

**CITY OF ROCKY TOP COUNCIL MEETING  
21<sup>st</sup> April 2022 at 6:00 PM**

The City Council of the City of Rocky Top, Tennessee, met at City Hall at 6:00 p.m., on 21<sup>st</sup> April 2022, for the regular scheduled meeting, with Mayor Tim Sharp presiding. On the roll call the following answered present:

Denise Casteel                  Tony Devaney                  Zack Green                  Juston Job                  Tim Sharp

**Invocation**

Mayor Sharp opened the meeting with a prayer.

**Approval of Minutes**

The motion to approve the minutes for the 17<sup>th</sup> February 2022 regularly scheduled meeting, 28<sup>th</sup> February 2022 Beer Board meeting, and 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2022 Special Called meeting was made by Vice-Mayor Juston Job and was seconded by Councilwoman Denise Casteel. The motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

**Recognize Citizens, Guests and Visitors**

None.

**Mayor's Report**

None.

**Unfinished Business**

None.

**New Business**

**Owings, Wilson & Coleman Contract**

Mayor Sharp made a motion and Councilman Zack Green seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

**Mitchell, Emert & Hill Contract**

Vice-Mayor Job made a motion and Councilman Tony Devaney seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

**An Ordinance to Adopt the 2021.2022 Budget Amendments**

Vice-Mayor Job made a motion and Councilman Devaney seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously by voice vote. A Public Hearing was set for 19<sup>th</sup> May 2022 at 5:45 p.m.

**Surplus Fire Truck**

City Manager Michael Foster explained that Medford Fire Department is interested in the 1994 Freightliner. Sales on GovDeals have been very low. Vice-Mayor Job made a motion to surplus and donate the truck for Medford and Councilwoman Casteel seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

## **An Ordinance for Overnight Rentals**

City Manager Foster explained the addition of this clause to the policy, which adds a \$100 annual application/renewal fee, a business license, parking spots per room, and hotel/motel tax payments. Councilman Green made a motion and Vice-Mayor Job seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

### **General Government**

#### **Water Adjustments- \$3,238.05 for March; 1,892.55 for April**

Vice-Mayor Job made a motion and Councilwoman Casteel seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

City Manager Foster advised that we have a build date of 27<sup>th</sup> May 2022 for the trash truck. The new trash cans will be arriving in June. The Meadow Street bridge will be done next week; we are waiting on the installation of a guard rail. Copeland Electric will be out on Monday to deal with the lights on the interstate. There's a drain on Vivian and Golda that is blocked; we have used the jetter on it. The ARC grant is officially in; the contract should be available in July; construction will be approximately 6 months out. The CDBG grant proposal has been turned in; we should know in September. SRF is moving along. ARPA funding will help with the matches on all of these grants. We have replaced 7 tiles on Railroad and Public Works is working on patching- weather permitting.

#### **Committee Reports**

Tree Committee- No meeting. 9 Green Giant trees were planted neat the street at the Public Works building.

Planning Commission- Discussion of Short-Term Rentals continued.

Recreation Committee- Discussion of the Movie Night planned for 11<sup>th</sup> June 2022. There will be an outdoor movie, games, and food for kids and families available. The event will be weather permitting.

There being no further business to come before the council, the meeting adjourned at 6:29 p.m.

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Timothy Sharp, Mayor

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Kari Bates, City Recorder