

November 28, 2022

The Lenoir City Council met in its regularly scheduled meeting at 6:00 P.M. on Monday, November 28, 2022. Mayor Tony Aikens and the following Council Members were present: Helene, Hines, Wampler, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson. James W. Wilburn, III., Amber Scott Kelso, LaVonne Barbour, and Walter Johnson were also present.

A motion was made by Shields and seconded by Brandon to approve the minutes of the November 14, 2022 meeting. The following vote was recorded: Henline, Hines, Wampler, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**.

Mayor Aikens asked for comments from citizens regarding an item/items on the agenda.

Mayor Aikens presented a congratulatory plaque to Councilman Hines for his many years of service on Lenoir City Council, and many other echoed their positive comments to Councilman Hines.

Mayor Aikens requested adding an item to the agenda to approve contract with Stansell Electric Company, Inc. for Traffic Signal Maintenance. A motion was made by Wampler and seconded by Brandon to add the item to the Agenda as Item #2. The following vote was recorded: Henline, Hines, Wampler, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**.

A motion was made by Shields and seconded by Brandon to approve closure of Broadway from C Street to Pike Street on Thursday, December 1, 2022 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM for the Christmas Parade. The following vote was recorded: Henline, Hines, Wampler, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**.

A motion was made by Simpson and seconded by Henline to approve contract with Stansell Electric Company, Inc. for maintenance of the traffic signals. The following vote was recorded: Henline, Hines, Wampler, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**.


The City Administrator shared that the Christmas Tree Lighting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 29, 2022 at 6:00 PM at Central Park, and the Christmas Parade is scheduled for Thursday, December 1, 2022 at 6:30 PM.

Mayor Aikens asked for comments from citizens regarding an item/items not on the agenda.

A motion was made by Wampler and seconded by Henline to approve all bills and accounts to be paid when properly approved and funds available. The following vote was recorded: Henline, Hines, Wampler, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**.

A motion was made by Henline and seconded by Shields to adjourn the November 28, 2022 meeting. The following vote was recorded: Henline, Hines, Wampler, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**.

  
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Tony R. Aikens, Mayor

  
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James W. Wilburn, III., Recorder-Treasurer

## OATHS OF OFFICE

Judge Harrison administered the Oaths of Office to Councilmembers: James Brandon, Todd Kennedy, and Jim Shields.

Judge Harrison administered the Oaths of Office to School Board Members: Christopher Clabough and Laci Murray.

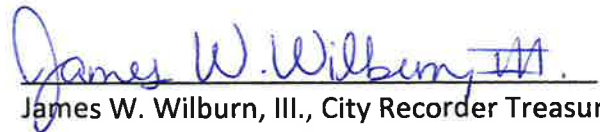
Mayor Aikens called the City Council Meeting for Monday, November 28, 2022 to order. The following Councilmembers were present: Henline, Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson.

A motion was made by Wampler and seconded by Simpson to appoint Jim Shields as Vice-Mayor. The following vote was recorded: Henline, Kennedy, Wampler, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**. Shields **ABSTAINS**.

A motion was made by Henline and seconded by Brandon to adjourn the final part of the November 28, 2022 meeting. The following vote was recorded: Henline, Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**.



Tony R. Aikens, Mayor



James W. Wilburn, III., City Recorder Treasurer