

April 1, 2024  
5:30 p.m.  
Public Hearing  
Ripley City Courtroom

- Adoption of a municipal code of ordinance

Mayor Fitzhugh called meeting to order.

Board members present: Fitzhugh, Alston, Chipman, Davis, Hankins and Treadway

Board member absent: Thompson

No comments received.

Meeting adjourned: 5:40 p.m.

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Donna Buckner, Recorder

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Craig Fitzhugh, Mayor

April 1, 2024  
6:00 p.m.  
Regular Monthly Meeting  
Ripley City Courtroom

Mayor Fitzhugh called the meeting to order and requested Recorder Buckner to issue roll call.

Board members present: Fitzhugh, Alston, Chipman, Davis, Hankins and Treadway

Board members absent: Thompson

Also present: Donna Buckner, Attorney Rachel Jackson, Chief Mitchell Turner,

Superintendent Johnnie Ford, Chief Tracey Worlds, Director Randy Danley, Superintendent Scott Nelson, Captain Crook, Lt. Beraud, Investigator Matt Williams, Lt. Hardee and Sergeant David Scott

Visitors: Sergeant Herbert Gwynn, Dean Barlow, Ron Goforth, Justin Jones, Dorisha Wright and Wanda Clark

Invocation: Scott Nelson

Pledge of Allegiance

1. Motion by Alderman Chipman and second by Alderman Hankins to approve March 4, 2024 meeting minutes as printed and delivered in agenda package. All aye.
2. Motion by Alderman Hankins and second by Alderman Treadway to approve March 2024 financial statement as printed and delivered in agenda package. All aye.

Correspondence: none

Mayor's comments: Great America Cleanup scheduled for April 20, 2024  
Lauderdale County School Athletic Facility update  
National Library Week April 7-13, 2024

Department reports

3. Motion by Alderman Hankins and second by Alderman Treadway to approve department reports as printed and delivered in agenda package. All aye.

Public comments: none

Wanda Clark with the Lauderdale County Library invited everyone to come to the library on Monday, April 8<sup>th</sup> to enjoy solar eclipse festivities.

4. Motion by Alderman Alston and second by Alderman Chipman to approve appointment of Jon Pavletic to the Ripley Housing Authority Board to fill unexpired term of George Tyree as recommended by the Ripley Housing Authority Board. All aye.
5. Motion by Alderman Chipman and second by Alderman Davis to approve 2<sup>nd</sup> reading ordinance adopting a municipal code of ordinances. All aye
6. Motion by Alderman Alston and second by Alderman Hankins to approve resolution of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Ripley, Tennessee authorizing the submission of an application(s) for FY 2024 State Community Development Block Grant Funds. Roll call. All aye

Attorney Jackson gave Ripley Housing Authority update

7. Motion by Alderman Hankins and second by Alderman Treadway to approve contract agreement between ATA CPA's + Advisors, PLLC and the City of Ripley to audit accounts July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024 in the amount of \$31,800. Roll call. All aye
8. Motion by Alderman Davis and second by Alderman Hankins to approve agreement between Lexis Nexis Risk Solutions and the City of Ripley, Ripley Police Department for Accurint for Law Enforcement Solutions subscription access at a cost \$150 per month plus search charge. Roll call. All aye
9. Motion by Alderman Hankins and second by Alderman Chipman to amend FY 2023-2024 budget line-to-line, fund-to-fund and department-to-department. All aye

2023 delinquent property taxes filed April 1, 2024 with Chancery Court for collection.

Budget meetings scheduled for April 4, 2024 and April 11, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.

Meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

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Donna Buckner, Recorder

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Craig Fitzhugh, Mayor