

**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF BLYTHEVILLE, ARKANSAS
February 16, 2022 – 5:30 P.M.**

The City Council of the City of Blytheville, Arkansas met by zoom in a special called meeting at 5:30 p.m. February 16, 2022. Present were Mayor James Sanders, City Clerk Melody Lawson, City Attorney Chris Brown, and the following Council Members: Vera James, Barbara McAdoo-Brothers, R.L. Jones, Matt Perrin, John Musgraves, and John Mayberry. The meeting was called to order by Mayor James W. Sanders. A letter and waiver of notice are on file in the office of the City Clerk. The press was represented by Marcus McClain.

The Mayor asked for a motion to waive the approval of the minutes from the previous meeting to the next regular meeting. Jones made the motion, seconded by Musgraves, vote (6/0).

The subject of the meeting was as follows:

**ORDINANCE NO. 1939
*WAIVE COMPETITIVE BID PROCESS TO AUTHORIZE JOWERS GENERAL
CONTRACTING, INC. TO REMOVE AND REPLACE CULVERT AND REPAIR WATER
MAIN LEAK AT SAWYER STREET DITCH AND SOUTH ELM STREET; DECLARING
AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES***

Jones offered the Ordinance, which was read in full by the City Clerk. Jones made the motion, seconded by Musgraves, to suspend the rules and read the Ordinance for the second time by title only, vote 6/0. Jones made the motion, seconded by Mayberry, to suspend the rules and read the Ordinance for the third time by title only, vote 6/0. Jones made the motion, seconded by Musgraves, to adopt the Ordinance, vote 6/0. Musgraves made the motion, seconded by Jones, to enact the emergency clause, vote 6/0.

There being no further business before the council, McAdoo-Brothers made the motion, seconded by Mayberry, to adjourn. The motion carried unanimously and the Mayor declared the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Melody Lawson, Clerk/Treas