

MINUTES OF THE WYNNE CITY COUNCIL  
September 10, 2019

The Wynne City Council met in Council Chambers in City Hall on September 10, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. with Mayor JENNIFER HOBBS presiding. The roll was called, and the following councilpersons answered to their names: CHARLES HAMRICK, GLEN HIRONS, KENNETH LOFTON, LESTER MILLER, MIKE HAMRICK, BUCK MORRIS, FREDDIE SMITH, LISA CARTER, and BILLY FOWLER; a quorum was declared. JASON NICHOLS was absent. City Clerk, Kevin Watts, and City Attorney, Kathleen Talbott, were also present.

On the motion of Councilperson Hirons and seconded by Councilperson Morris, and by consent of all Members present, the minutes of a regular council meeting held on August 13, 2019 were approved, accepted, and filed as prepared by the City Clerk.

Jerry Brewster, Director of Public Works, Lynn Blake, Fire Chief, Jackie Clark, Police Chief, Blake Marrotti, Wynne Water, and Jennifer Hobbs, Mayor all gave oral monthly reports. On the motion of Councilperson Lofton and seconded by Councilperson M. Hamrick, and by consent of all members present, the department reports presented were approved and accepted.

The First item of business, the Council reviewed a report on mosquito control sent to them by Vector Disease Control.

For the Second item of business, Entegrity Solar addressed the Council to speak about the benefits of solar power and the process involved if the City of Wynne was to add solar power.

For the Third item of business, Charles Parchman addressed the Council to ensure that his food trailer would not violate any city ordinances.

For the Fourth item of business, Mayor Hobbs presented and read in its entirety Resolution No. 09 10 2019 B, "A Resolution of the City Council for the City of Wynne to Amend the August 13, 2019 Personnel Policies and Practices Manual for the City of Wynne." After further discussion, On the motion of Councilperson Hirons and seconded by Councilperson C. Hamrick, and by consent of all Members present, Resolution No. 09-10-2019B. was approved.

For the Fifth item of business, Mayor Hobbs presented and read in its entirety Ordinance No. 827 "AN ORDINANCE REPEALING CERTAIN SECTIONS OF ORDINANCE NO. 824; AND FOR AN EMERGENCY TO BE DECLARED." After further discussion, Councilperson M. Hamrick with a second from Councilperson Smith made a motion to suspend the rule requiring an ordinance be read on the three different days. The following vote carried the motion:

C. Hamrick – aye	M. Hamrick – aye	Hirons – aye	Carter – aye
Lofton – aye	Morris – aye	Smith – aye	Miller – aye
Fowler – aye			

Councilperson Hirons with a second from Councilperson M. Hamrick made a motion to adopt Ordinance No. 827. The following motion carried the vote:

C. Hamrick – aye	M. Hamrick – aye	Hirons – aye	Carter – aye
Lofton – aye	Morris – aye	Smith – aye	Miller – aye
Fowler – aye			

Mayor Hobbs declared Ordinance No. 827 adopted.

Councilperson M. Hamrick with a second from Councilperson C. Hamrick made a motion for the emergency clause. The following vote carried the motion:

C. Hamrick – aye	M. Hamrick – aye	Hirons – aye	Carter – aye
Lofton – aye	Morris – aye	Smith – aye	Miller – aye
Fowler – aye			

For the Sixth item of business, Mayor Hobbs presented and read in its entirety Ordinance No. 828 “AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 823; AND FOR AN EMERGENCY TO BE DECLARED.” After further discussion, Councilperson Smith with a second from Councilperson Lofton made a motion to suspend the rule requiring an ordinance be read on the three different days. The following vote carried the motion:

C. Hamrick – aye	M. Hamrick – aye	Hirons – aye	Carter – aye
Lofton – aye	Morris – aye	Smith – aye	Miller – aye
Fowler – aye			

Councilperson Hirons with a second from Councilperson C. Hamrick made a motion to adopt Ordinance No. 828. The following motion carried the vote:

C. Hamrick – aye	M. Hamrick – aye	Hirons – aye	Carter – aye
Lofton – aye	Morris – aye	Smith – aye	Miller – aye
Fowler – aye			

Mayor Hobbs declared Ordinance No. 828 adopted.

Councilperson M. Hamrick with a second from Councilperson Smith made a motion for the emergency clause. The following vote carried the motion:

C. Hamrick – aye	M. Hamrick – aye	Hirons – aye	Carter – aye
Lofton – aye	Morris – aye	Smith – aye	Miller – aye
Fowler – aye			

For the Seventh item of business, Mayor Hobbs presented and read in its entirety Ordinance No. 829 “AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE REQUIREMENT FOR CITIZENS TO OBEY PARK RULES; AND FOR AN EMERGENCY TO BE DELCARED.” After further discussion, Councilperson Smith with a second from Councilperson Hirons made a motion to suspend the rule requiring an ordinance be read on the three different days. The following vote carried the motion:

C. Hamrick – aye	M. Hamrick – aye	Hirons – aye	Carter – aye
Lofton – aye	Morris – aye	Smith – aye	Miller – aye
Fowler – aye			

Councilperson Lofton with a second from Councilperson Fowler made a motion to adopt Ordinance No. 829. The following motion carried the vote:

C. Hamrick – aye	M. Hamrick – aye	Hirons – aye	Carter – aye
Lofton – aye	Morris – aye	Smith – aye	Miller – aye
Fowler – aye			

Mayor Hobbs declared Ordinance No. 829 adopted.

Councilperson Hirons with a second from Councilperson Lofton made a motion for the emergency clause. The following vote carried the motion:

C. Hamrick – aye	M. Hamrick – aye	Hirons – aye	Carter – aye
Lofton – aye	Morris – aye	Smith – aye	Miller – aye
Fowler – aye			

For the Eighth item of business, Mayor Hobbs, proclaimed that October 4, 2019 would be declared “Go Pink Day.”

With no further business before council and upon motion and second, the meeting adjourned.

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Jennifer Hobbs, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Kevin Watts, City Clerk