COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES CITY OF LAWRENCEBURG JANUARY 6, 2005

The Mayor and Board of Commissioners met in regular session. The following members were present: Commissioner Bid Lindsey, Commissioner Keith Durham, Commissioner Buford Goolsby, Commissioner Tim Dickey and Mayor Allen Chapman.

With a quorum present, the meeting was called to order. The meeting opened with Prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Chapman made a motion to approve the minutes of the December 16th meeting, with a second by Commissioner Durham. Motion passed unanimously.

City Administrator Sellers asked the Commissioners to attend meetings every Thursday afternoon, starting at 4:00 p.m. to address pressing issues concerning the city. Mr. Sellers also read a press release concerning the Demolition Landfill.

PRESS RELEASE January 6, 2005

The City of Lawrenceburg will no longer accept out-of-county demolition waste at its landfill at Wildcat Ridge. The action is being taken to extend the life of the landfill, which has been filled to an estimated 95% capacity.

The policy will not affect Lawrence County residents or contractors, so long as the waste was generated from inside Lawrence County.

Lawrenceburg's demolition landfill receives a steady flow of waste from contractors from surrounding counties, who must pay fees to dispose of demolition waste at facilities in their home county.

Future plans to increase the capacity of the landfill include the development of two acres already owned by the City and the possibility of purchasing additional acreage adjoining the landfill. Lawrenceburg has never charged a tipping fee at the facility, but there is the possibility of a fee in the future.

Demolition waste accepted at the landfill include asphalt, bituminous concrete, bricks, masonry, tree stumps, and waste materials as part of a demolished structure, including built-in cabinetry, ceramic fixtures, conduit, glass, insulation, metal, plastic, roofing shingles, tile, wiring, and wood.

All vehicles entering the Lawrenceburg demolition landfill must check with the attendant and show proper identification, and have the load inspected before using the facility. Proper identification will include a Lawrence County tag on the vehicle, a Lawrence County address on the driver's license, or other proof that the waste was generated from inside Lawrence County.

The City of Lawrenceburg also emphasizes that all loads must be covered with a tarpaulin, and reserves the right to refuse any load of waste.

Commissioner Durham and Mayor Chapman initiated discussion on the need to keep the city clean and presentable, especially now that prospects may be entering our city in connection with the sell of Murray Inc.

Attorney Betz presented one ordinance and one resolution for consideration.

Ordinance #986 – An Ordinance to amend Section 3-501 of the Municipal Code and Ordinances Number 794,895, 911 and 969 and to establish a Bill of Cost for all warrants and citations; repeal of all ordinances in conflict therewith, effective date. Motion to approve on first reading was made by Commissioner Lindsey, with a second by Commissioner Goolsby. Motion passed unanimously.

Resolution # 2005-6-1 -A Resolution for the Board of Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Lawrenceburg, Tennessee to call for an election of Commissioner Seat 3 and Commissioner Seat 4 in accordance with Private Chapter No. 17 of the Private Acts of 2001. Motion to approve was made by Commissioner Durham, with a second by Mayor Chapman. Motion passed unanimously.

With no further business to come before the Board, a motion was made by Mayor Chapman to adjourn, with a second by Commissioner Lindsey. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned.

Attest:		
	City Administrator	