

**Council Meeting
November 2, 2009
7:00 P.M.**

The Mayor and Council of the City of Maysville met on Monday, November 2, 2009, 7:00 P.M. at the Maysville Library.

PRESENT: Mayor Jerry Baker, Councilmember's Clay Dorsey, Rebecca McNeely, Lynn Villyard, Stephan Lewis, City Clerk Barbara Thomas, City Attorney Jody Colley.

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE:

Mayor Baker opened the meeting with the invocation and pledge of allegiance to the flag. The invocation was given by Mayor Pro Temp Clay Dorsey.

OLD BUSINESS:

City Attorney Jody Cooley stated that a referendum is not required by statute. It will depend on your local delegation Representative Tommy Benton.

Pg. 21, of the City Charter was discussed regarding the staggered terms of office. Mr. Colley reported that legally the terms of office can be changed to reflect that the Mayor and four Councilmember's seats be up for re-election in 2011. The terms will carry forward with Ward 1 and 3 terms being for two years, which will end in 2013. Mayor, Ward 2 and Ward 4 will be four year terms which will end in 2015. After that the staggered terms will begin every two years. This was approved upon a motion made by Councilmember Stephan Lewis, seconded by Lynn Villyard. Motion carried.

Mr. Cooley contacted the attorney for the Maysville Family Practice to let him know that the Council is not interested in selling the property. A report will be brought back before the Council at next Council Meeting.

Mr. Cooley stated that the statute requires the Council to appoint members to the DDA.

New Business:

Councilmember Clay Dorsey stated that the Maysville Tour of Homes has requested December 19, 2009, 5-8 P.M. as the designated date for this year's tour. A motion was made by Councilmember Clay Dorsey, seconded by Lynn Villyard to approve these dates as presented. Motion carried.

The police department has applied for a \$9,000.00 grant. A Public Hearing has been set for November 17, 2009, 6:00 P.M... During this time the public will have a chance to comment and ask questions about the grant. The date and time of the public hearing was approved upon a motion made by Councilmember Stephan Lewis, seconded by Lynn Villyard. Motion carried.

The Council approved a yard sale for the Maysville Library. All unused Christmas decorations will be sold to help raise money for the restoration of the World War II books and the purchase of DVD's. This was approved upon a motion made by Stephan Lewis, seconded by Clay Dorsey. Motion carried.

Public Input:

Gary and Brandy Freeman stated that the city trespassed and caused damage to their property behind the city hall. Mayor Jerry Baker stated that he would begin the cleanup process immediately and put it back to their satisfaction.

Gary Freeman stated that he would like to make one suggestion on the city charter. You should re-title the name of the town "City of Maysville Baptist Church" and all of you; (Mayor and Council) should be in an advisory position with the pastor of the church as emperor of the town.

A motion was made by Councilmember Clay Dorsey, seconded by Stephan Lewis to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:51 p.m.

Barbara Thomas
Certified by:

January 4, 2010
Date