

**City of Richwood
Council Minutes
Meeting Type: Regular**



**6 White Avenue Richwood, WV 26261
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August 20, 2020 6: pm**

Mayor, Gary Johnson

Recorder, Jimmy Gladwell

Members: Sherry Chapman, Diana Spencer, Robin Brown, Chris McKenzie, Britt Nicholas, Carla Williams, Chuck Toussieng and Michael Moore

- I.) Call to order and Welcome. Mayor Johnson called the meeting to order at 6:03pm.**
- II.) Review and approve the agenda or amend this agenda. Chris McKenzie made the motion to adopt the agenda Sherry Chapman seconded the motion and the motion passed.**
- III.) Review and approve the prior minutes of August 6, 2020. Robin Brown made the motion to approve the minutes of August 6 and with a second from Michael Moore the motion passed.**
- IV.) 2nd reading of the ordinance to Repeal Police Commissioner ordinance. Mayor Johnson read the ordinance in it entirety and with that Robin Brown made the motion that this would qualify as the second reading to Repeal Police Commissioner Ordinance. Chris McKenzie provided the second and the motion passed.**
- V.) Reading and adoption of resolution in support of G.C. Murphy Building grant funding application. Robin Brown made the motion to adopt this resolution and with a second from Chris McKenzie the motion passed.**
- VI.) Reading and adoption of resolution expressing support of grant application through WVDOH for repairs and upgrades to East Main Street Upper Sidewalks. Sherry Chapman made the motion to approve the resolution. Dina Spencer provided the second and the motion passed.**
- VII.) New FEMA FIRMs (flood insurance rate maps) received. Mayor Johnson provided the council and public some explanation regarding the new flood maps and their potential effect on property in the city limits. The mayor also placed a map on display in the upstairs council chambers.**
- VIII.) Finance Committee Report: Chris McKenzie reported on the finance committee meeting held on August 19 to council. Carla Williams made the motion to accept the finance committee report and with a second from Michael Moore the motion passed.**
- IX.) Water Board committee Report: Mayor Johnson updated council on the Water Board meeting that was held just prior to the council meeting. Mike Spencer, Water Commissioner provided all board members a detailed report on the monthly operation. Robin Brown Made a motion to accept the report given by the mayor. Sherry Chapman provided a second to the motion and the motion passed.**
- X.) Nuisance Committee Report: The Nuisance will meet on September 1, at 4pm.**
- XI.) Richwood City Park Board Report: Mayor Johnson will contact the Park president for a meeting date.**

- XII.) Consideration of a demolition permit submitted: Mayor Johnson will get more information on this permit at a later date.
- XIII.) Community Events/Announcements; The city will be a partner in an event along with the City of Summersville, Richwood Area Chamber of Commerce and the Nicholas County Commission to support, recognizes and honor law enforcement and all First Responders to be held on September 11th in Summersville.
- XIV.) Council Persons comments: The Ordinance Committee will meet September 2, after Finance Meeting.
- XV.) Public Comments: there were none
- XVI.) Mayor's Report: Mayor Johnson gave the council an update on the city's activities as follows; over 100 work orders have been completed with the help of all city employees, new split rail fencing has been installed on the Main Street Sidewalks with city employees and volunteers, several beautician projects are under way guided by many great volunteers that the mayor thanked publicly.
- XVII.) Adjournment:

Presiding Officer

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mayor Johnson", written in a cursive style.

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