

COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
CITY OF LAWRENCEBURG
JANUARY 8, 2009

The Board of Mayor and Council met in regular session. The following members were present: Council Member Ronald Fox, Council Member Robin Williams, Council Member Butch Morrow, Council Member Jerry Moore and Mayor Keith Durham.

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

A motion to approve the minutes of the December 23, 2008 meeting was made by Council Member Morrow, with a second by Council Member Williams. Motion passed unanimously.

Mayor Durham announced the closing of City Offices on January 19, in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

City Administrator McLain informed the Council of the closing of First Avenue and First Street on January 12 through 16 for installation of utilities and later the new bridge, as work in our Flood Control Program.

Police Officer Jason Sexton was presented a Certificate of Appreciation from the Board of Mayor and Council for his service to America in the Armed Forces and his safe return home and back on duty at the Lawrenceburg Police Department.

City Attorney Betz had 1 ordinance and 1 resolution for consideration.

ORDINANCE NO. 1048

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE 690 AND ORDINANCE 724 AND REPEAL ORDINANCE 394 AND AMEND SECTION 15; CHAPTER 3; OF THE LAWRENCEBURG MUNICIPAL CODE AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAWRENCEBURG TO ESTABLISH SPEED LIMITS ON CERTAIN CITY STREETS IN LAWRENCEBURG, TENNESSEE

Council Member Morrow made a motion to approve Ordinance No.1048 on first reading with a second by Mayor Durham. Motion passed. There was some discussion on Ordinance No.1048 and some of the speed limits on some of the streets were changed. Mayor Durham made a motion to approve the amendments with a second by Council Member Fox. Motion passed.

A motion to approve Ordinance No. 1048 as amended was made by Mayor Durham with a second by Council Member Fox. Ordinance No.1048 passed on first reading.

RESOLUTION NO. 2009-8-1

A RESOLUTION FOR THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAWRENCEBURG, TENNESSEE TO PURCHASE TWO VEHICLES FOR THE LAWRENCEBURG POLICE DEPARTMENT

Motion to approve was made by Mayor Durham, with a second by Council Member Morrow. Motion passed.

Mayor Durham initiated the round table discussion with Council Member Morrow, Council Member Moore reminded the Council of a desire for work sessions, Mayor Durham encouraged everyone to shop in Lawrenceburg, Council Member Fox was interested in signs being placed at the city limits concerning the accomplishments of Babe Ruth and Little League Teams, commended our law enforcement agencies on the extraction of many meth labs from our community, and complimented the Parks and Recreation Department on offering (Ball Room Dancing) for our citizens and Council Member Williams along with all the Council continued to express gratitude to Officer Jason Sexton on his service in Iraq through the Armed Services and his safe return home.

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With no further business to come before the Board a motion was made by Council Member Williams to adjourn with a second by Council Member Moore. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned.

Attest: _____
City Administrator/ Acting City Recorder