

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING  
OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF BLYTHEVILLE, ARKANSAS  
April 20, 2021 - 5:00 P.M.**

The City Council of the City of Blytheville, Arkansas met in regular session at the Ritz Civic Center at 5:00 p.m. April 20, 2021. Present were Mayor James Sanders, City Clerk Connie Mosley-Brents, City Attorney Chris Brown and the following Council Members: John Mayberry, Vera James, Barbara McAdoo-Brothers, Matt Perrin, R.L. Jones and John Musgraves. The press was represented by Marcus McClain.

The invocation was given by Bishop R.L. Jones.

Mayor Sanders led the pledge of allegiance.

Mayor Sanders asked for the Council's wishes for approval of the minutes from the March 16, 2021 regular meeting and the March 30, 2021 special meeting. Jones made the motion, seconded by Musgraves, and by consent of all members present (6/0), the minutes of the March 16, 2021 regular meeting and the March special meeting were approved, accepted and filed as prepared by the City Clerk.

Mayor Sanders asked if anyone in attendance wished to address the council on agenda items. Mike Jacques, President of the Blytheville Chamber of Commerce came forward to express the chamber's support of repairing the area lights at I-55 Blytheville exits #63 and #67.

Mayor Sanders called for new business.

**ORDINANCE NO. 1915**

***AN ORDINANCE WAIVING THE COMPETITIVE BID PROCESS FOR THE REPAIR OF  
THE LIGHTS AT THE I-55 BLYTHEVILLE EXITS AND AUTHORIZING THE  
AGREEMENT WITH SHELBY ELECTRIC COMPANY***

Perrin 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 McAdoo-Brothers, to suspend the rules and read the Ordinance for the third time by title only, vote 6/0. Perrin made the motion, seconded by Jones, to adopt the Ordinance, vote 6/0.

**RESOLUTION NO. 2021:17**

***A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLYTHEVILLE, ARKANSAS  
TO PLACE A MUNICIPAL LIEN ON SAID PROPERTIES LOCATED IN BLYTHEVILLE***

McAdoo-Brothers offered the Resolution, which was read in full by the City Clerk. Jones made the motion, seconded by Musgraves, to adopt the Resolution. Vote 6/0.

**RESOLUTION NO. 2021:18**

***A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE WILLINGNESS OF THE CITY OF BLYTHEVILLE,  
ARKANSAS TO UTILIZE FEDERAL-AID TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM  
FUNDS***

Perrin offered the Resolution, which was read in full by the City Clerk. Jones made the motion, seconded by McAdoo-Brothers, to adopt the Resolution. Vote 6/0.

**RESOLUTION NO. 2021:19**

***A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF BLYTHEVILLE FOR THE  
FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2021***

McAdoo-Brothers offered the Resolution, which was read in full by the City Clerk. Jones made the motion, seconded by Musgraves, to adopt the Resolution. Vote 6/0.

**RESOLUTION NO. 2021:20**

***A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR AN APPOINTMENT TO THE BLYTHEVILLE  
GOLF COURSE FACILITIES COMMISSION***

McAdoo-Brothers offered the Resolution, which was read in full by the City Clerk. Jones made the motion, seconded by Musgraves, to adopt the Resolution. Vote 6/0.

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

Respectfully Submitted,

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Connie Mosley-Brents, Clerk/Treas