

City of Mansfield
MINUTES OF *REGULAR* PUBLIC MEETING
January 23, 2023

In-Person Council Meeting

The Board of Aldermen met in *regular* session on **January 23rd**, in Mansfield City Hall located at 705 Polk Street. Mayor Thomas Jones, Jr. called this meeting to order at **4:30 p.m.**, after which an Invocation was offered by **Aldерwoman Mary Green**. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by **Aldерwoman Victoria Jackson**. Following the pledge, the roll call was suspended. However the following officials were recorded as in attendance at this regular meeting of the City Council. **Present:** Hon. Thomas Jones, Jr., -**Mayor**, Mary Green –District **A**, Christopher S. Thomas – District **B**, Victoria Jackson –District **C**, Antonio Washington–District **D**, and Rita Myles –District **E**. **Personnel, Dept. Heads, & Other City Personnel Present:** William C. Bradford (City Attorney), Tommie Crawford (Public Relations Officer), Billy Locke (Asst. Police Chief), Bryan Ross (Fire Chief –MFD) and Ronnie Morris (Code Enforcement Officer), Chris Samuels (Fire Dept.), Kadarius Youngblood (Fire Dept.), Zayvier Jones (Fire Dept.), Donald Anthony (Fire Dept.), Annette Blue (Chief of Police). **Others Present:** (2) John Barr (Regional Director –for U.S. Senator John Kennedy) and Winfred Johnson (I.P. Forest Resources). **Press Present:** None.

It was MOTIONED by **MARY GREEN** and SECONDED by **ANTONIO WASHINGTON** to approve the minutes of the **January 9, 2022 *regular*** City Council meeting and dispense with the reading. Motion Passed Unanimously.

The Mayor next opened the floor to hear public comments from those in attendance, to any item outlined on the meeting agenda. When no comments were voice from any of the attendees at this meeting, the **Public Comments Period** was then subsequently closed.

Old Business: None.

New Business: None.

Prior to adjournment, Attorney Bradford spoke to the council about a special meeting that needed to take place on January 27th to adopt the resolution calling for a special election to be held in the Town of Mansfield. The special meeting was scheduled for January 27th at 4:30 p.m. Mayor Jones asked everyone to keep Marvin Jackson’s family and city employees in their thoughts and prayers.

With no further business to discuss, this meeting was declared adjourned at **4:45 p.m.** by MOTION from **CHRISTOPHER THOMAS** and was SECONDED by **RITA MYLES**. Motion Passed Unanimously.

Thomas Jones, Jr., *Mayor*