

City of Centerville City Council Meeting on February 5, 2025

The Centerville City Council met for their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, February 5, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. in the Municipal Building Meeting Room. Council members present were Charlie Shafer, Michael Cannain, Rebecca Smith and Wendy Baldwin. Bobby Walters was not in attendance. Mayor Noal Ray Goolsby called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and a quorum was established.

Public Comments: N/A

Charlie Shafer made a motion to approve the January 8, 2025 regular meeting minutes as presented. Michael Cannain gave the second to this motion. Motion carried 4 ayes 0 noes and 1 absent

A Resolution was shown again, (this was also presented at the 1/8/2025 meeting) to the Mayor and City Council members. The Resolution is for the Leon County Sheriff's Office to apply for Senate Bill funds in order to install a FLOCK Automated License Plate Reader Camera System in the city limits. Keith Cook, the County attorney, was in attendance to answer what questions he could, from the City Council. Charlie Shafer raised the first motion approving the Resolution, ONLY if the County could produce documentation stating that the City of Centerville would not be responsible for any future financial fees and also, stating that the City of Centerville would not be held accountable for any future maintenance or upkeep in regards to the FLOCK License Plate Reader Camera System. A second motion came from Michael Cannain. Motion carried 4 ayes 0 noes and 1 absent

Charlie Shafer volunteered the first motion approving an Oncor Resolution authorizing continued participation with the Oncor Cities Steering Committee and authorizing payment of eleven cents (.11) per capita; (905 X .11= \$99.55). Wendy Baldwin delivered a second motion. Motion carried 4 ayes 0 noes and 1 absent

Rebecca Smith supplied the first motion proclaiming April as Fair Housing Month: *This Proclamation will help fulfill Fair Housing activity obligations as required by the TxCDBG Project #CDV23-0060.* Wendy Baldwin followed with a second motion. Motion carried 4 ayes 0 noes and 1 absent

Charlie Shafer furnished the first motion approving a Resolution adopting required Community Development Block Grant Civil Rights Policies. Rebecca Smith agreed to a second motion. Motion carried 4 ayes 0 noes and 1 absent

Mrs. Parnell was present. She and her husband Mr. David Parnell, live at 305 Asby Lane. She wanted to address the Mayor and City Council about some issues with their road on Asby Lane. She would like the City to maintain or help finance the maintenance of the road in the future. Mayor Goolsby explained to Mrs. Parnell that anyone who shared ownership of the road would have to pay to have 40 feet, on each side of the road, (starting from the center of the road) surveyed off and designated to the City of Centerville because currently Asby Lane is a private road. Mrs. Parnell said she would speak with her neighbors to see if they could possibly come to an agreement on what to do in regards to this issue. There was no action taken at this time.

Rebecca Smith provided the first motion approving the ordering of the May 3, 2025 Election for the positions of three City Council members. Michael Cannain presented the second motion. Motion carried 4 ayes 0 noes and 1 absent

Motion to approve employee time sheets for the month of January 2025 was furnished by Michael Cannain. Second to this motion came from Charlie Shafer. Motion carried 4 ayes 0 noes and 1 absent

Motion to pay the bills was first given by Charlie Shafer and was then seconded by Michael Cannain. Motion carried 4 ayes 0 noes and 1 absent

Motion to adjourn at 7:58 p.m. was given by Wendy Baldwin and seconded by Rebecca Smith. Motion carried 4 ayes 0 noes and 1 absent



Teresa Bates, City Secretary



Noal Ray Goolsby, Mayor