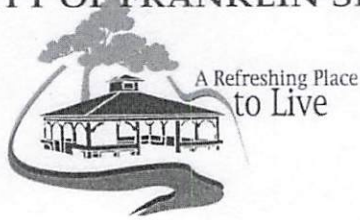


CITY OF FRANKLIN SPRINGS



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Council Meeting Minutes

March 13th, 2024

5:30 pm

Members Present:

Mayor Lee Moore

Council Members: Tommy Pritchett, Tom Wilson, Bill Bell

City Clerk: Jackie Yearwood

Police Chief: Kevin Thompson

Mayor Moore called the council meeting to order.

Tommy Pritchett gave an invocation and pledge followed.

Tom Wilson made a motion to adopt the agenda. Tommy Pritchett seconded. Motion carried.

Bill Bell made a motion to adopt the consent agenda. Tommy Pritchett seconded. Motion carried.

Water/Sewer/Street

Waste treatment plant is about at 35% of engineering phase. Also, streets are on the list for repair and LMIG will be used as well.

Police Dept Report

Chief Thompson announced a new full-time officer will begin this week. Mr. Scott has 11 years of experience and knows he will do a great job for Franklin Springs.

Fire Dept Report

No questions

Bill Bell made a motion to begin the abandonment process of Eve St. Tommy Pritchett seconded. Motion carried.

Garrett Bailey introduced himself and answered any questions in reference to his business license application. The business application received is for Sparkling Jewel Car Wash, currently at the corner of Dawkins Rd. and Hwy 29. Tom Wilson made a motion to approve the business license. Bill Bell seconded. Motion carried. Mayor Moore thanked Mr. Bailey for bringing his business to Franklin Springs.

Under public comment:

Chris Phillips, candidate for District 1 Commissioner and Mark Sewell, candidate for District 2 each took the floor to introduce themselves and spoke on their objectives and why they are running for each position. Mayor Moore thanked them for coming and running for those positions.

Charlie Eavenson with the Franklin County Citizen introduced himself and background of his experience.

Miscellaneous:

Mayor Moore informed the council that the allegations made by BJ Bennett at last months meeting has been investigated and are false.


Mayor Moore announced any candidate running for office in Franklin County is able to use the community room for a meet and greet free of charge.

Tom Wilson made a motion to approve a \$33,000 budget amendment for the industrial property for engineering and environmental fees. Tommy Pritchett seconded., Motion carried.


The 100-year celebration date has been set for Saturday, July 27th 6-9 pm

Mayor Moore announced and commemorated the 30th year of service for Councilman Bill Bell. Mr Bell has served as councilmen since February 1994. Mayor Moore thanked Mr. Bell for his years of service to Franklin Springs.

Tommy Pritchett made a motion to adjourn. Tom Wilson seconded. Motion carried.



Lee Moore, Mayor



Jackie Yearwood, City Clerk