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Mayor



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THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF
COVINGTON, TENNESSEE ON OCTOBER 27, 2020 AT 5:30 P.M.

1. Meeting to be called to order by Mayor Justin Hanson.
2. Invocation to be given by Alderman C H Sullivan.
3. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag to be led by Alderman Danny Wallace.
4. Minutes of the Preceding Meeting to be approved.
5. Report from Committees:
 - Minutes of the General Welfare-Public Relations Committee Meeting
 - Minutes of the Finance & Administration Committee Meeting
6. Additions to the Agenda.
7. Welcome to visitors and grievances from citizens.
8. Report from Mayor Justin Hanson:
 - Rezoning Request Discussion
 - Municipal Appointments
 - Request for Covington Christmas Parade
 - Request for CHS Ace Club
 - Virtual Meetings
 - Updates
9. Report from Recorder-Treasurer Tina Dunn:
 - Sales Tax Report
10. Report from City Attorney Rachel Witherington:
11. Old Business:

12. New Business:

- Ordinance 1733 (Fireworks)(Public Hearing) ready for approval on third and final reading
- Ordinance 1735 (Fire Sick Leave)(Public Hearing) ready for approval on third and final reading
- Bills Over/Under \$1,000.00 ready for Board Approval

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen met virtually at City of Covington on October 13, 2020 at 5:30 p.m. with the following members present: Mayor Justin Hanson, Aldermen: Danny Wallace, Johnetta Yarbrough, Jeff Morris, C H Sullivan, Minnie Bommer, and Keith Phelps. Also present were Assistant Fire Chief Jeremy Channell, Police Chief Larry Lindsey, Public Works Director David Gray, Personnel Director Tiny Rose, Building Official Lessie Fisher, Parks & Recreation Director Joe Mack, City Attorney Rachel Witherington, and Recorder-Treasurer Tina Dunn.

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Justin Hanson.

Invocation was given by Alderman Jeff Morris.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Alderman Keith Phelps.

Motion was made by Alderman Jeff Morris and seconded by Alderwoman Johnetta Yarbrough that the Minutes of the Preceding Meeting be approved with the addition of Alderwoman Minnie Bommer being present as distributed to the Board (See Attached).

Voting Aye: Sullivan, Bommer, Morris, Yarbrough, Phelps, Wallace
Motion passed.

Motion was made by Alderman Keith Phelps and seconded by Alderwoman Johnetta Yarbrough that the Minutes of the General Welfare – Public Safety be approved (See Attached).

Voting Aye: Sullivan, Bommer, Morris, Yarbrough, Phelps, Wallace
Motion passed.

Motion was made by Alderman Jeff Morris and seconded by Alderman Danny Wallace that the Minutes of the Public Works Committee Meeting be approved (See Attached).

Voting Aye: Sullivan, Bommer, Morris, Yarbrough, Phelps, Wallace
Motion passed.

Motion was made by Alderman Keith Phelps and seconded by Alderman C H Sullivan to have Public Works Director, Fire Chief, and Covington Electric Liaison C H Sullivan review the list of streets in need of street lights discussed in the Public Works Committee Meeting and repair with LED Lights.

Voting Aye: Sullivan, Bommer, Morris, Yarbrough, Phelps, Wallace
Motion passed.

Motion was made by Alderman Danny Wallace and seconded by Alderman C H Sullivan to receive the Planning Commission Meetings (See Attached).

Voting Aye: Sullivan, Bommer, Morris, Yarbrough, Phelps, Wallace
Motion passed.

Mayor Justin Hanson presented the Proclamation for approval to proclaim the month of October as Dysautonomia Awareness Month(See Attached).

Motion was made by Alderman C H Sullivan and seconded by Alderman Jeff Morris to approve the Proclamation for Dysautonomia Awareness Month.

Voting Aye: Sullivan, Bommer, Morris, Yarbrough, Phelps, Wallace

Motion passed.

Jennifer Nolen reported there will be Adopt A Block for the week of October 24th-31st. There will be curbside pickup and dumpsters located at the various parks.

Mayor Justin Hanson presented Ordinance 1733 (Fireworks) for approval on second reading (See Attached).

Motion was made by Alderman C H Sullivan and seconded by Alderman Keith Phelps to approve Ordinance 1733 (Fireworks) on second reading.

Voting Aye: Sullivan, Bommer, Morris, Yarbrough, Phelps, Wallace

Motion passed.

Public Hearing for Ordinance 1734 (OSHA) for third and final reading was called to order. There being no public comments, the public hearing was closed (See Attached).

Motion was made by Alderman Keith Phelps and seconded by Alderman C H Sullivan to approve Ordinance 1734 (OSHA) on third and final reading.

Voting Aye: Sullivan, Bommer, Morris, Yarbrough, Phelps, Wallace

Motion passed.

Mayor Justin Hanson presented Ordinance 1735 (Fire Sick Leave) for approval on second reading (See Attached).

Motion was made by Alderman C H Sullivan and seconded by Alderwoman Johnetta Yarbrough to approve 1734 (Fire Sick Leave) on second reading.

Voting Aye: Sullivan, Morris, Bommer, Yarbrough, Phelps, Wallace

Motion passed.

The following bills over/under \$1,000.00 were presented for approval:

AMAZON	VARIOUS	MISCELLANEOUS	\$ 1,290.31
BFI NORTH SHELBY LANDFILL	WWTP	SLUDGE REMOVAL	\$ 3,778.14
BNY MELLON	GAS	PURCHASED NATURAL GAS	\$ 64,462.90
BNY MELLON	BIOMASS	INTEREST PYMT ON BOND	\$ 1,868.93
BRENNTAG	WWTP	CHEMICALS	\$ 1,560.00
BRENNTAG MID SOUTH	WWTP	CHEMICALS	\$ 1,859.60
BRENNTAG MID SOUTH	WWTP	CHEMICALS	\$ 2,895.00
Capital One	WT,SWR,GAS	AMI SYSTEM	\$ 607,645.25
CHEMICAL FEED SYSTEMS	WTP	INSTALL / UPDATE SOFTWARE	\$ 1,500.00
CHEMICAL FEED SYSTEMS	WTP	TOOLS	\$ 1,533.89
CHEMICAL FEED SYSTEMS	WWTP	TOOLS AND MATERIALS	\$ 1,120.00
CLIMER HEAVY EQUIP REPAIR	GAS	FUEL SYSTEM INSTALLATION	\$ 7,375.35

COVINGTON ELECTRIC	VARIOUS	ELECTRIC	\$ 4,369.57
COVINGTON ELECTRIC	VARIOUS	ELECTRIC	\$ 43,199.83
C-TON-TIPTON CHAMBER	GAS	RENEWAL	\$ 13,905.00
DELL EMC	POLICE	COMPUTERS / MONITORS (3)	\$ 2,914.71
FIRSTNET	POLICE	TELEPHONE	\$ 2,250.73
G & C SUPPLY CO INC	WATER	METERS / SUPPLIES	\$ 1,454.93
G & W DIESEL SERVICE / EVS	FIRE	TURN OUTS - COATS / PANTS	\$ 15,953.46
GALLS	POLICE	GAS MASKS	\$ 6,003.80
GM FINANCIAL	GENERAL	LEASE PAYMENT	\$ 7,424.98
GRAINGER	SEWER	TOOLS	\$ 1,068.87
HARTSFIELD ASPHALT SEAL	FIRE	PARKING LOT(S) R & M	\$ 4,586.75
HOME DEPOT	VARIOUS	MISCELLANEOUS	\$ 1,442.26
MCKEE CONSTRUCTION	PARKS/REC	WATER FOUNTAIN	\$ 2,014.02
NORTHERN TOOL & EQUIP	VARIOUS	DISINFECTING SPRAYERS (8)	\$ 4,159.76
PAVEMENT RESTORATIONS	SSA	MATERIALS / HAULING	\$ 2,853.58
POLYDYNE INC	WWTP	CHEMICALS	\$ 4,732.20
RADFORD PLANNING	CODES	TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE	\$ 2,382.00
RUSS JONES	PARKS/REC	BALL FIELD PREP / MAINTENANCE	\$ 1,428.00
SOUTHWEST EMC	VARIOUS	ELECTRIC	\$ 1,470.39
STURGIS	GENERAL	WEBSITE HOSTING	\$ 1,050.00
SULLIVAN NATURAL GAS SERV	GAS	GAS PROJECT - CIP 1034	\$ 18,130.00
UNIVERSITY / LOUISVILLE	POLICE	TRAINING - DEWAYNE DOWELL	\$ 1,295.00
WALMART COMMUNITY CARD	VARIOUS	MISCELLANEOUS	\$ 1,710.78
WASCON INC	SEWER	PUMP REPAIR	1,083.66
WASCON INC	SEWER	SIMPLEX BOARD	\$ 3,547.79
WATERSERV CO	WWTP	AERATOR REPAIR	\$ 2,520.00
WAYFIAR	PUBLIC WORKS	CHAIRS	\$ 1,526.37
WHITEHORN, TANKERSLEY...	VARIOUS	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	\$ 8,000.00
WITHERINGTON SERVICES	PARKS/REC	HVAC INSTALLATION	\$ 4,970.00
YARD DOCTOR	CODES	LAWN MAINTENANCE	\$ 3,590.00
ZEBRA MARKETING	FIRE	JR FIRE FIGHTER HATS	\$ 1,396.45
		TOTAL	869,324.26

Motion was made by Alderman C H Sullivan and seconded by Alderman Danny Wallace that the preceding bills over/under \$1000.00 be paid when properly approved.

Voting Aye: Sullivan, Morris, Bommer, Yarbrough, Phelps, Wallace

Motion passed.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:12 p.m.

Attest:

Recorder-Treasurer

Mayor

The General Welfare – Public Relations Committee met virtually at City of Covington on October 13, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. with the following members present: Mayor Justin Hanson, Alderman Keith Phelps, Alderwoman Minnie Bommer, and Alderman C H Sullivan. Also present were Alderman Jeff Morris, Alderman Danny Wallace, Alderwoman Johnetta Yarbrough, Parks and Recreation Director Joseph Mack, Museum Director Barrie Foster, Public Works Director David Gray, Building Official Lessie Fisher, Assistant to the Mayor Rebecca Ray, and Recorder-Treasurer Tina Dunn.

Chairman Alderwoman Minnie Bommer called meeting to order.

Park and Recreation Director Joe Mack began discussion on submitting an application for the TN Dept. of Health Built Environment Grant. The deadline to submit an application is October 29, 2020. This grant can be used for infrastructure that will provide opportunities for physical activity for a community or population that currently has limited access to these types of facilities. The maximum amount of the grant is \$80,000.00 with no match from the city. A survey was completed for the building of a golf driving range. The survey showed overwhelming positive results. Director Mack discussed the Hoops After Dark Program. This program is both an athletic and outreach program for youth in our community. The primary participants would be young men between 13-18. A night of ball is centered around the teaching and testimonies from positive role models and mentors. This program will be on Friday nights from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. There are fall break camps from October 12 -16th from 8:00 a.m. to 12 p.m. Signups have begun for the Junior Grizzlies for the 2020-21 basketball season.

Motion was made by Alderman Sullivan and seconded by Alderwoman Bommer to make application for the TN Dept of Health Built Environment Grant to construct a golf driving range.
Voting Aye: Sullivan, Phelps, Hanson, Bommer
Motion passed.

Motion was made by Alderman Sullivan and seconded by Alderman Phelps to approve the report from Park and Recreation Director Joe Mack.
Voting Aye: Sullivan, Phelps, Hanson, Bommer
Motion passed.

Museum Director Barrie Foster reported the addition of “The Mobile Museum.” There are tri-fold displays of our major exhibits and programs. The entry deadline for the international art & photography exhibit is October 16, 2020. The gardening series will begin in October. The Nature Connection for October is on Rollie Pollies. There will be a porch leaner workshop and a painted Christmas card workshop available online.

Motion was made by Alderman Sullivan and seconded by Alderman Phelps to accept the report from Museum Director Barrie Foster.
Voting Aye: Sullivan, Phelps, Hanson, Bommer
Motion passed.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:34 p.m.

The Finance and Administration Committee met virtually on October 20, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. with the following members present: Chairman Alderman C H Sullivan, Mayor Justin Hanson, Aldermen: Keith Phelps, Danny Wallace, C H Sullivan, Minnie Bommer, and Jeff Morris. Also present were: Building Official Lessie Fisher, Public Works Director David Gray, Fire Chief Richard Griggs, Personnel Director Tiny Rose, MTAS Consultant Ronnie Neill, Kelvyn Thomas, Assistant to the Mayor Rebecca Ray, Attorney Rachel Witherington, and Recorder-Treasurer Tina Dunn.

Chairman Alderman C H Sullivan called meeting to order.

Alderman Sullivan began discussion on the city properties. The property at 408 Valley Street did not receive and bids. The property on 133 East Pleasant will have Request for Proposals open on October 29, 2020. It was suggested for the Public Works Department to clean up the vacant lot on Valley Street to make it more presentable.

Motion was made by Alderwoman Bommer and seconded by Alderman Sullivan to have the public works department clear the lot on Valley Street, place a sale by owner sign, and bring back for discussion at the next Finance & Administration Committee Meeting in November, 2020.

Voting Aye: Bommer, Yarbrough, Morris, Phelps, Wallace, Sullivan

Motion passed.

Discussion began on the sale of the North Main Street Property. Kelvyn Thomas made an offer of \$1,168.00 to purchase this property. He based his amount on the previous sale of city property stating the buyer paid 16% of the appraised value. Attorney Witherington reported there has been conversations County Executive Mayor Huffman concerning the availability of bathrooms when there is a public event. The building code for this requirement will be reviewed.

Motion was made by Alderwoman Johnetta Yarbrough and seconded by Alderman Danny Wallace to sell the property on North Main Street at a price of \$3,500.00 to Mr. Thomas.

Voting Aye: Morris, Phelps, Wallace, Sullivan, Yarbrough

Voting Nay: Bommer

Motion passed.

Attorney Witherington began discussion on the Anderson Field Property. She has spoken with County Executive Huffman and believes the county will sell the property. However, this property is limited to marketability. This property is located next to rail track, partially in a flood zone, and has a sewer line running through the middle of the property. County Public Works Director Shannon Reed will be contacting Public Works Director David Gray to look at the property.

Motion was made by Alderman Wallace to clean off the Anderson Field Property and place a for sale sign on property. There being no second, the motion failed.

Motion was made by Alderman Sullivan and seconded by Alderman Morris to have Mayor Hanson and County Executive Huffman to contact industries next to the Anderson Field Property to see if there is interest in purchasing the Anderson Field Property.

Voting Aye: Morris, Bommer, Phelps, Wallace, Sullivan, Yarbrough

Motion passed.

The Code/Charter recommendations were presented for review. Attorney Witherington is available for any questions on these revisions. MTAS Consultant Ronnie Neill reported there may be some revisions before the final draft.

Mayor Hanson reported Governor Lee has extended the option for virtual meetings through the end of the year. There will be discussion at the Board of Mayor and Aldermen Meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:05 p.m.

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Mayor



TINY BARTON
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October, 2020

Covington Mayor and Board
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As the City of Covington's Events Coordinator, I would like to request permission for the annual Covington Christmas Parade, scheduled for Monday, December 14, 2020, with a rain date of Tuesday, December 15th. As always with the parade, it is necessary to have assistance from the police, fire, and public works departments, helping with street closures and crowd control.

Parade participants are asked to line up in front of Covington High School Athletic Field on South College beginning at 5:30 pm. The parade will begin at 7:00 pm.

The parade route, from CHS Athletic Field, will head North on College to Sherrod; turn right on Sherrod to Main; North on Main to Court Square; around the Square to Liberty; West on Liberty to College; South on College; and continue back to CHS Athletic Field parking lots to disband.

The special events application has been filed, documenting this event.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Griffin
Events Coordinator, City of Covington

Covington Charger Volleyball

The Lady Charger Volleyball team has made it to the state tournament for the first time since 2011!! These ladies have worked hard all season on the court and deserve this trip and experience. We are asking for your help to get us to Murfreesboro next week. If you would like to donate to our team, it would be greatly appreciated. Checks can be made out to **CHS ACE Club**. Thank you for taking the time to support our volleyball team as we embark on this journey. If you need to arrange a pickup for a donation, please give your contact information to one of the girls so that I can get in touch with you.

Thank you so much for supporting CHS Volleyball!


Molly Griffin Glass



MONTH TO DATE (2.75%)

REC/SALE	ACTUAL 2019-20	ACTUAL 2019-20	MONTH INC/(DEC)	MONTH INC/DEC %
SEPT/JUL	\$ 312,834	\$ 363,501	\$ 50,667	16.2
OCT/AUG	\$ 317,982	\$ 343,254	\$ 25,272	7.9
NOV/SEP	\$ 287,969			0.0
DEC/OCT	\$ 318,516			0.0
JAN/NOV	\$ 310,079			0.0
FEB/DEC	\$ 398,735			0.0
MAR/JAN	\$ 281,452			0.0
APRIL/FEB	\$ 290,545			0.0
MAY/MAR	\$ 342,172			0.0
JUNE/APR	\$ 355,103			0.0
JULY/MAY	\$ 375,029			0.0
AUG/JUNE	\$ 364,603			0.0

TOTAL

YEAR TO DATE (2.75%)

REC/SALE	ACTUAL 2019-20	ACTUAL 2019-20	MONTH INC/(DEC)	MONTH INC/DEC %
SEPT/JUL	\$ 312,834	\$ 363,501	\$ 50,667	16.2
OCT/AUG	\$ 630,816	\$ 706,755	\$ 75,939	12.0
NOV/SEP	\$ 918,785			0.0
DEC/OCT	\$ 1,237,301			0.0
JAN/NOV	\$ 1,547,380			0.0
FEB/DEC	\$ 1,946,115			0.0
MAR/JAN	\$ 2,227,567			0.0
APRIL/FEB	\$ 2,518,112			0.0
MAY/MAR	\$ 2,860,284			0.0
JUNE/APR	\$ 3,215,387			0.0
JULY/MAY	\$ 3,590,416			0.0
AUG/JUNE	\$ 3,955,019			0.0

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Collected In	Collections Type	Amount
8401 - Covington	Beer Tax	-2,228.89
8401 - Covington	Business Tax	-648.92
8401 - Covington	Local Option - DOR Admin Fee	1,210.08
8401 - Covington	Gasoline 3 Cent	-4,084.18
8401 - Covington	Gasoline 1989 Increase	-2,204.17
8401 - Covington	Gasoline And Motor Fuel	-14,118.23
8401 - Covington	Motor Fuel Improve Act	-7,099.03
8401 - Covington	Petroleum Special	-1,495.27
8401 - Covington	TV Telecom	-971.23
8401 - Covington	Liquor by the Drink	-2,654.50
8401 - Covington	Local Option	-107,562.96
8401 - Covington	State Sales	-71,490.32
8401 - Covington	Local Option - DOR Admin Fee	5,445.38
8401 - Covington	Local Option	-484,033.91

14 Rows

-691,936.15

478,588.53 / 2 = 239,294.26
 (2,398.94)
 236,901.32
 236,901.32
 106,352.88
 343,254.20

ORDINANCE 1733

AN ORDINANCE TO DELETE IN ITS ENTIRETY THE TEXT OF THE COVINGTON MUNICIPAL CODE, (FIRE PROTECTION AND FIREWORKS) TITLE 7, CHAPTER 4 AND ORDINANCE NO 1696 AND REPLACE IT WITH THE FOLLOWING.

WHEREAS, the Board of Mayor and Alderman has deemed it necessary, for the purpose of promoting the health, safety, prosperity, morals, and general welfare of the City, to amend The Covington Municipal Code by discontinuing the sale and discharge of all fireworks, except by organizations that hire licensed professionals to conduct displays and,

WHEREAS, the Board of Mayor and Alderman have discussed and reviewed the above stated proposed deletion and replacement; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMAN OF THE CITY OF COVINGTON:

SECTION 1. That Title 7, Chapter 4, and Ordinance Number 1696 shall be deleted in their entirety and replaced with the following:

7-401. Definitions.

- a) "Fireworks" means any composition or device for the purpose of producing a visible or an auditable effect by combustion, deflagration, or detonation and which also meets the definition of Tennessee law.

7-402. Prohibition. The sale or manufacture of fireworks within the corporate limits of the City of Covington is prohibited.

7-403. Discharge of Fireworks. The discharge of fireworks within the corporate limits of the City of Covington is prohibited except as specifically set forth hereinbelow.

- a) The discharge of fireworks within the corporate limits of the City of Covington shall be limited to persons, businesses, or organizations that:
 - i. Hire a pyrotechnic professional who is licensed as an "exhibitor" or certified as an "outdoor fireworks display operator" by the State Fire Marshal to conduct fireworks displays (See generally *Tennessee Code Annotated* § 68-104, Part 2);
 - ii. Hire a pyrotechnic professional who has a permit or federal explosives license from the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives to conduct fireworks displays (See generally 27 CFR Part 555);
 - iii. Hire a pyrotechnic professional who has any other acceptable license, certificate, or training which would provide them with specific expertise the Special Events Committee, Covington Fire Chief or his designee, and Board of Mayor and Aldermen find acceptable to minimize the risk of harm posed to the public and demonstrate to the Committee, Fire Department and Board

- of Mayor and Aldermen the event will comply with all applicable safety standards as determined by the Covington Fire Chief or his designee;
- iv. Appear(s) before the Special Events Committee to request a permit and the Special Events Committee, Covington Fire Chief or his designee, and the Board of Mayor and Aldermen specifically determine that the event will detonate consumer fireworks¹ only and the applicant adequately demonstrates to the Committee, Fire Department and Board of Mayor and Aldermen the event will comply with all applicable safety standards as determined by the Covington Fire Chief or his designee;
- b) Permit Required. Permits for the discharge of fireworks within the corporate limits of the City of Covington shall be issued by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Prior to the discharge of any fireworks, either “public displays” (as defined herein) or for private events, the person, business, or organization conducting the fireworks event shall first appear before the City of Covington Special Events Committee and present their application for review.
- i. The application for a permit shall include, among other information, name, age and contact information of the applicant, date and time of the event, the type of fireworks that will be used in the event (either consumer fireworks¹ or display fireworks²), the approximate number of fireworks detonated in the event, who will be responsible for detonating the fireworks, where the event will be held, permission from the owner of the property where the event will be held, where spectators will be during the event, the number of spectators expected, the closest structures to the location of the event, and what safety measures will be in place in the event of an accident.
- ii. The Special Events Committee will recommend either approval or denial of a permit for the discharge of fireworks to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. The Special Events Committee may also recommend a

¹ Consumer Fireworks are defined as any small firework device designed to produce visible effects by combustion and which comply with the construction, chemical composition, and labeling regulations of the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, as set forth in 16 CFR. parts 1500 and 1507, some small devices designed to produce audible effects are included, such as whistling devices, ground devices containing 50 mg or less of explosive materials, aerial devices containing 130 mg or less of explosive materials, those classified as fireworks UN0336, and UN0337 by the U.S. Department of Transportation at 49 CFR 172.101, and/or as may be defined in *Tennessee Code Annotated* § 68-104-101. It does not mean fused set pieces containing components which together exceed 50 mg of salute powder.

² Display fireworks are defined as large fireworks designed primarily to produce visible or audible effects by combustion, deflagration, or detonation salutes containing more than 2 grains (130 mg) of flash powder, aerial shells containing more than 40 grams of pyrotechnic compositions (including any break charge and visible/audible effect composition but exclusive of lift charge), other display pieces which exceed the limits of explosive materials for classification as “consumer fireworks,” and/or as may be defined in *Tennessee Code Annotated* § 68-104-101 and § 68-104-202. They also include fused set pieces containing components which together exceed 50 mg of flash powder. Display fireworks are classified as fireworks UN0333, UN0334 or UN0335 by the Department of Transportation 49 CFR 172.101. Display fireworks also require any person using them, in any way, to have an ATF explosives license or permit for the activity under applicable regulations found in 27 CFR, part 555.

conditional approval of the application upon certain other safety measures being met.

- iii. The Board of Mayor and Aldermen has final authority on approving or denying a permit for the discharge of fireworks, and a permit issued by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen is required before any discharge of fireworks is allowed within the corporate limits of the City of Covington.
- iv. Before any application for a permit can be approved the applicant must provide proof to the Special Events Committee and the Board of Mayor and Aldermen proof of general liability insurance to cover the potential liability for bodily injury and property damage in the minimum amount of one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for the fireworks event.
 - i. The Board of Mayor and Alderman shall have the discretion to waive the general liability insurance requirement as a condition of issuing a permit if, in its sole discretion, the burden on the applicant in providing the insurance outweighs the overall risk of harm posed to the general public. In considering a request for a waiver of insurance coverage the Board of Mayor and Aldermen shall consider the number of fireworks detonated at the event, the proximity of other structures to the location of the fireworks event, and the number of spectators expected at the event. The Special Events Committee shall recommend either approval or denial of the insurance waiver request after its review of the application.
- v. If the event will be a "public display" of fireworks, as defined in *Tennessee Code Annotated* § 68-104-211, then the applicant must provide proof of compliance with the provisions set forth in *Tennessee Code Annotated* § 68-104-211 and provide a copy of the permit from the State Fire Marshall, once received.

c) 7-404. Violations and Penalties.

- i. Any person(s) found guilty of violating the terms of this chapter are subject to a \$50.00 fine for each occurrence. Each firework detonated in violation of the terms of this ordinance shall constitute a separate occurrence.
- ii. If the City of Covington Police Chief and/or City of Covington Fire Chief have probable cause to believe that any person, business or organization has not obtained the proper permit(s) from the City of Covington Board of Mayor and Aldermen and/or the State Fire Marshal, then the Police Chief and/or Fire Chief shall stop the discharge of the fireworks, and confiscate any remaining undetonated fireworks.

- iii. Any person detonating fireworks within the corporate limits of the City of Covington in violation of this chapter shall be cited to court, and any remaining undetonated fireworks shall be confiscated.
- iv. Minors in possession of fireworks, Parental Liability. It is unlawful for any minor child under the age of sixteen (16) to be in possession of fireworks within the corporate limits of the City of Covington. In the event any minor child under the age of sixteen (16) is found to have possession of fireworks, as defined by this chapter, then the fireworks shall be confiscated and the minor's parent shall be held responsible and cited to court under this chapter.
 - i. For purposes of this section, "possession" means having or holding physical dominion and control over the object.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage after third and final reading, this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage, the welfare of the City requiring it.

Passed First Reading _____

Passed Second Reading _____

Public Hearing _____

Passed Third Reading _____

Mayor

Recorder-Treasurer

ORDINANCE 1735

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE 1684 AND THE COVINGTON FIRE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEE HANDBOOK TO REFELCT THE CORRECT AMOUNT OF TIME FOR SICK LEAVE.

WHEREAS, the schedule and format of compensation for full-time employees of the Covington Fire Department was modified in 2015 from 16-hour shifts to 24-hour shifts, and;

WHEREAS, the Public Safety Committee voted to amend the personnel rules and regulations of the Covington Fire Department related to sick leave afforded to full-time employees, and;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMAN OF THE CITY OF COVINGTON:

Section 1. Sick Leave.

- a) Section 2 of Ordinance 1684, which amended the Sick Leave section of the Covington Fire Department Employee Handbook, Ordinance 1576, passed on third and final reading on July 24, 2007, shall be deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

SICK LEAVE

1. Sick leave for 40-hour (per week) employees: Eight (8) hours per month (docked eight (8) hours per occurrence).
2. Sick leave for 56-hour (per week) employees: Twenty-four (24) hours per month (docked 12 hours for half shift, 24 hours for entire shift)

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that this Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare of the corporation demanding it.

Passed by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Covington, Tennessee this ____ day of _____, 2020.

Passed on 1st Reading: _____

Passed on 2nd Reading: _____

Passed on 3rd and final Reading: _____

ATTEST: _____

Recorder-Treasurer

Mayor

ALL TRAFFIC SOLUTIONS	POLICE	SPECIAL ALERT MESSAGE SIGN / TRAILER	\$ 26,804.00
BFI NORTH SHELBY LANDFILL	WWTP	SLUDGE DISPOSAL	\$ 2,904.33
BOB AUSTILL	STREET	REPAIRS	\$ 2,898.00
BRENNTAG MID SOUTH INC	WWTP	CHEMICALS	\$ 1,319.80
CITY OF COVINGTON	VARIOUS	WATER, SEWER GAS, SANITATION	\$ 4,296.46
COMMUNITY DEV PARTNERS	WATER	2020 SITE DEVELOPMENT GRANT	\$ 2,000.00
COVINGTON ELECTRIC	VARIOUS	ELECTRIC	\$ 2,373.45
COVINGTON ELECTRIC	VARIOUS	ELECTRIC	\$ 4,586.20
DEANDRE MCBEE	POLICE	1ST YR CERTIFIED OFFICER BONUS	\$ 1,000.00
DELL MARKETING L.P.	POLICE	SERVER/MONITOR/KEYBOARD/MOUSE	\$ 4,037.98
EVANS PETREE	GENERAL	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	\$ 1,378.00
FIDELITY SEARCH ENTERPRISES	GENERAL	DRUG SCREENS	\$ 1,110.00
FIRST NET	POLICE	PHONE SERVICE	\$ 2,356.33
FORD CREDIT	GENERAL	LEASE PMT-FORD POLICE INTERCEPTOR	8,117.72
G & C SUPPLY	GAS	MATERIALS	\$ 1,036.00
G & C SUPPLY	SEWER	MATERIALS	\$ 1,350.00
G & C SUPPLY	WATER	MATERIALS	\$ 3,377.12
G & W DIESEL	FIRE	BRAKE / COOLANT LEAK REPAIR	\$ 7,822.35
ITRON	GAS	HARDWARE/SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE	\$ 1,106.23
JOHNATHAN GYLES	POLICE	1ST YR CERTIFIED OFFICER BONUS	\$ 1,000.00
JONITHA DENNIS	POLICE	1ST YR CERTIFIED OFFICER BONUS	\$ 1,000.00
LARRY LINDSEY	POLICE	TRAVEL-TACP CONF/TRAINING	\$ 871.76
MAXWELL PAINTING/MNTNCE	POLICE	OFFICE @ 300 CHURCH	\$ 9,800.00
MEAC	GAS	PURCHASED NATURAL GAS	\$ 37,980.00
OWEN JENKINS, ETC.....	GENERAL	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	\$ 4,477.50
PARK N POOL	POOL	TABLES/CHAIRS/BENCHES/	\$ 6,564.70
PITNEY BOWES	GENERAL	POSTAGE	\$ 1,005.00
POWER DMS	POLICW	POWER DMS PRO LICENSE/TRAINING	\$ 1,363.49
REBEL EQUIP CO	GAS	PARTS/SHIPPING - 1420 DITCH WITCH	\$ 1,218.60
REPUBLIC SERVICES	SANITATION	CONTRACTED SERVICES	\$ 89,122.58
RONALD FRANKS CONST CO	WWTP	GEAR BOX REPAIR	\$ 23,332.38
SANFORD GEARY ELEC	STREET	BUILD SERVICE	\$ 1,268.00
SHELBY ELEC CO	STREET	REPLACE PELCO BASE/HWY 51-OLD BRIGHTON	\$ 1,345.00
SOUTHWEST EMC	VARIOUS	ELECTRIC	\$ 1,597.93
STRUCTURAL TECHNOLOGY	FIRE	ANNUAL TESTING	\$ 1,120.65
SULLIVAN'S NAT GAS	GAS	REPAIR	\$ 7,200.00
SYMMETRY	GAS	PURCHASED NATURAL GAS	\$ 69,809.57
TARGET SOLUTIONS	FIRE	MEMBERSHIP / MAINTENANCE FEE	\$ 3,414.00
TIPTON COUNTY E911	POLICE	2ND QUARTER DUES	\$ 40,681.79
TITAN AVIATION FUEL	AIRPORT	FUEL - 5,000 GALLONS	\$ 7,522.98
TRI STATE METER	GAS	METERS	\$ 5,495.50
US BANK EQUIP FINANCE	PARKS / RED	CONTRACT PAYMENT	\$ 1,348.46
WATERSERV CO	WWTP	OPERATION-AERATOR @ #2 OXI DITCH	\$ 1,952.80
WINDOW WARE INC	CODES	SUPPORT CONTRACT RENEWAL	\$ 1,100.00
		TOTAL	401,466.66