

**CITY OF CLARKSVILLE  
CITY COUNCIL DEPARTMENT MEETING  
January 23, 2023**

The Clarksville City Council met in regular session on January 23, 2023 in the City Council Chambers at 6:30 p.m. with Mayor Michael Grantham presiding and Council Members Roger Doty, Wendy Brooks, Jennifer Kielman, Taran Sherburne, Brock Lodge (by phone). The following Department Heads and employees were in attendance: Molly Bohlen, City Clerk, Kristen Clark, librarian, Matt Behrends, Maintenance and Barry Mackey, Police Chief. Members of the public present were: Rhonda Landrum and Lucas, Fehr-Graham.

Motion Kielman, Brooks to approve and adopt the items contained in the Consent Agenda and Minutes (01/09/23 & 01/23/23) Ayes: Doty, Brooks, Kielman, Sherburne and Lodge. Nays: None. Absent: None. MC.

Department Head Reports: Kristen Clark provided report for library including highlighting programs offered in January. Chief Mackey gave a report with calls for police service totaling 194 calls for the month of December. Maintenance provided updates regarding snow removal, vehicle maintenance, and water treatment classes.

Motion Brooks, Sherburne to approve Resolution 23-1 increasing salary of Lisa Fokkena Library Assistant. RCV: Ayes: Doty, Brooks, Kielman, and Sherburne. Nays: Lodge. Absent: None. MC.

Motion Sherburne, Brooks to approve proposal and agreement for Ilgenfritz Storm Water Drainage Project. Ayes: Doty, Brooks, Kielman, Sherburne and Lodge. Nays: None. Absent: None. MC.

Motion Lodge, Sherburne to approve proposal and agreement for Jefferson and Church Street Project. Ayes: Doty, Brooks, Kielman, Sherburne and Lodge. Nays: None. Absent: None. MC.

Discussion surrounding moving a residential property to Commercial Property/non-resident status was discussed. City Clerk spoke with Bruce Toenjes regarding process including Public Hearing, notifying property owners and moving forward with this process. Council was not opposed to a commercial property being brought into town especially if it improves the current area or property in question.

28E Agreement with the School was discussed. Mayor stated that he attended a school board meeting and discussed with them the 28E agreement and they were not opposed to having it redone due to the expiration date on it. The current 28E has expired and needs to be looked at again with any additions made during this time. The school would like City to present any changes and then they would have their attorneys look at agreement as well. Council agreed that they would like to enter into another 28E agreement with the School.

Budget Discussion was held regarding revenues.

Motion Brooks, Doty to approve December monthly expenditures and financial reports as presented by City Clerk. Ayes: Doty, Brooks, Sherburne, Kielman and Lodge. Nays: None. Absent: None. MC.

Motion Doty, Sherburne to adjourn the regular City Council Meeting at 7:28 p.m.

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Michael Grantham  
Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_

Molly Bohlen  
City Clerk