

City of Woodson Terrace Missouri

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CALL TO ORDER	A meeting of the Board of Alderman of the City of Woodson Terrace took place on Thursday, January 18, 2024 in the Board Chambers. Notice of the meeting was placed on the bulletin board, website, and social media.
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE	Alderman Joan Willey presided and called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.
	Alderman Willey led the Pledge of Allegiance.
ROLL CALL	Alderman PresentNot PresentDonna ConlonIsaac ErpenbachIsaac ErpenbachCaroline MartinBob McCabeMaryanne Zaiz
	Following roll call, City Clerk Ellie Crane reported a quorum was present. Also present: City Administrator Doug Zaiz, Chief Dominic Orlando, Deputy Director of Public Works Doug Hill, City Collector Sarah Piel.
APPROVAL OF MINUTES –	Alderman Willey asked for a motion to approve the minutes from December 14, 2023.
	Alderman Zaiz made the motion, seconded by Alderman Erpenbach. Donna Conlon Isaac Erpenbach Caroline Martin Bob McCabe Maryanne Zaiz
PAYMENT OF BILLS	Alderman Willey asked for a motion to approve payment of the bills. Alderman Erpenbach made the motion, seconded by Alderman Zaiz. Donna Conlon Isaac Erpenbach Caroline Martin Bob McCabe Maryanne Zaiz
OPEN FORUM FOR RESIDENTS	Brad Thomas, from Ritenour School Board, appeared. He shared that the Board of Education was having a dinner/open house to visit the Ritenour Co-Care Pantry.
REPORT OF OFFICERS Chief of Police	All were welcome to attend. It is Thursday, February 1, at 6pm.He also shared that the district received a 9.6 MILLION dollar grant for electric buses. This will replace their whole fleet. They will keep a few diesel for emergencies.Chief Orlando stated that the Task Force went out and made 2 arrests for drug and weapon offenses.They are moving the Speed trailer around to get data on when and where they need enforcement. Its currently at the 9400 block of Harold.



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City Administrator	He and Lt Wactor spoke with someone from the St. Louis County Command Center regarding a building being a designated cooling/warming shelter. Once designated, the Red Cross would handle all items including food and water. In the event of an outage, they can have Ameren hook up emergency power within a few hours. They are also having Neighborhood watch Feb 29 at the Community Center.
	City Administrator Doug Zaiz the City is considering a new Comprehensive Plan. The election board would like to use the Community Center instead of the Town Hall. Mayor Besmer is doing well.
Collector	City Collector Sarah Piel read the Collectors Report into the Record. It is on file at City Hall.
City Clerk/Court Clerk	City Clerk Ellie Crane stated that the Municipal Court brought in \$4,800 in December.
Alderman Comments	Alderman Martin offered continued prayers for Mayor Besmer.
Report of Committees	Alderman Zaiz reported that the City is in bid process for street repairs. The pool is leaking, and will also need to be painted this year.
Public Works	
Parks and Special Projects	Alderman Willey reported that the Craft Club will start back up in February. They meet first and third Tuesday of the month. The Senior group had 26 members for January. She also announced the winners of the Holiday light contest, and thanked City Staff for their hard work in getting prizes and pictures.
Veteran's Committee	Alderman Martin thanked the Police and their families, as well as Mann Meats, for the Christmas Toys4Tots parade. They all enjoy doing it, and to see the kids faces makes it all worthwhile.
	With nothing further, the Board adjourned at 7:40 PM.
	Ellie Crane – City Clerk Greg Mills- President of the Board