

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONDON, KENTUCKY

HELD
OCTOBER 4, 2021

A regular meeting of the City Council of the City of London, Kentucky, was held on October 4, 2021 at 5:30 p.m. at the London Community Center, London, KY. Mayor Troy Rudder presided, and the following duly qualified and acting members of the City Council were present:

Councilperson Kip Jervis
Councilperson Daniel Carmack
Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman
Councilperson Danny Phelps
Councilperson Kelly Greene

Attorney Larry G. Bryson was present

Councilperson Judson Weaver was absent.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Rudder.

APPROVE MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 7, 2021 AND SEPTEMBER 23, 2021

A Motion was made by Councilperson Danny Phelps and seconded by Councilperson Daniel Carmack to approve the Minutes as presented.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Kip Jervis, yes
Councilperson Daniel Carmack, yes
Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman, yes
Councilperson Danny Phelps, yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene, yes

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-11 "AN ORDINANCE LEVYING THE ANNUAL AD VALOREM TAX ON REAL PROPERTY, MOTOR VEHICLES AND MOTORBOATS AND OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY FOR CITY PURPOSES IN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF LONDON, KENTUCKY"

Ordinance No. 2021-11 "An Ordinance Levying the Annual Ad Valorem Tax on Real Property, Motor Vehicles and Motorboats and Other Personal Property for City Purposes in the Corporate Limits of London, Kentucky" was read for the first time by City Clerk Marcy J. Berry. Don McFadden with the Laurel County PVA Office was present and discussed the tax rate calculation with the Mayor and Council. There were no further comments or questions from the Council Members.

A Motion was made by Councilperson Daniel Carmack and seconded by Councilperson Kelly Greene to approve the first reading of said Ordinance.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Kip Jervis, yes
Councilperson Daniel Carmack, yes
Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman, yes
Councilperson Danny Phelps, yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene, yes

ACCEPT BIDS FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS FRANCHISE

A Motion was made by Councilperson Danny Phelps and seconded by Councilperson Daniel Carmack to accept the bid from OpenFiber Kentucky for the Telecommunications Franchise.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Kip Jervis, yes
Councilperson Daniel Carmack, yes
Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman, yes
Councilperson Danny Phelps, yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene, yes

ACCEPT PROPOSALS FOR OFFICIAL RADIO STATION OF THE CITY OF LONDON, KENTUCKY

A Motion was made by Councilperson Danny Phelps and seconded by Councilperson Daniel Carmack to accept the proposal from Forcht Broadcasting to make WAVN-FM 96.7 FM the official radio station of the City of London, Kentucky.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Kip Jervis, yes
Councilperson Daniel Carmack, yes
Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman, yes
Councilperson Danny Phelps, yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene, yes

TOURISM – REQUEST TO SHUT DOWN CITY STREETS FOR EVENTS

Tourism Director Chris Robinson was present and discussed upcoming events with the Council including Boo on Main, Christmas on Main, and New Year's Eve. Robinson requested to close Main Street for these events. A Motion was made by Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman and seconded by Councilperson Kip Jervis to close Main Street for the upcoming events discussed.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Kip Jervis, yes
Councilperson Daniel Carmack, yes
Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman, yes
Councilperson Danny Phelps, yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene, yes

APPROVE REAPPOINTMENT OF BILL DEZARN TO LONDON BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT

A Motion was made by Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman and seconded by Councilperson Danny Phelps to approve the appointment of Bill Dezarn to the London Board of Zoning Adjustment.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Kip Jervis, yes
Councilperson Daniel Carmack, yes
Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman, yes
Councilperson Danny Phelps, yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene, yes

EXECUTIVE SESSION: POSSIBLE LITIGATION KRS 61.810(1)(c)

A Motion was made by Councilperson Danny Phelps and seconded by Councilperson Daniel Carmack to go into Executive Session.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Kip Jervis, yes
Councilperson Daniel Carmack, yes
Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman, yes
Councilperson Danny Phelps, yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene, yes

A Motion was made by Councilperson Kelly Greene and seconded by Councilperson Daniel Carmack to return from Executive Session.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Kip Jervis, yes
Councilperson Daniel Carmack, yes
Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman, yes
Councilperson Danny Phelps, yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene, yes

ACTION FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

A Motion was made by Councilperson Daniel Carmack and seconded by Councilperson Kelly Greene to authorize the condemnation suit filing against Bruce Lominac.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Kip Jervis, yes
Councilperson Daniel Carmack, yes
Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman, yes
Councilperson Danny Phelps, yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene, yes

A Motion was made by Councilperson Kip Jervis and seconded by Councilperson Danny Phelps to authorize the filing of a Proof of Claim against the Rowland Moore Estate.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Kip Jervis, yes
Councilperson Daniel Carmack, yes
Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman, yes
Councilperson Danny Phelps, yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene, yes

There being no further business, a Motion was made by Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman and seconded by Councilperson Kelly Greene to adjourn the meeting.

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:

Councilperson Kip Jervis, yes
Councilperson Daniel Carmack, yes
Councilperson Bobby Joe Parman, yes
Councilperson Danny Phelps, yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene, yes

Mayor Rudder declared the meeting adjourned.



TROY RUDDER, MAYOR



MARCY J BERRY, CITY CLERK