

**Regular Meeting  
Monday  
November 27th, 2023  
6:30p.m.**

The Regular Meeting of the Pottsville City Council was held Monday November 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023 with Mayor Randy Tankersley Presiding.

**Call to Order**

Randy Tankersley

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Invocation**

John Heflin

**Roll Call**

Council Present: Pam Scarber, Randall Blalock, Steve Williamson, Karen Carothers, John Heflin and Jessie Young

**Other Officials Present**

Mayor Randy Tankersley, City Clerk Holly Fowler and City attorney Deidre Luker

**Visitors Present**

Johnny Hart, Heith King, John Prichard, John Schaeffer Johnny Hart, Wesley Beason, and Bryan Ketchum

**Media Present**

None

**Approval of October 23rd meeting minutes**

A motion was made by John Heflin to approve the October 23rd meeting minutes. A second by Jessie Young. Motion Carried All ayes

**Head Department Presentations**

Monthly reports/ Planning and Zoning approved a variance on a fence for Jennifer Blevins at 1601 River Road for a 5ft fence and they also approved plans for a welding building for the school.

Falls Sinclair Store chairwoman Pam Scarber stated they did not have a meeting last month. She did inform the council that they would need a resolution to apply for a grant no later than January 2024.

**Old Business**

**Ordinance 2023-13(An ordinance establishing business permits fees and requirements for business operating within the Pottsville city limits, amending prior ordinances in conflict therewith, and for other purposes)**

A motion was made by Pam Scarber to have the 1<sup>st</sup> reading of ordinance 2023-13 by title only. A second by Jessie Young.

**Roll Call:**

Pam Scarber-yes

Randall Blalock-yes

Steve Williamson-yes

Karen Carothers-yes

John Heflin-yes

Jessie Young-yes

Motion Carried 6- yes

A motion was made by Karen Carothers to approve the 1<sup>st</sup> reading of Ordinance 2023-13 by title only. A second by John Heflin.

**Roll Call:**

Pam Scarber-yes

Randall Blalock-yes

Steve Williamson-yes

Karen Carothers-yes

John Heflin-yes

Jessie Young-yes

Motion Carried 6- yes

A motion was made by John Heflin to have the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> reading of ordinance 2023-13 by title only. A second by Jessie Young.

**Roll Call:**

Pam Scarber-yes

Randall Blalock-yes

Steve Williamson-yes

Karen Carothers-yes

John Heflin-yes

Jessie Young-yes

Motion Carried 6- yes

A motion was made by Karen Carothers to approve the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> reading of ordinance 2023-13 by title only. A second by Pam Scarber.

**Roll Call:**

Pam Scarber-yes

Randall Blalock-yes

Steve Williamson-yes

Karen Carothers-yes

John Heflin-yes

Jessie Young-yes

Motion Carried 6- yes

A motion was made by Karen Carothers to enact the emergency clause of ordinance 2023-13. A second by Jessie Young.

**Roll Call:**

Pam Scarber-yes

Randall Blalock-yes

Steve Williamson-yes

Karen Carothers-yes

John Heflin-yes

Jessie Young-yes

Motion Carried 6- yes

**The purchase of a side by side for the Fire Department**

Fire chief Wesley told the council that he had been told that other organizations get sponsors to help with the purchase of things like this and all agreed that it was a good idea. Wesley was told after he gets sponsorship the council would like him to come back to council at a later time in regard to this matter.

**NEW Business**

**ZR resolution 2023-2 (A resolution granting a variance from the provisions of the Pottsville City Zoning ordinance 94-03 of August 1994 to allow Jennifer Blevins at 5ft tall fence in the front of property located at 1601 River Road, Pottsville, Arkansas)**

A motion was made by Randall Blalock to approve ZR resolution 2023-2. A second by Karen Carothers.

**Roll Call:**

Pam Scarber-yes

Randall Blalock-yes

Steve Williamson-yes

Karen Carothers-yes

John Heflin-yes

Jessie Young-yes

Motion Carried 6- yes

**Setting a time and date for the 2024 Budget Work session**

All agreed to December 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.—No motion was made

**Setting a new date of December 25<sup>th</sup> meeting**

All agreed to December 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:30p.m.—No motion was made

**Mayor to inform the council on the Winter conference**

The mayor stated the dates for the winter conference was January 10-12, 2024

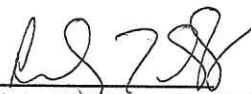
And that all that could attend in person or online have gotten with Fran and himself to register.

A motion was made by Randall Blalock to adjourn meeting. Second by John Heflin.

Motion carried      All ayes



Holly Fowler City Clerk



Randy Tankersley Mayor