

**City of Mansfield**  
**MINUTES OF REGULAR PUBLIC MEETING**

**APRIL 22, 2024**

In-Person Council Meeting

The Board of Aldermen met in a *REGULAR* session on **April 22, 2024**, in Mansfield City Hall at 705 Polk Street. Mayor Thomas Jones, Jr. called this meeting to order at **4:33 p.m.**

Afterwards **Alderman Antonio Washington** offered an Invocation. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by **Alderswoman Mary Green**. The following officials were in attendance:

**Present:** Hon. Thomas Jones, Jr.-**Mayor**, **Mary Green** –District A, **Victoria Jackson** District C, **Antonio Washington**- District D.

**Absent:** **Rita Myles**- District E **Christopher Thomas**- District B, **Curtis Joseph** (Attorney).

**Personnel Dept. Heads, & Other City Personnel Present:** **Maria Hogan**- (City Clerk), **LaSonja Byrd** (HR), **Christopher Johnson** (Chief), **Tarus Chatman** (Public Work Director), **Ronnie Morris** (Code Enforcer), **DaKayla Thomas**, **Kadauis Youngblood**, **Chris Sumuels**, **Christian Taylor**.

**Others Present:** **John Barr**, **Matthew McKee**, **Richard Nader**, and **Chris Robinette**.

It was MOTIONED by **MARY GREEN** and SECONDED by **VICTORIA JACKSON** to approve the minutes of the **APRIL 8, 2024**, *regular* City Council meeting and dispense with the reading. Motion Passed Unanimously.

Mayor Jones next opened the floor to hear public comments on any item outlined on the meeting agenda. There were no comments. The **Public Comments Period** was closed.

**Old Business:**

**News Business**

- A. It was MOTIONED by **Victoria Jackson** and SECONDED by **Mary Green and Antonio Washington** to approve A Resolution approving the 2023-2024 revised and the 2024-2025 sales and Use Tax Commission Budget, Motion Passed Unanimously.

**Comments:**

**Mayor Thomas Jones** informed the public that Global Seamless was still moving forward with the project to open by the end of the year. Mayor Jones then stated that the City of Mansfield received approval from the State Bond Commission for the lead and copper assessment for the city water system. The City of Mansfield Water System will be one of the first in the state to start the process to meet LDH requirements to remove all lead pipes from its system. Afterwards, **Ronnie Morris** invited the public to come out on **April 27, 2024**, and help with the city-wide cleanup day. "Let's Beautify Mansfield".

With no further business, this meeting was adjourned at **4:42 p.m.** by MOTION from **ANTONIO WASHINGTON** and was SECONDED by **MARY GREEN** Motion Passed Unanimously.

**Thomas Jones, Jr., Mayor**  
**Maria Hogan, City Clerk**