

**MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF  
THE CITY OF NASHVILLE, ARKANSAS ON  
December 17, 2013**

The City Council of the City of Nashville met on Tuesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers.

Presiding Officer Mayor Billy Ray Jones called the meeting to order.

Financial Director Jimmy Dale led the Council in prayer.

Mayor Jones then led in the Pledge of Allegiance to the American flag.

On roll call all 12 members answered as their names were called.

Other persons present were Code Enforcement Officer David Johnson, Financial Director Jimmy Dale, Park Director Nikki Cherry, Police Officer Ty Basiliare, and former City Attorney George Steel sitting in for City Attorney Nate Steel, Freddy Horn, Joe Scoggins, Jonathan Canady with SWARadio , Mayor Jones, and City Clerk Treasurer McDaniel.

After a review of the November 26, 2013 minutes, Alderwoman Mitchell made a motion to accept the minutes and Alderman Anderson seconded. On roll call vote the motion passed with all yeas and no nays. (12-0)

Next Financial Director gave the financial report for the month of November 2013. Alderwoman Kirkpatrick made a motion to accept the financials for November 2013 and Alderwoman Wright seconded. On roll call vote the motion passed with all yeas and no nays. (12-0)

Public Works Director Larry Dunaway gave a brief report on the water and wastewater projects. He informed the Council the project at the wastewater treatment plant has begun. Also, a load of pipe had come in for the Rehab project which will start after the first of the year.

He read a letter from the water office which request destroying these records:

2003-2006 bill registers, penalty registers, and payment registers

2007 payment stubs, 2007-2009 meter read sheets, 2007-2009 street and sanitation service orders, 2007-2009 cash collection registers, 2006-2007 draft registers, 2003-2006 adjustment registers.

Alderman Parker made a motion to approve destroying the records and Alderwoman Mitchell seconded. On roll call vote, the motion passed with all yeas and no nays. (12-0)

Code Enforcement Officer David Johnson informed the Council that since passing a Resolution on November 12<sup>th</sup> to condemn a house at 808 Peachtree Street that the house has basically been torn down and the owner is demonstrating that he is tearing the house down.

Park Director Nikki Cherry gave updates on planned activities for December.

Next Mayor Jones informed the City Council that a gentleman named James Eudy is interested in buying the old Regions Drive-In, which the City owns, for \$35,000. After much discussion Alderman Anderson made a motion to take sealed bids on the building with a minimum bid of \$35,000. Alderman Smith seconded. On roll call vote the motion passed with 10 yeas and 2 nays. Alderman Parker and Alderwoman Wright voted no.

Next is **RESOLUTION NO 2013-08 – A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE CITY OF NASHVILLE OPERATING BUDGET FOR 2014**

After Clerk McDaniel read the budget resolution, Alderwoman Mitchell made a motion to pass the Resolution and Alderwoman Kirkpatrick seconded. On roll call vote, the motion passed with 11 yeas and 1 nay. Alderman Smith voted no.

Mayor Jones gave a brief State of the City report. He stated the biggest expenditures have been cleaning up and most of it has been done. The main focus in the coming year will be the Sewer projects and getting them completed. He stated the City is generally in good shape and doesn't foresee any major expense.

Alderman Parker made the motion to adjourn and Alderwoman Kirkpatrick seconded. The meeting was adjourned by Mayor Jones at 6:45 p.m.

Passed and approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014.

ATTEST:

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Liz McDaniel, City Clerk

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Billy Ray Jones, Mayor