

A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
THE CITY OF SODDY-DAISY, TENNESSEE WAS HELD
ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2017 AT 7:00 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

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

The minutes of the regular meeting held November 2, 2017 were approved as presented.

Mayor Cothran invited David Rodery from the Soddy-Daisy Volunteer Firefighters Association to come up to the lectern. Mayor Cothran presented Mr. Rodery with a \$1,500 check from the Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 942 for their Christmas for Kids Program.

OLD BUSINESS:

None.

NEW BUSINESS:

None.

Citizens Participation:

Sean Sims, 470 Rock Quarry Road, informed the Board that he opened a convenience center on November 1st to handle bulk items including mattresses, trash bags, dried paint cans among other items. He stated in the first 2 weeks, they saved 13 tons of waste from going to the landfill. Mayor Cothran thanked Mr. Sims for making this available to the community. City Manager Cagle questioned if Priority Waste would be providing curbside recycling in the future. Mr. Sims said he hopes to put in a sort line at some point. He stated that he has provided residential curbside pickup for the City for a little over 2 years now and would like for the Board

to extend his contract for an additional three year period. City Manager Cagle stated that she and Finance Director Burt Johnson have looked at the contract language and hope to be able to extend it soon. Commissioner Shipley stated that Priority Waste goes above and beyond the call of duty. He said they even check on the elderly citizens when they do not come out to greet them to make sure they are okay.

City Manager Cagle questioned if the Board would like to give the employees the same Christmas bonus as last year. Commissioner Shipley stated he would like to and made a motion to approve, seconded by Commissioner Nunley and the ayes were unanimous.

Commissioner Shipley stated that the building permits sold for October totaled \$1,692,000, which is a good sign of the investments going on in Soddy-Daisy. He stated that the WWTA voted to put more flow meters in the sewer system to test for leaks and other repairs. He said currently they could be treating groundwater instead of sewer. Commissioner Shipley said hopefully this would help lower the cost of sewer to residents.

Mayor Cothran said the Veterans Program at Soddy-Daisy Middle School was the best he had ever seen and was very proud of the job they did.

Mayor Cothran announced that the Christmas Parade will be Sunday, December 3rd starting at 2:00 p.m.

Mayor Cothran recognized the Soddy-Daisy High School students in the audience.

Commissioner Nunley stated he attended the Hamilton County Commission meeting and they voted to fund a new track for Soddy-Daisy High School.

ADJOURNED 7:17 P.M.

RECORDER JOHNSON