

A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SODDY-DAISY, TENNESSEE WAS HELD ON THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 2017 AT 7:00 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT:
MAYOR COTHRAN
VICE-MAYOR ADAMS
COMMISSIONER LOWE
COMMISSIONER NUNLEY
COMMISSIONER SHIPLEY
CITY MANAGER CAGLE
CITY ATTORNEY ELLIOTT
RECORDER JOHNSON

Mayor Cothran presented a proclamation to Billy Jack “Punk” Heard proclaiming March 2, 2017 as “Punk Heard Day.” Many of Mr. Heard’s family and friends were in attendance. Commissioner Shipley recognized the following people in the audience and thanked them for attending: Former Hamilton County Commissioner Fred Skillern, Former State Representative Richard Floyd, Former State Representative Arnold Stulce, Hamilton County School Board Member Rhonda Thurman, Reverend Buddy Collier, Former Soddy-Daisy Commissioner Shane Harmon, Steve Hamby, Former Soddy-Daisy Commissioner David Skiles and Pastor Allan Stewart from Rechoboth Baptist Church.

The minutes of the regular meeting held February 16, 2017 were approved as presented.

OLD BUSINESS:

2016-2017 ORDINANCE NO. 17

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SODDY-DAISY, TENNESSEE,
AMENDING THE SODDY-DAISY MUNICIPAL CODE, TITLE 20 TO ADD A NEW
CHAPTER 2 ESTABLISHING AN OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING
OFFICER IN ACCORDANCE WITH TITLE 6, SECTION 54, SECTION 1001, et seq.,
OF THE TENNESSEE CODE ANNOTATED. SECOND AND FINAL READING.**

There was no discussion.

1st - Commissioner Shipley
2nd - Commissioner Nunley
Ayes - Unanimous

2016-2017 ORDINANCE NO. 18

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SODDY-DAISY, TENNESSEE,
REZONING 11265 & 11271 WALL STREET AND 409 & 413 CLAYTON STREET
FROM C-3 GENERAL BUSINESS DISTRICT TO R-2A RURAL RESIDENTIAL
DISTRICT. SECOND AND FINAL READING.**

There was no discussion.

1st - Commissioner Lowe
2nd - Vice-Mayor Adams
Ayes - Unanimous

NEW BUSINESS:

2016-2017 RESOLUTION NO. 4

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF SODDY-DAISY, TENNESSEE,
APPROVING THE PHASE II STORMWATER PERMIT NOTICE OF INTENT FOR
THE HAMILTON COUNTY WATER QUALITY PROGRAM AND AUTHORIZING
THE MAYOR OF SODDY-DAISY TO SIGN ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTS
NECESSARY FOR THE SMALL MUNICIPAL SEWER SYSTEMS PERMIT.**

Crystal Bishop was present on behalf of Hamilton County Water Quality. She stated the agreement between the City of Soddy-Daisy and Hamilton County needed to be renewed as it expires every five years. She said this allows Hamilton County to operate the stormwater system in each municipality.

1st - Commissioner Shipley
2nd - Commissioner Nunley
Ayes - Unanimous

Citizens Participation:

Arnold Stulce, 141 Lewis Street, presented the Board with a check for \$23,153 from the Red Bank and Soddy-Daisy Charitable Foundation (Foundation) to be used exclusively to expand or replace Fire Hall #3. He said the Foundation would require a Resolution at the City's next regularly scheduled commission meeting accepting the terms stated in the Foundation's attached letter. Mr. Stulce expressed concern for the lack of action from the Board of Commissioners to build a new fire hall. The Board thanked Mr. Stulce and the Foundation for the donation.

Shane Harmon, 8353 Dayton Pike, stated that the City needed to hire more police officers to help combat the recent increase in burglaries. He thanked the police department and stated that he could not do what they do.

Ray Skates, 9860 Wallace Street, thanked the Board and Public Works Director Steve Grant for getting a gate installed at the intersection of Wallace and Vine Streets to keep people from trespassing.

James Berry, 120 West Walden Circle, requested to utilize Poe's Tavern and the park to host an appreciation day for the police and fire departments. Mayor Cothran stated that the Board would review this request and get back to him at a later date.

Fred Skillern, 12198 Old Dayton Pike, echoed Mr. Stulce's comments on the urgency to build a new Fire Hall #3.

City Manager Cagle informed the Board that one of the City's drug dogs had to be retired. She requested permission to spend \$2,000 from the Drug Fund to train a new dog. Commissioner Shipley made a motion to approve the request, seconded by Commissioner Lowe and the ayes were unanimous.

City Manager Cagle said Ryan Jenkins, a third grader from Soddy Elementary School, was awarded a Disney Summer of Service Grant and will be recognized Thursday, March 9th at 9:30 a.m. at the Food Bank. She said he has invited all of the Board members to attend.

Commissioner Nunley announced that Allen Elementary School will have their annual Spring Carnival on Saturday, March 4th from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Veterans' Park. He also announced that Commissioner Shipley will be entered into the Soddy-Daisy High School Hall of Fame this year.

Vice-Mayor Adams said it was good to be able to attend the commission meeting after battling some health issues.

Commissioner Shipley stated it was great to live in a loving community. He said this community always steps up when it comes to raising money or supporting others.

Mayor Cothran stated that Soddy-Daisy has a great police department and thanked everyone for attending the meeting.

ADJOURNED 7:34 P.M.

RECORDER JOHNSON