

City of Fairview

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**April 1, 2010**

Ken Brison, Mayor
 Stuart L. Johnson, Vice-Mayor
 Eddie Arney, Commissioner
 Allen Bissell, Commissioner
 Toney Sutton, Commissioner
 Andrew Hyatt, City Manager
 Larry Cantrell, City Attorney
 David Mayberry, Recorder

Present: Brison, Johnson, Bissell, Sutton

Others Present: Cantrell, Lovvorn

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

A. The Prayer and Pledge to the Flag were led by Donn Lovvorn.

2. Approval of the Agenda –

A. Commissioner Bissell made a motion to approve the agenda. Vice-Mayor Johnson Seconded. All were in favor.

3. Citizen Comments – (Limited to the first five (5) citizens to sign in and a limit of three (3) minutes each).

A. Dan Kubit addressed the Board, announcing that the 7th Annual Clean-Sweep day was going to be held on April 17th. People wanting to volunteer should meet at Bank of America at 8 a.m. This event was also being combined with a food drive for Helping Hands. He also added that they would supply clean-up materials for groups that wanted to do a clean-up on any weekend, all they have to do is contact him.

4. Awards and/or Recognitions –

A. Mayor Brison welcomed Girl Scout Troop 2506, which was in attendance at tonight's meeting.

5. Public Announcements –

A. Vice-Mayor Johnson wanted to address speculation he had been hearing regarding Food Lion. He had spoken to their manager, and they were not going out of business. He also encouraged residents to shop locally when possible.

6. Approval of the Minutes –

A. The meeting minutes were deferred, as they were not ready in time for this meeting.

7. Old Business – NONE

8. New Business –

A. Discuss and/or take action on report from Tobacco-Use Policy Workshop – City Manager Hyatt distributed a proposed policy to the board for their review. This policy would be discussed and acted on at the next meeting.

- B. Discuss and/or take action on report from Public Safety Ad-Hoc Committee – Hyatt discussed the age of the fire apparatus fleet with the board, and recommended putting out for bid a new rescue truck to be delivered in July of 2011. Vice Mayor Johnson made a motion to request bids, with Commissioner Sutton seconding. All were in favor.
- C. Discuss and/or take action on change orders for new fire station – City Manager Hyatt informed the Board that the request for general condition days at the station took effect today. He wanted to get a response from Horace Spoon, the architect, before making a recommendation to the board.
- D. Approve advertising bids for a snow plow truck – City Manager Hyatt requested permission from the board to get bids on a new or used truck to be used for snow removal and dump truck work also. He added that there was not much selection on the state surplus lot right now. Vice-Mayor Johnson made a motion to accept bids, with Commissioner Sutton seconding. All were in favor.

9. City Manager Items for Discussion -

- A. Miscellaneous Updates – Hyatt informed the Board that they were doing some upgrades to the City's computer system, which was currently 7 years old. He stated that they had gotten quotes from the software provider as well as online vendors and were getting the best deal possible. He also informed the board that TDOT had sent a letter requesting the \$300,000 for the Hwy 100 project, and it would be added to the next agenda. Finally, he read some statistics from Police Chief Harris, stating that they had cut traffic accidents in half and injury accidents by 75% since November 2007.
- B. City Attorney Comments – None.

10. Communications from the Mayor and Commissioners –

- A. Commissioner Sutton agreed with Vice-Mayor Johnson about supporting local businesses. He expressed his support for Food Lion and encouraged residents to shop locally. He also noted that a new candy shop had opened at 1708 Fairview Blvd.
- B. Mayor Brison stated that he was glad the Girl Scouts came to tonight's meeting.

11. The meeting adjourned at 7:17 p.m.

Ken Brison
Mayor

David Mayberry
City Recorder