MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL

November 9, 2023 6:30 P.M.

The Murray City Council met in a special-called session on Thursday, November 9, 2023, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall with Mayor Bob Rogers presiding.

Council Members Present: Mr. Bell, Mr. Bohannon, Mr. Bolin, Ms. Cherry, Mr. Darnall, Dr. Higginson, Mr. McCuiston, Ms. Ross, Ms. Rouse, and Dr. Strieter.

Council Members Absent: Mr. Hudspeth and Mr. Roberts

Staff Present: Jim Osborne, Assistant Chief Cooper, Dannetta Clayton, James Oakley, Marisa Stewart, Warren Hopkins, Rakov Aetherus, and Kim Miles.

Mayor Bob Rogers called the meeting to order and welcomed Council members, staff, and guests.

After a moment of reflection, Mr. Bell led the pledge.

The minutes of the Council meeting of October 23, 2023, were presented for approval.

Mr. Bell moved for approval of the minutes; seconded by Mr. Darnall. All members present voted Aye.

<u>Mayor's Report</u> Mayor Rogers stated leaf pickup routes are scheduled. Mayor Rogers encouraged the public to monitor the website for any updates or changes.

Mayor Rogers reminded everyone the next Council meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 21 due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

Street paving has started. They are currently working on Doran Road and over the next few weeks they will be working on the fall paving list, which includes several streets.

Fourth Street resurfacing will begin. This street has required the most maintenance over the years. Completion of Fourth Street is expected in late January 2024.

<u>Transportation Committee Report</u> Mr. Bohannon stated the committee had parking issues to discuss, and instructed Mr. Oakley to review these issues with the Council. Mr. Oakley stated on North 6Th Street, north of Olive Street, on the west side of the street, approximately 100 feet from the intersection was a No Parking sign. It is not needed at this location. Streets similar to this does not have this signage. Mr. Oakley stated the Safety Committee recommended moving the sign south, 30 feet from the stop sign. This would be a better location. The Transportation Committee voted unanimously to relocate the sign.

Mr. Bohannon made a motion to approve; seconded by Mr. Bell. All members present voted Aye.

Mr. Oakley stated Bambi Lane located off Robertson Road, has allowed parking on both sides of the road, which is hazardous. Mr. Oakley stated there was a recent incident, which prevented fire

trucks from getting to a structure that was a blaze. The Transportation Committee voted unanimously to place No Parking signs on the Southside of Bambi Lane from the start to the end.

Mr. Bohannon made a motion to approve; seconded by Dr. Higginson. All members present voted Aye.

Mr. Oakley announced his department is hosting a hazardous waste home pickup day on November 18. You may contact him with questions on how this will operate and what is allowed for pickup.

<u>Public Works Committee Report</u> Mayor Rogers recognized Mr. McCuiston who stated the committee met prior to Council to discuss a bid to relocate gas lines located on 121 South. Marisa Stewart reviewed the plans for the relocation and stated this is fully refundable by the state because the state is widening the bridge on 121 South at Clayton Creek.

Mr. McCuiston made a motion to approve; seconded by Mr. Bolin. All members present voted Aye.

<u>Resolution 2023-015</u> a resolution accepting the frontage road, known as One Paschall Way, which is situated at the southeast intersection of US HWY 641 North and Max Hurt Drive, into the City's regular maintenance schedule.

Mr. Bohannon made a motion to approve; seconded by Mr. Bell. All members present voted Aye.

Consent Agenda

- a) Municipal Order 2023-040 appointing Dr. Dan Miller to the BZA for a term of 4 years. Said term to expire 11/13/2027.
- b) Municipal Order 2023-041 reappointing Mignon Rutledge to the Human Rights Commission for a term of three years. Said term to expire 11/13/2026.
- c) Municipal Order 2023-042 reappointing Bobby Martin to the Senior Citizens Board for a one-year term. Said term to expire 11/20/2024.
- d) Municipal Order 2023-043 reappointing David Pizzo to the Architectural Review Board for a term of three years. Said term to expire 11/21/2026.
- e) Municipal Order 2023-044 reappointing Pete Lancaster to the Code Enforcement Board for a three-year term. Said term to expire 11/14/2026.

Mr. Bell made a motion to approve; seconded by Mr. Darnall. All members present voted Aye.

With no other business before the Council, Mr. Bell moved to adjourn; seconded by Ms. Ross. All members present voted Aye. The meeting adjourned at 6:13 P.M.

Bob Rogers, Mayor

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Kim Miles, City Clerk