

**CITY OF CLARKSVILLE  
CITY COUNCIL DEPARTMENT MEETING  
March 20, 2023**

The Clarksville City Council met in regular session on March 20, 2023 in the City Council Chambers at 6:29 p.m. with Mayor Michael Grantham presiding and Council Members Roger Doty, Wendy Brooks, Taran Sherburne and Brock Lodge. Jennifer Kielman absent. The following Department Heads and employees were in attendance: Karmella Heuer, Deputy City Clerk, Kristen Clark, Librarian, Matt Behrends, Maintenance and Barry Mackey, Police Chief. Members of the public present were: Rhonda Landrum, Jared Brunner, Pat and Dale Mennenga, Ginger Avery and Nicholas Vassios, Clarksville Star.

At the beginning of the meeting members of the public were present to discuss the carbon pipeline and to bring information to the council. Pat Mennenga provided information that it had passed out the House and expected to go to the Senate this week. Dale Mennenga reiterated how much more training the fire/ambulance crews would need to safely assist in an emergency and how close the pipeline would travel in regards to people's house northeast of town. Ginger Avery asked when the road in front of her home would be repaved. She stated she has been asking for the last 20 years to get it repaved and now the potholes are causing people to drive on her yard and driveway to avoid them and school buses avoid her street and use an alternative route. The mayor stated that Council would need to prioritize road repairs and a plan to pay for the repairs.

Mayor Topics included Church Street Discussion. No decision made on when it will be done.

Motion Brooks, Sherburne to approve and adopt the items contained in the Consent Agenda and Minutes (03/06/2023) Ayes: Doty, Brooks, Sherburne and Lodge. Nays: None. Absent: Kielman. MC.

Department Head Reports: Kristen Clark provided report for library highlighting programs offered in March and upcoming events being held. Chief Mackey gave a report with total of 125 calls for police service for the month of February.

Maintenance provided updates as follows:

Building Permit: 1. Julie Holub 218 E Vine St., adding to existing deck.

Motion Sherburne, Doty to approve building permit as presented by maintenance. Ayes: Doty, Brooks, Sherburne and Lodge. Nays: None. Absent: Kielman. MC.

Jefferson St. Project Discussion – Council would like to get a quote for the cost of a new fire hydrant.

Ilgenfritz Storm Sewer Project, Mayor talked with Lucas at Fehr Graham and discussed intake placements, etc. Brooks stated she would like Lucas to present this information to the Council.

Discussion regarding the Hall family planting a tree in memory of Mike Hall at the park. Council approved.

Carbon Pipeline Discussion.

Motion Sherburne, Doty to approve Res-23-4 Approving Letter of Objection to IUB regarding the Carbon Pipeline. Ayes: Doty, Brooks, Sherburne and Lodge. Nays: Kielman. Absent: None. MC.

Motion Brooks, Sherburne to approve food truck request by Kim Jenison to sit on West Greene St. next to Farm Bureau building. This has been ok'd with Farm Bureau and Barry doesn't object to it because it would not impede the flow of traffic. Ayes: Doty, Brooks, Sherburne and Lodge. Nays: None. Absent: Kielman. MC.

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

Motion Lodge, Sherburne to adjourn the regular City Council Meeting at 7:43 p.m.

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Michael Grantham  
Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Karmella Heuer  
Deputy City Clerk