

**MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING
DECEMBER 14, 2006
6:30 P.M.**

The Murray City Council met in regular session on Thursday, December 14, 2006, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall, with Mayor Rushing presiding.

Council Members Present: Robert Billington, Doris Parham, Rita Henley, J. D. Outland, Dan Miller (absent at 6:50 p.m.), Pete Lancaster, Hugh Massey, Pat Scott, Jason Pittman, Butch Seargent, and Bill Wells.

Council Members Absent: Danny Hudspeth.

Staff Present: J. L. Barnett, Don Leet, Ken Claud, Michael Skinner, Candace Dowdy, David Roberts, Thomas Clendenen, Carol Roberts, Don Rogers, Matt Mattingly, Philip Morris, Gail Mullins, Harla McClure, and Warren Hopkins.

Minutes of the council meeting held November 21, 2006, were presented for approval. **Dr. Outland moved, seconded by Mr. Scott,** to approve the minutes as written. With no discussion, Mayor Rushing called for a voice vote, which was unanimous in favor of the motion.

Mayor Rushing recognized Dr. Randy Dunn, the newly appointed President of Murray State University. Dr. Dunn stated he was excited about working together with the City on issues.

Ordinance Number 2006-1432 (first reading) an ordinance zoning as R-2 (single family residential) property located at 225 King Richard Drive was presented to the council for a first reading. Said property is owned by Dwain and Margot McIntosh. The Murray Planning Commission recommended said zoning by a vote of 9-0 based on the following findings of fact: 1) the proposed zoning is in line with the future land use map; 2) the surrounding area is zoned R-2 due to the recent southwest annexation; 3) the property owner requested R-2 zoning as the property will be used for single family residential living. **Mr. Pittman moved, seconded by Mr. Massey,** to approve said Ordinance.

With no further discussion, Mayor Rushing called for the roll call vote which is recorded as follows:

AYES: J. D. Outland, Doris Parham, Rita Henley, Hugh Massey, Pat Scott, Robert Billington, Dan Miller, Butch Seargent, Jason Pittman, Pete Lancaster, and Bill Wells.

NAYS: None.

Mayor Rushing declared Ordinance-Number 2006-1432 approved on a first reading.

Ordinance Number 2006-1433 (first reading) an ordinance zoning the proposed annexation of an 11.002 acre tract of land located on Gibbs Store Road be zoned R-2 (single

family residential) was presented to the council on a first reading. Said property is owned by Sean and Huong Kelly and consists of 10.647 acres with a 0.355 acre right-of-way. The Planning Commission recommended said zoning by a vote of 9-0 based on the following findings of fact: 1) the proposed zoning is in line with the future land use map; 2) the adjacent property, which is in the city limits, is zoned R-2 due to the recent southwest annexation; 3) the subdivision located to the north and south, which are in the county, are single family residential in nature; 4) the property owner requested R-2 zoning as the property will be used for single family residential living. **Mr. Billington moved, seconded by Mr. Pittman** to approve said Ordinance.

With no discussion, Mayor Rushing called for the roll call vote which is recorded as follows:

AYES: J. D. Outland, Doris Parham, Rita Henley, Hugh Massey, Pat Scott, Robert Billington, Dan Miller, Butch Seargent, Jason Pittman, Pete Lancaster, and Bill Wells.

NAYS: None.

Mayor Rushing declared Ordinance Number 2006-1430 approved on a first reading.

Mayor Rushing recognized Hugh Massey and requested that he provide a report from the public works committee meeting. Mr. Massey stated the committee met to discuss bids for curbside containers.

Mr. Massey stated the committee received one bid from Ameri-Kart. **Mr. Massey moved, as unanimously recommended by the Public Works Committee**, to accept the bid from Ameri-Kart in the amount of \$52.18 each for curbside containers. **Dr. Miller seconded the motion.** With no further discussion, Mayor Rushing called for the voice vote which was unanimous in favor of the motion. He stated that approximately 120 containers will be purchased.

Mayor Rushing recognized Don Leet, Finance Director, and thanked him for his service to the City for the past 29 years.

Mayor Rushing then recognized the council members who would be leaving – Doris Parham, Rita Henley, and Hugh Massey. He presented them each with a plaque to show the City's appreciation of their service.

With no further business to come before the council, the meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

H. Thomas Rushing, Mayor

Attest:

Harla McClure, City Clerk