

# CAUCUS/COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES SEPTEMBER 18, 2023 – 6:00 PM 1843 BRISTOW DRIVE UNION, KY 41091

#### WELCOME

### **CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM, 2023 by Mayor Solomon.

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Solomon led all attendees in the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### **ROLL CALL**

A quorum was present, and a roll call was taken. Commissioner Doug Bine, Commissioner Brian Garner, Commissioner John Mefford and Mayor Larry Solomon. Commissioner Jeremy Ramage was absent.

# **VISITORS/GUESTS WISHING TO SPEAK**

Laith Masoud a student at Ryle High School and scout member of troop 805 addressed the Commission to inform he was attending the meeting for his citizen in the community merit badge.

#### **CAUCUS DISCUSSION**

Mayor Solomon mentioned the city is seeking a representative from Union to serve on the Board of Adjustment.

Commissioner Bine gave an update of a business showing interest in locating to the city, no commitment has been made.

A new Economic Development Committee member will be appointed at the October 2 Commission meeting.

Commissioner Garner discussed street repairs that need immediate attention on Soaring Breezes, and Tudor Lane. After discussion Mayor Solomon asked for approval to spend up to

\$40,000 for the completion of the repairs. Mayor Solomon made a motion and Commissioner Bine seconded that motion. **Motion approved 4-0** 

#### **LEGISLATION**

# Municipal Orders

MUNICIPAL ORDER NO. 2023-34 A MUNICIPAL ORDER AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR FOR THE CITY OF UNION, KENTUCKY TO EXECUTE THE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY AND EDDIE JOHNSON FOR THE POSITION OF CEMETERY SEXTON-MANAGER

Commissioner Mefford made a motion and Commissioner Bine seconded that motion. **Motion** approved 4-0

# **Ordinances**

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-11 AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AND FIXING THE TAX RATES OF THE CITY OF UNION, KENTUCKY, FOR THE 2023 CALENDAR YEAR; LEVYING SAID TAX UPON REAL AND TANGIBLE PROPERTY; FIXING THE DATE OF PAYMENT, DISCOUNT PAYMENT, DELINQUENCY, AND INTEREST CHARGES; FIXING THE PURPOSE THEREFORE; AND SETTING FORTH THE PROCEDURE FOR COLLECTION OF TAXES (Second Reading)

Commissioner Bine made a motion and Commissioner Garner seconded that motion. **Motion** approved 4-0

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-12 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF UNION, KENTUCKY, REPEALING ORDINANCE 2010-003 CODIFIED AS CHAPTER 111 AND CREATING CHAPTER 111A OF THE UNION CODE OF ORDINANCES ESTABLISHING REGULATIONS FOR UNINVITED SOLICITATIONS OF CONTRIBUTIONS, SALES OF GOODS AND SERVICES, AND PLEDGES, SUBSCRIPTIONS, ORDERS AND OFFERS FOR THEM, AND ESTABLISHING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF (Second Reading) Commissioner Garner made a motion and Commissioner Mefford seconded that motion. Motion approved 4-0

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-13 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF UNION, KENTUCKY, REPEALING ORDINANCE 2001-001 CODIFIED AS CHAPTER 95 AND CREATING CHAPTER 95A OF THE UNION CODE OF ORDINANCES ESTABLISHING THE OFFICE OF CITY SEXTON-CEMETERY MANAGER, AND ESTABLISHING RULES CONCERNING UNION RICE CEMETERY (Second Reading)

Commissioner Garner made a motion and Commissioner Bine seconded that motion. Motion approved 4-0

ORDINANCE NO 2023-14 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2022-09, SECTION 8 "PENALTIES" OF THE CITY OF UNION, KENTUCKY IMPOSING REGULATIONS AND FEES ON THOSE ENGAGED IN FRANCHISES, TRADES, OCCUPATIONS, PROFESSIONS AND OTHER BUSINESSES IN THE CITY. (First Reading)

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Mayor Solomon announced that the City Commission will hold a Regular Commission Meeting on Monday October 2, at 6:00 PM. He also stated that the next Caucus/Commission Meeting will be on Monday October 16, at 6:00 PM both meetings will be held at the city building located 1843 Bristow Drive Union, KY 41091.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

Mayor Solomon asked for a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Mefford made a motion and Commissioner Garner seconded that motion. **Motion approved 4-0** The meeting was adjourned at 6:40 PM.

Approved:

Hon. Larry K. Solomon, Mayor

Attest:

Jammy Welhate
Tammy Wilholte, City Clerk