

November 13, 2023

The Lenoir City Council met in a Public Hearing on Monday, November 13, 2023 at 5:55 P.M. The purpose of the Public Hearing was for Ordinance for INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE (2021 edition with Amendments), THE INTERNATIONAL RESIDENTIAL CODE (2021 edition with Amendments), INTERNATIONAL PLUMBING CODE (2021 edition with Amendments), INTERNATIONAL MECHANICAL CODE (2021 edition with Amendments), ELECTRIC CODE (2017 Edition NFPA 70 National Electric Code) INTERNATIONAL FUEL GAS CODE (2021 Edition with Amendments), International Existing Building Code (2021 edition with Amendments), INTERNATIONAL ENERGY CONSERVATION CODE (2021 edition with Amendments), INTERNATIONAL PROPERTY MAINTENANCE CODE (2021 edition with Amendments), ADA STANDARDS FOR ACCESSIBLE DESIGN (2010 edition), INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE (2021 edition with Amendments and including Appendix B, Fire Flow requirements for Buildings, Appendix C, Fire Hydrant Locations and Distribution, Appendix D, Fire Department Access Roads, and Appendix L, Requirements for Fire Fighter Air Replenishment Systems), NFPA 101 LIFE SAFETY CODE (2018 edition), (for Assembly and Educational Occupancies Only), INTERNATIONAL EXISTING BUILDING CODE (2021 edition with Amendments) BY REFERENCE. Following the Public Hearing, the City Council met in its regularly scheduled meeting at 6:00 P.M. Mayor Tony Aikens and the following Council Members were present: Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, and Brandon. Henline and Simpson were **ABSENT**.

A motion was made by Brandon and seconded by Shields to approve the minutes from the October 23, 2023 City Council Meeting. The following vote was recorded: Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, and Brandon. Henline and Simpson were **ABSENT**.

Mayor Aikens requested to add an item to the Agenda as Agenda Item # 8 for consideration of City Council regarding re-hiring Ronnie Paul Reagan to fill a vacancy in the Police Department. A motion was made by Brandon and seconded by Wampler to approve adding the item to the Agenda. The following vote was recorded: Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, and Brandon voting **AYE**. Henline and Simpson were **ABSENT**.

Mr. Jan Hahn addressed City Council on concerns with healthcare and announced the public health round table discussion that will be held on December 8, 2023.

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

A motion was made by Shields and seconded by Brandon to adopt Ordinance for the INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE (2021 edition with Amendments), THE INTERNATIONAL RESIDENTIAL CODE (2021 edition with Amendments), INTERNATIONAL PLUMBING CODE (2021 edition with Amendments), INTERNATIONAL MECHANICAL CODE (2021 edition with Amendments), ELECTRIC CODE (2017 Edition NFPA 70 National Electric Code) INTERNATIONAL FUEL GAS CODE (2021 Edition with Amendments), International Existing Building Code (2021 edition with Amendments), INTERNATIONAL ENERGY CONSERVATION CODE (2021 edition with Amendments), INTERNATIONAL PROPERTY MAINTENANCE CODE (2021 edition with Amendments), ADA STANDARDS FOR ACCESSIBLE DESIGN (2010 edition), INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE (2021 edition with Amendments and including Appendix B, Fire Flow requirements for Buildings, Appendix C, Fire Hydrant Locations and Distribution, Appendix D, Fire Department Access Roads, and Appendix L, Requirements for Fire Fighter Air Replenishment Systems), NFPA 101 LIFE SAFETY CODE (2018 edition), (for Assembly and Educational Occupancies Only), INTERNATIONAL EXISTING BUILDING CODE (2021 edition with Amendments) BY REFERENCE. The following vote was recorded: Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, and Brandon voting **AYE**. Henline and Simpson were **ABSENT**.

SECOND AND FINAL READING. Ordinance. 2023-11-13-2376.

A motion was made by Shields and seconded by Kennedy to approve City Council hiring Michael Brandon Cole to fill a vacancy in the Police Department. The following vote was recorded: Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, and Brandon voting **AYE**. Henline and Simpson were **ABSENT**.

A motion was made by Brandon and seconded by Wampler to approve City Council hiring Michael Leonard Lyon to fill vacancy in the Police Department. Mr. Lyon is certified. The following vote was recorded: Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, and Brandon voting **AYE**. Henline and Simpson were **ABSENT**.

A motion was made by Shields and seconded by Kennedy to declare certain item as surplus property in the Police Department and dispose thereof on www.govdeals.com (2018 Dodge Ram 2500: VIN Number: 3C6UR5FL5JG216744). The following vote was recorded: Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, and Brandon voting **AYE**. Henline and Simpson were **ABSENT**.

A motion was made by Shields and seconded by Wampler to approve the Purchasing Committee's recommendation regarding going to bid for Electric/Slide-In Salt Spreader for use in the Street department. The following vote was recorded: Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, and Brandon voting **AYE**. Henline and Simpson were **ABSENT**.

A motion was made by Brandon and seconded by Kennedy to approve the Purchasing Committee's recommendation to go to bid for air compressor for SCBA Bottles for Fire Department. The following vote was recorded: Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, and Brandon voting **AYE**. Henline and Simpson were **ABSENT**.

A motion was made by Shields and seconded by Brandon to cancel the December 25, 2023 City Council Meeting. The following vote was recorded: Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, and Brandon voting **AYE**. Henline and Simpson were **ABSENT**.

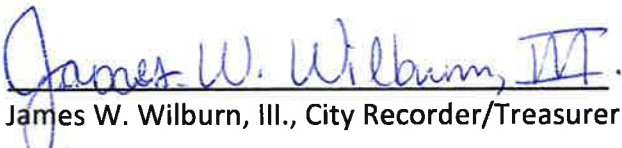
A motion was made by Brandon and seconded by Kennedy to approve re-hiring Ronnie Paul Reagan to fill vacancy in the Police Department. Mr. Reagan is certified. The following vote was recorded: Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, and Brandon voting **AYE**. Henline and Simpson were **ABSENT**.

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

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

A motion was made by Shields and seconded by Kennedy to adjourn the November 13, 2023 meeting. The following vote was recorded: Kennedy, Wampler, Shields, and Brandon voting **AYE**. Henline and Simpson were **ABSENT**.


Tony R. Aikens, Mayor


James W. Wilburn, III., City Recorder/Treasurer