

# CITY OF WILDER, KENTUCKY

December 5, 2016

The regular meeting of the Wilder City Council was held on Monday, December 5, 2016 at the Wilder City Building, 520 Licking Pike, Wilder, Kentucky 41071.

Lords Prayer

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

## **Call to Order:**

Mayor Turner called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

## **Roll Call:**

Roll call was answered by Councilman Robert Blankenship, Councilman Brack Herald, Councilwoman Gearding, Councilwoman Valerie Jones and Councilman Tim Gilkison.

## **Approval of Minutes:**

**Upon motion of Councilwoman Jones seconded by Councilman Herald to approve the Minutes of November 21, 2016 Regular Meeting. Mayor Turner called for a vote. Motion carried unanimously.**

Incoming and outgoing correspondence copied to Council prior to the meeting.

## **Reports Presented:**

Police Department

Activity Report November 2016

## **Attorney's Report:**

Attorney Verst had nothing to report.

## **Citizen Comments:**

### **City Administrator's Comments:**

- Advised that the new doors for the salt house are in the process of being installed.
- The work on the parking lot at the South Fire Station is complete.
- Announced that the ground breaking ceremony for the Holiday Inn Express was well received.
- Stated that Jason Richardson and Aaron Keene of the Public Works Department have completed the Road Scholar Program through the KDOT and they will be attending a luncheon where they will receive their certificate.

## **Council Comments:**

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**Councilwoman Gearding:**

- No comment.

**Councilman Honaker:**

- Not in attendance.

**Councilman Blankenship:**

- Questioned the cars being parked across the street from Mr. Collins property again.

Mr. Vance advised that Lt. Murdock has approached Mr. Collins again regarding this issue and he has started moving the cars back to his side of the road.

- Wished everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

**Councilman Gilkison:**

- Echoed the comments regarding the Holiday Inn Express Ground Breaking Ceremony and thanked everyone for their attendance.

**Councilwoman V. Jones:**

- Stated that she enjoyed attending the Holiday Inn Express Ground Breaking Ceremony and appreciated the invitation.
- Thanked Doug & Sheila Bray for their annual donation to the police department.
- Thanked Mr. Vance for speaking at the Ground Breaking Ceremony.
- Wished Happy Holiday's to everyone.

**Councilman Herald:**

- No comment.

**City Clerk:**

- No comment.

**Attorney's Comments:**

- Wished everyone a Merry Christmas & a Peaceful New Year.
- Thanked Councilwoman Gearding and Councilman Herald for their years of service.

**Police Chief Comments:**

- Thanked Doug & Sheila Bray for their donation to the police department.
- Stated that Sgt. Jules Comte will be receiving 2016 Annual Governor's Award for most DUI arrests.
- Announced that Officer Chris Vance was the winner of the Jim Kilgore Firearms Award this year. Chris shot a perfect score.
- Reminded citizens to be cautious this time of the year and not leave anything in their vehicles in plain sight and keep their doors locked.
- Wished everyone a Safe and Happy Holiday Season.

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**Fire Chief Comments:**

- Sunday, December 18, 2016, Santa will be on the Fire Truck between 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. passing out candy throughout the city.

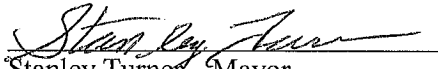
**Mayor's Comments:**

- The council meeting scheduled for December 19, 2016 is cancelled.
- Employee Lunch will be held on Friday, December 16, 2016 @ 12:00 PM.
- Expressed appreciation to Councilwoman Gearding and Councilman Herald for their years of service on council and presented each of them with a plaque.
- Announced that the two new councilmembers are Robert Arnold and Jerry Sebastian.

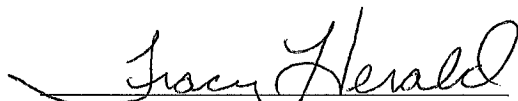
**Adjournment:**

**Upon motion of Councilwoman Gearding seconded by Councilwoman Jones to adjourn the meeting. Mayor Turner called for a vote. Motion carried unanimously.**

Meeting adjourned at 7:10 p.m. The next meeting of the Wilder City Council will be held on January 3, 2017.

  
Stanley Turner – Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Tracy Herald – City Clerk/Treasurer