

MINUTES OF THE WYNNE CITY COUNCIL
May 7, 2024

The Wynne City Council met at Wynne City Hall on May 7, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. with Mayor JENNIFER HOBBS presiding. The roll was called, and the following councilpersons answered to their names: CHARLES HAMRICK, LISA CARTER, BILLY FOWLER, JASON NICHOLS, KENNETH LOFTON, STEVIE NELSON, LESTER MILLER, JOSHUA WYATT, and BUCK MORRIS; a quorum was declared. Councilperson TYLER WAYMIRE was not in attendance. City Clerk, Emily Watts, was present. City Attorney, Kevin A. Watts, was present.

On the motion of Councilperson Morris and seconded by Councilperson Miller and by consent of all Members present, the minutes of a regular council meeting held on April 9, 2024 were approved, accepted, and filed as prepared by the City Clerk.

Zach Morris, Parks & Recreation, Kory Ward, Wynne Fire Department, Jeff Hood, Public Works, Richard Dennis, Wynne Police Department, and Jennifer Hobbs, Mayor all provided monthly reports. On the motion of Councilperson Morris and seconded by Councilperson Wyatt, and by consent of all members present, the department reports presented were approved and accepted.

For the First item of business, Mayor Hobbs presented certificates to Wynne Police Officers and Wynne Firefighters to recognize them for outstanding response on April 13, 2024.

For the Second item of business, Mayor Hobbs asked for Council approval to burn outdated documents. After further discussion, on the motion of Councilperson Lofton, second by Councilperson Carter, and by consent of all members present, the burning of outdated documents was approved.

For the Third item of business, Mayor Hobbs presented and read in its entirety Resolution 05-07-24, "A RESOLUTION TO CONTRACT WITH AND BUY REAL PROPERTY FROM FIRST FINANCIAL BANK." After further discussion, on the motion of Councilperson Morris, second by Councilperson Miller, and by consent of all members present, Resolution 05-07-24 was approved and accepted.

For the Fourth item of business, Mayor Hobbs brought up the topic of E. U. Deshay park upgrades. Councilperson Lofton, with a second from Councilperson Nelson made a motion to table further discussion of E. U. Deshay Park upgrades until the September 2024 meeting. The following vote carried the motion:

Miller – aye	Nelson – aye	Fowler – aye	Hamrick – aye
Wyatt – aye	Carter – aye	Lofton – aye	
Morris – aye	Nichols – aye		

With no further business before the council and upon motion by Councilperson Wyatt, second by Councilperson Morris, and consent of all, the meeting adjourned.


Jennifer Hobbs, Mayor

ATTEST:

Emily N. Watts, City Clerk