PUBLIC HEARING
&
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
January 26th, 2015

The Common Council of the City of Kokomo, Indiana met Monday January 26th, 2015 at 6:00 P.M. in the Council Chambers for the purpose of a Public Hearing on Ordinance #6784.

Present: Wyant, Cameron, Young, Haworth, Kennedy, Hayes Summers, Sanders, Miklik

Absent: None

President Hayes called for any comments from the audience, hearing none the Public Hearing was adjourned.

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The meeting was called to order by President Hayes.

Invocation was offered by Councilwoman Sanders.

Pledge:

Present: Wyant, Cameron, Young, Haworth, Kennedy, Hayes, Summers, Sanders, Miklik

Absent: None

The minutes of the January 12th, 2015 Council Minutes were declared approved as presented.
COMMUNICATIONS: President Hayes states, Councilwoman Young approached me; she felt we needed to close out the month that Dr. Martin Luther King was born. She arranged and invited some very beautiful young ladies from the Mt. Pisgah Missionary Baptist Church (Praise Dance Team) to perform their dance. They are under the Leadership of Kianna Anderson and Channin Seldon and the Pastor is Rev. Lonnie E. Anderson.

President Hayes states, at this time we have a special guest that we would like to bring forward. Would he please come to the microphone and give his name and address.

Senior Airman Corey Summers 2617 Rockford Lane Kokomo, Ind. states, I want to take this time to thank the Kokomo Common Council for giving me this opportunity to make these presentations tonight. I would like to ask the Mayor Greg Goodnight to come up here. Obviously Mr. Mayor in the Military we hold two things God, and our Country. On behalf of myself and the 9th expeditionary bomb squad this Flag was flown on board a B1 Bomber in support of operation inherit resolve on the 11th of January 2015 in Honor of Mayor Greg Goodnight.

Mayor Greg Goodnight states, thank you very much for this gift and for your service. This is more than I thought. I am speechless.

Senior Airman Corey Summers states, I would like Mr. Wyant to come up. Once again my God and Country are what we hold dear to our heart. I would like to present this same certificate, same date, and in Honor of the Kokomo Common Council.

Councilman Mike Wyant states, thank you. I will cherish this. Thank you for serving.
Cont. Communications.
Senior Airman Corey Summers states, last but certainly not least obviously there is a special person that I show favoritism for. I would like to ask by bother Kevin Summers to come up. On behalf of myself for the support and everything that you help me through and the family and my fiancée and the rest of my family back home. Things back home you worry about the most. Obviously it is all the family that goes through the most. Us as Military we have a mission that we obviously signed up for that we do with great pride; but the family at home should get most of the credit; because they’re the ones that deal with the most. Thank you for doing everything you do.

Thank you once again, glad to be home.

President Hayes states, it was an honor and a pleasure. That was one of the best phone calls I got last night when Kevin told me all about it and especially the surprise to Cory’s father. God Bless You, you have a wonderful son, and Kevin is ok too.

Councilman Summers states, I want to thank this Council; for all the support that we continue to have in our Prayers for all who is serving. I also want to recognize an individual that does a lot for the Military personal Jerry Paul and his group and the Veterans of this Community my hats are off to you. We want to thank you.

There were no committee reports given at this regular meeting.
MAYORAL APPOINTMENTS: President Hayes states, we have some Mayoral Appointments; I will read those in the minutes. They are as follows: Human Rights Commission: Rossie Toliver, Paul Munoz, Paula Brown, Robin Clark and Christina Vaughn, Historic Review Board: Kelli Goodnight, Tom Tolen, Dave Broman, and James Parsons. These appointments were unanimous by the Council.

ORDINANCE 6784: Additional Appropriation from the Edit Fund in the amount of $3,543,320
Second reading

Ordinance 6784 was read by the Clerk by title only. Councilman Kennedy moved for passage on ordinance #6784 on second reading. Seconded by Councilman Haworth.

Councilman Kennedy states, as we know and reviewed from our last meeting and thru the Public Hearing this is an amount of $3,543,320. Each of you received the Capital Improvement Plan that outlines the spending plan for this money. This is our usual allocation of Edit dollars at the beginning of the year; so that the City can move forward. I urge all of you to vote and approve this particular ordinance.

Vote for passage follows:
Aye: All
Nay: None
The vote was 9 to 0 for passage on second reading.

President Hayes states, this marks the end of this Council Meeting, and our next Council Meeting will be February 9th, 2015 with an Informational Meeting at 5:30 P.M. in the Louks Room; Council Meeting at 6:00 P.M. in the Council Chambers.
Adjourned at 6:20 P.M.

ATTEST:

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PRESIDING OFFICER

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CITY CLERK