

CITY OF TAYLORSVILLE
REGULAR CALLED MEETING
OF THE TAYLORSVILLE CITY COMMISSION
SEPTEMBER 23, 2025 @ 5:00 P.M.

Mayor Karen Spencer called to order the regular meeting of the Taylorsville City Commission at 5:00 p.m. Mayor Spencer then welcomed those in attendance followed with a prayer by Commissioner Bell. Roll call of the Commission revealed the following:

Roy Bell – Present

Diana Hilbert – Present

Karen Spencer – Present

Courtney Bentley – Present

Kathy Spears – Present

Employees present – Marcia Finley, Keith Waldrige, Stacey Crenshaw and Robert Myles.

Agenda. Mayor Spencer made a motion to approve the agenda as presented, seconded by Commissioner Hilbert with all ayes being cast.

Minutes. Commissioner Hilbert made a motion to approve the minutes for September 8th, 9th, 12th, 16th and 17th, as presented, seconded by Mayor Spencer with all ayes being cast.

Reports. A. Sisler-Maggard Engineers – Joe Sisler reported on Contract #30 Levee saying everything is ready to go to Corp. Mr. Sisler also reported on Contract #24 SR 44 saying work has already begun and Contract #31 Southville Pike, they had a bid opening with 5 bidders and suggested the lowest bid of \$812,000 from Bobby Luttrell and Sons to be awarded. ***Mayor Spencer made a motion to award to the lowest bidder, Bobby Luttrell and Sons, seconded by Commissioner Bentley with all ayes being cast. Motion Carried with a 5-0 vote.***

Animal Aid. This was tabled with no action taken.

Organizational Chart. This was tabled with no action taken.

Taylorsville Trail/Sidewalk. This was tabled with no action taken.

Relocate Meetings. The City Commission Meetings will be held at the County Extension Office during mold remediation. The meetings have been arranged for the months of October and November for their regular meeting dates. City Attorney, Robert Myles, reminded everyone that with a change in location, the meetings will now be Special Called meetings. ~~There was also a discussion about not being able to do video teleconferencing during this time. It was noted that due to a prior vote of the Commission, there will only be video teleconferencing when a Commissioner or Mayor cannot attend in person.~~

Employee Appreciation Picnic. After a brief discussion it was decided there will be no picnic this year.

Retirement Meal. There will be a retirement meal for Public Works Director, Harold Compton, on Sunday, October 12th, 2025, at 2:00 p.m. at the County Extension Office.

Christmas Trees. There was a discussion about taking donations for new Christmas Trees. Mayor Spencer mentioned Olympic Christmas trees at a cost of \$4,000 each. Mayor Spencer showed a picture of one that the City of Owensboro has. There was another discussion about decorations for the tree and how much it would cost. No action taken.

Mark Anthony Armstrong. There was a discussion about putting a sign on the wastewater treatment plant in honor of Mr. Armstrong. Commissioner Spears said she would get estimates.

Veteran's Donation. After a brief discussion the Commission decided since they had already approved of \$2,000 at a previous meeting, they would go ahead and send them \$2,000 now and then find out from John Harris, Comptroller, if there is enough money to give them and extra \$3,000 since they changed the amount of their request.

Special Event Permit. Police Chief, Brian Sumner had left a copy of a Special Event Permit for the Main Street Committee to close Main Street on December 13th from 4:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. for their Christmas on Main event. ***Commissioner Hilbert made a motion to approve the permit, seconded by Commissioner Bentley with all ayes being cast. Motion carried with a 5-0 vote.***

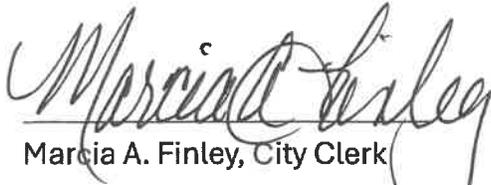
Main Street. Beverly Ingram and Terry Vaughn discussed their plans for Main Street, including solar lighting for the bridge and a clock tower with nameplates with veterans' names. There was also a discussion about some places that have not been mowed and taken care of. City Clerk, Marcia Finley was asked to look at the contract for Tammy's Creations to see if she is in violation of her contract.

Executive Session. ***Mayor Spencer made a motion to enter executive session for personnel issues, seconded by Commissioner Spears with all ayes being cast.***

Open Session. ***Mayor Spencer made a motion to come back to open session, seconded by Commissioner Spears with all ayes being cast.***

Action Taken. ***Mayor Spencer made a motion to interview Cliff Brown on Wednesday, September 24, 2025, at 7:00 p.m. and to allow another \$2,000 for the purchase of police vehicles, seconded by Commissioner Spears with all ayes being cast.***

Adjournment. This concluding the business of the meeting, ***Mayor Spencer made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Commissioner Bentley with all ayes being cast.***


Marcia A. Finley, City Clerk


Karen Spencer, Mayor