 p.m. by ALDERMAN CHARRETTE and was seconded by ALDERMAN ANGELES.

Motion carried 6 ayes to 0 nays.

Respectfully submitted by,

AMY M. SCHOUTEN, Knob Noster City Clerk