# MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHIVELY HELD IN THE NEWMAN MEMORIAL BUILDING 3920 DIXIE HIGHWAY, SHIVELY, KENTUCKY MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2025, 6:45PM

Maria Johnson, Mayor, opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

# **ROLL CALL:**

Present:

Absent:

Council Member Ms. Burton-McBroom

Council Member Mr. Gibson

Council Member Ms. Gibson

Council Member Ms. Wakaba

Council Member Ms. Thompson

Council Member Mr. Vincent

# **COUNCIL REPORTS:**

**Ms. Burton-McBroom**, I have a travel request for Brandon Bolton, training in Richmond KY, estimated cost, \$150.00. Motion by Ms. Thompson, second by Ms. Gibson.

#### ROLL CALL:

Ms. Burton-McBroom - yes

Mr. Gibson - absent

Ms. Gibson - yes

Ms. Thompson – yes

Mr. Vincent - yes

Ms. Wakaba - absent

You sent us message that the sidewalk project on Crums Lane had started. I would like to thank state representative Beverly Chester-Burton for advocating for the sidewalk project on Crums Lane, a state road. My son goes to Schaffner, and I remember walking him to school sometimes and I would see the sidewalks messed up. I reached out to Steve asking if funds were available was told it was a state road. I reached out to the state rep; she reminded me that she had submitted this project when she was mayor for Shively. That prompted her to reach out to state representative, Ken Upchurch, co-chair for state transportation, he recommended speaking with director, Andy Rush with KIPDA, the project got pushed by her advocating for Shively. There is a list of all street projects for District 44 that the state will be doing. I would like to know how the project is funded.

Mayor Johnson, Louisville is funding the project. When I came on, at the forum in January, Louisville said they are doing it due to all the accidents and fatalities on Crums Lane. It was in the works to redo Crums Lane. Crums Lane was the project that they were working on, at the forum they said would start in 2026.

I would like an update on the ordinance being created about smoke shops in our city?

Finn Cato, I met with Joe Haberman and Joel Dock, Office of Planning in Louisville Metro, regarding the ordinance. I am waiting for documents from them to move forward.

Mr. Gibson, absent.

Ms. Gibson, remember the Data center meetings are going on, they added an new additional meeting at the Jeffersonian, Wednesday the 12<sup>th</sup>. The meetings are still going on, go out and learn what they are about.

Also, I wanted to mention again Ms. Wakaba and I are talking about doing a one-day food collection drive, considering the SNAP situation going on. If anyone wants to be part of it, see me.

Ms. Thompson, I would like an update on the splash pad, will it be finished this year, will the road be torn up to install the water line?

Mr. Lingerfelt, public works director, it is under construction, the water meter still needs to be installed by the water company. The water main runs parallel to the road, I do not think the road will be affected by the installation.

Ms. Thompson to Finn, I noticed that all the fines have been increased.

Finn Cato, not yet, the ordinance was created by speaking with Ms. Wakaba and Ms. Gibson. The current fine schedule was set in 2016, the first offense \$100.00, the second offense doubles to \$200.00, the third offense doubles to \$400, the maximum is set at \$1,000.00. The proposed ordinance before you, if passed by the council, will have the first offense as \$250.00, double to \$500.00 on the second offense, and then double on the next offense, the maximum would remain \$1000.00.

I would like to make a motion for the council to receive the agenda with accompanying documents on Wednesday prior to our meetings. I would like more time to look over the agenda items, to ask questions, to research, and collaborate with each other. Second by Ms. Gibson.

## **ROLL CALL:**

Ms. Burton-McBroom - yes

Mr. Gibson - absent

Ms. Gibson - yes

Ms. Thompson - yes

Mr. Vincent - yes

Ms. Wakaba - absent

I sat in the code meeting today; there were 17 citations heard tonight in the meeting.

Mr. Vincent, who will be maintaining the filtration system at the splash park?

Steve Lingerfelt, I am sure we will learn how to do that from the installation company.

Ms. Wakaba, absent.

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion was made by Ms. Burton-McBroom to approve the minutes. Second by Mr. Vincent.

# **ROLL CALL:**

Ms. Burton-McBroom - yes

Mr. Gibson – absent

Ms. Gibson - yes

Ms. Thompson – yes

Mr. Vincent - yes

Ms. Wakaba - absent

**OLD BUSINESS: None** 

# **NEW BUSINESS:**

**BILLS OVER \$500.00** 

MUNICIPAL ORDER #8 – HIRING POLICE OFFICER, BRAYDEN BOLTON Introduced by Mr. Vincent. Motion by Ms. Burton-McBroom, seconded by Mr. Vincent.

## **ROLL CALL:**

Ms. Burton-McBroom - yes Mr. Gibson - absent Ms. Gibson - yes Ms. Thompson - yes Mr. Vincent - yes Ms. Wakaba - absent FIRST READING ORD. NO. 12, SERIES 2025 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SHIVELY CODIFIED ORDINANCE CHAPTER 41 (AMENDED ORDINANCE. NO. 7, SERIES 2016) PROVIDING FOR CHANGES IN CIVIL FINE SCHEDULE FOR ORDINANCE VIOLATIONS TO BE ENFORCED BY THE CODE ENFORCEMENT BOARD FOR THE CITY OF SHIVELY INTRODUCED BY MS. GIBSON.

FIRST READING ORD. NO. 13, SERIES 2025 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SHIVELY CODIFIED ORDINANCE CHAPTER 41 (AMENDED ORDINANCE. NO. 8, SERIES 2016) PROVIDING FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF CERTAIN ORDINANCES BY THE SHIVELY CODE ENFORCEMENT BOARD AND FURTHER PROVIDING FOR CHANGES IN FINES TO BE ENFORCED BY THE CODE ENFORCEMENT BOARD FOR THE CITY OF SHIVELY INTRODUCED BY MS. WAKABA.

#### ADIOURN:

There being no further business to come before the council, motion by Ms. Burton-McBroom, second by Mr. Vincent to adjourn the meeting.

All in favor signify by saying aye. Those opposed, no. Ayes have it, so ordered. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:42p.m.

Maria D. Johnson, Mayor

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Attest: Mitzi R Kasitz Clerk