

City Council Meeting Minutes
September 10, 2018
7:30 p.m.

The Board of Aldermen met on Monday, September 10, 2018 in the Council Chamber at City Hall. Mayor Richard Bodi presided with the following present: Ald. Wade, Chism, Young, and White.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. The Mayor called the meeting to order.

The Minutes from the August 27th meeting were presented. Ald. Chism made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Ald. Young seconded, all voted “yes” and the minutes were accepted.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Visitors: There were no visitors.
2. Bill #18-1297 – An Ordinance Amending Section 54-408 of the Municipal Code by Establishing a 4 Way Stop at the Intersection of Vandenvender and Hunter Streets was presented. The Mayor read the title of the bill aloud twice over and then asked that new “Children at Play” signs be erected in the area as this is a busy school bus stop. Ald. Wade made a motion to approve the ordinance and Ald. Chism seconded. A roll call vote was taken as follows: Ald. Wade – yes, Ald. Chism – yes, Ald. Young – yes, Ald. White – yes. The ordinance was adopted.
3. Bill #18-1298 – An Ordinance Acknowledging the Transfer of Real Estate (Correnda Hester Property) to the City of New Madrid, pursuant to Section 49.292 Revised Statutes of the State of Missouri was presented. The Mayor read the title of the bill aloud twice over. Ald. White made a motion to approve the ordinance and Ald. Young seconded. A roll call vote was taken as follows: Ald. Wade – yes, Ald. Chism – yes, Ald. Young – yes, Ald. White – yes. The ordinance was adopted.
4. Bill #18-1299 – An Ordinance vacating a strip of land “Pedestrian Walkway” between lots 61 and 62 of St. Jude Acres First Addition. The Administrator explained that this was a pedestrian walkway that had never been used and currently dead ends at a fence at the intersection of the Hunter Dawson Park Ronald Jones and Joey Taylor’s property. The vacating of this strip of land would result in the transfer of ownership of two 10’ strips of land to the adjacent property owners. The Mayor read the title of the bill aloud twice over. Ald. Chism made a motion to approve the ordinance and Ald. Wade seconded. A roll call

vote was taken as follows: Ald. Wade – yes, Ald. Chism – yes, Ald. Young – yes, Ald. White – yes. The ordinance was adopted.

5. A Resolution of the City of New Madrid, Missouri Stating the Intent to Seek Funding Through The Community Development Block Grant Program and Authorizing the Mayor to Pursue Activities in an attempt to secure funding. After reading the resolution, Ald. Chism made a motion to approve and Ald. Wade seconded. All voted “yes” and the resolution was approved.
6. A Resolution approving the Memorandum of Understanding Regarding the Economic Development Project, Project America was tabled.
7. City Administrator’s Report: Adm. McGill stated that he had very little since the last meeting. Progress is being made on the street repairs and they are very pleased with what they have done so far.

The Steel Mill project is proceeding and everything is still looking very positive. There will be further information at the next meeting.

There being no further business. Ald Chism made a motion to adjourn and Ald. Wade seconded. All Aldermen voted “yes” and the meeting was adjourned.