

CITY OF SENATOBIA
CITY HALL
JANUARY 19, 2021
5:00 P.M.
ZOOM

BE IT REMEMBERED that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen met on January 19, 2021, at 5:00 P.M., this being the regular meeting time. Mayor Graves called the meeting to order and the following members were present: Dear, Hale, Moore, Simpson and Tanksley. Also present were Ginger Miller, City Attorney; Karen VanSickle, City Clerk; Richard Chandler, Police Chief; Matt Defore, Assistant Police Chief; Ethan Foresman, Fire Chief, and Jim Huestis, Building Inspector.

Motion was made by Moore, and seconded by Hale, to authorize the zoning change requested by Lee Hardy and wife for property located on the North end of Two-Mile Branch Road. The zoning change is from AR to R1. All voting yea, motion carried.

Motion was made by Hale, seconded by Moore, to authorize a second appraisal on the Park Street property the city is selling. All voting yea, motion carried.

Motion was made by Moore, seconded by Hale, to authorize the Mayor and the City Clerk to sign any and all documents in regard to Senate Bill 2969, which awards \$50,000.00 to the Senatobia Fire Department and \$300,000.00 for the fencing at Bethesda Cemetery and Senatobia Memorial Cemetery. All voting yea, motion carried.

Motion was made by Moore, seconded by Hale, to clarify the resignation letter of Officer Jeffrey South. In his resignation letter he stated he would be remaining on the Senatobia Police Department as a paid Reserve Officer. Mr. South's employment with the city will end as of January 15, 2021. All voting yea, motion carried.

Motion was made by Moore, seconded by Hale, to accept the Letter of Resignation from Police Officer Michael Thomas Roberts, effective January 5, 2021. All voting yea, motion carried.

Motion was made by Moore, seconded by Hale, to employ Justin David Hoffman as a certified Police Officer, contingent upon passing a physical and drug test, at \$15.00 per hour, contingent upon passing a physical and drug test. All voting yea, motion carried.

Motion was made by Moore, seconded by Hale, to approval the contracts to BBI for year 2021. All voting yea, motion carried.

Motion was made by Moore, seconded by Hale, to approve the amendments for 2019-2020. All voting yea, motion carried.

Motion was made by Tanksley, seconded by Simpson, to discuss the possibility of entering into executive session. All voting yea, motion carried.

Motion was made by Tanksley, seconded by Moore, to go into executive session to discuss several economic development issues. All voting yea, motion carried.

Motion was made by Simpson, seconded by Hale, to come out of executive session. All voting yea, motion carried.

Motion was made by Simpson, seconded by Hale, to adjourn until February 2, 2021, at 5:00 p.m. All voting yea, motion carried.

GREG GRAVES – MAYOR

ATTEST:

KAREN VANSICKLE – CITY CLERK