

CITY OF SPARTA
BOARD OF ALDERMEN MINUTES
REGULAR LEGISLATIVE SESSION
FEBRUARY 14, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.

The Sparta Board of Aldermen met in a Regular Legislative Session at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 14, 2023 with Mayor Jenni Davis presiding over the meeting. Aldermen attending: Alderman Jim Campbell, Alderman Tami Guerin, Alderman Jeb Buschman and Alderman Amy Hammons, Sparta Police Chief Trampus Taylor.

Visitors: Ms. Diala Brown, Ms. Misty Holt, Mr. Jeffrey Holt and Mr. Brandon Davis

I. CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Jenni Davis called the February 14, 2023 Regular Legislative Session to order at 5:59 pm

II. ROLL CALL: Mayor Jenni Davis called the roll:

Alderman Campbell	Present	Alderman Guerin	Present
Alderman Hammons	Present	Alderman Buschman	Present

III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

IV: APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS:

Alderman Campbell made a motion to approve the Regular Legislative Session Minutes of January 10, 2023 and Special Legislative Session of January 24, 2023. The motion was seconded by Alderman Guerin. Mayor Davis called the roll which passed with a vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

V. APPROVAL OF JANUARY 2023 UTILITY ADJUSTMENTS:

Alderman Guerin made a motion to approve the January 2023 Adjustments. The motion was seconded by Alderman Buschman. Mayor Davis called the roll which passed with a vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

VI: APPROVAL OF THE JANUARY 2023 FINANCIALS:

Alderman Guerin made a motion to approve the January 2023 financials. The motion was seconded by Alderman Buschman. Mayor Davis called the roll which passed with a vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

VII: PUBLIC COMMENTS: None

VIII: RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution 92 A Resolution by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Sparta, Missouri, Approving Appointments to the Sparta Park Board.

Alderman Guerin made a motion to put Resolution 92 on its first reading by title and description only. Alderman Buschman seconds the motion. Mayor Davis called roll which passed with a vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

Mayor Davis reads Resolution 92 by Title and Description only.

Alderman Buschman made a motion to put Resolution 92 on its second and final reading by title and description only. Alderman Guerin seconds the motion. Mayor Davis called roll which passed with a vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

Mayor Davis reads Resolution 92 by Title and Description only.

Alderman Buschman made a motion to put Resolution 92 on its second and final reading by title and description only. Alderman Guerin seconds the motion. Mayor Davis called roll which passed with a vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

Alderman Guerin makes a motion to adopt Resolution 92. Alderman Hammons seconds the motion. Mayor Davis called the roll which passed with a vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

Resolution 93: Resolution Expressing Support of the City of Sparta’s Application for Funds through MoDots Transportation Alternatives (TAP) Program and Authorizing the Submission of An Application Relating to the Proposed City of Sparta West State Route 14 (From Vanilla Bean to Route 125) and State Route 125 (from Millbrooke to Elementary School South Drive Entrance) Sidewalk Improvements.

Alderman Guerin made a motion to put Resolution 93 on its first reading by title and description only. Alderman Hammons seconds the motion. Mayor Davis called roll which passed with a vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

Mayor Davis reads Resolution 93 by Title and Description only.

Alderman Guerin made a motion to put Resolution 93 on its second and final reading by title and description only. Alderman Buschman seconds the motion. Mayor Davis called roll which passed with a vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
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Alderman Guerin made a motion to adopt Bill No. 23-003. Alderman Hammons seconds the motion. Mayor Davis called the roll which passed with a vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

Bill No. 23-003 Adopted.

X: CERMONIAL MATTERS: None

XI: REPORT OF OFFICERS, BOARD AND COMMITTEES:

Board of Alderman acknowledge the Police Report by Police Chief Trampus Taylor.

XII. EXISTING BUSINESS: None

XIII: NEW BUSINESS:

A. Discussion and Approval of Purchasing a Tornado Siren.

Alderman Guerin makes a motion to approve up to \$57,000 to purchase tornado sirens. Alderman Buschman seconds said motion. Mayor Davis called the role which passed with a vote of 3 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Nay	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

B. Discussion and Approval for signed Authorization of the MoDot HMV Grant.

Alderman Guerin makes a motion to approve to approve signing of the MoDOT HMV Grant. Alderman Buschman seconds said motion. Mayor Davis called the role which passed with a vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

XIV: EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Alderman Buschman makes a motion to close regular session to enter executive session pursuant to RSMo. 610.021 (3). Alderman Guerin seconds motion. Mayor Davis called roll which passed with vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

REGULAR SESSION CLOSED AT TIME: 6:36 pm

Alderman Hammons made a motion to open regular session. Alderman Campbell seconds motion. Mayor Davis called roll which passed with a vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

REGULAR SESSION OPENED AT TIME: 7:42 p.m.

XV: MISCELLANIOUS BUSINESS: None

XVI: ADJOURNMENT

Alderman Guerin made a motion to adjourn. Alderman Buschman seconds motion. Mayor Davis called roll which passed with a vote of 4 to 0.

Alderman Campbell	Aye	Alderman Guerin	Aye
Alderman Hammons	Aye	Alderman Buschman	Aye

The February 14, 2023 Regular Meeting adjourned at 7:42 p.m.

Minutes written by:
Beckie Vessar
City Clerk

Jenni Davis, Mayor

ATTEST:

Beckie Vessar, City Clerk