

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen met in regular session March 9, 2021 at 7:00 P.M. in Selmer City Hall. Mayor John Smith and four of the Board of Aldermen were present as follows: John Austin, John Finlayson, J. T. Hawkins and Willie Sain. Johnny Norris was absent.

The meeting opened with prayer by Street Superintendent Raymond Ouellette followed by the pledge of allegiance to the United States flag of America led by Sybil Dancer.

Motion by J. T. Hawkins and seconded by John Austin to approve the minutes of February, 2021. All four present voted yes. Motion carried.

Motion by John Finlayson and seconded by Willie Sain to accept the financial statement of February, 2021. All four present voted yes. Motion carried.

Department reports were given.

Mayor John Smith extended a special "Thank You" from he and the Aldermen for the splendid way that the departments came together and worked long hours during the recent snow and ice storm. He stated that he greatly appreciated all that the employees did to help the situation.

Weston Watts, newly appointed Field Representative for Congressman Mark Green, introduced himself to the Mayor and Board. He stated that he was from Henderson County, Wildersville, Tennessee and wanted everyone to contact him concerning congressional issues when needed.

Motion by J. T. Hawkins and seconded by Willie Sain to adopt a resolution authorizing Selmer Utilities Division to obtain \$1,445,000 of financing from the State Revolving Fund Program for the ongoing wastewater facilities project, Department of Environment and Conservation number SRF 2021-448 to include authorizing the execution of applications, contractual agreements, and other necessary documents, representations, certifications, and pledges of certain revenue in connections with the financing. John Austin--yes, John Finlayson---yes, J. T. Hawkins---yes, Willie Sain---yes. Johnny Norris---Absent. Motion carried.

Patricia Huggins of 432 E Poplar complained that the house at 470 E Poplar was very unsightly and needed to be torn down as well as the property at 234 Oak Street. Mayor Smith assured that the town was two weeks into the ninety day process necessary for condemning and cleaning up the property at 470 E Poplar. Building Inspector Jim Replogle further explained that property owners had rights and procedures were necessary.

Meeting Adjourned.