

**City of Mt. Washington
Regular Council Meeting
February 14, 2022
Fick Hall**

Mayor Armstrong called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM with the following council members present, Sandra Hockenbury, Dustin Armstrong, Greg Gentry, George Maddox, Troy Barr and Albert Thompson.

Also, present were City Attorney Hayden Sweat, Chief Tim Morris and City Administrator Elizabeth Hardin.

Councilman Thompson led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Armstrong asked those present to take a moment of reflection and remember the family of Gayle Troutman as he passed away on February 11, 2022. He said he has served in many capacities within the community as County coroner, Fire Chief, City Councilman and many more things he contributed to this community.

Minutes

Councilman Barr made, and Councilman Armstrong seconded a motion to approve the minutes of the regular council meeting for January 24, 2022. Motion carried.

Police Report

Chief Morris read the Police report for the month of January 2022.

First Reading sponsored by Dustin Armstrong

Ordinance

- a) Hayden Sweat read the first reading of an ordinance relating to the rezoning of 246 S. Bardstown Road owned by BOA Properties, LLC from R-1 Residential to B-2 Central Business.

Sign In Sheet

Lynda Minzenberger, realtor for 246 S. Bardstown Road was present and said she could answer any questions anyone had.

Chaplin Joe Wells spoke on behalf of the Graveyard located at the corner of Branham Way and Highway 44E. He said the Mt. Washington Lyons Club will be spear heading a program that is called a "baby box" and alarm system with the Mt. Washington Fire Department. He said they are wanting to work with the youth in the community to probe the head stones and markers and erect a flagpole and a marker to provide some history of who is buried there.

Mayor Armstrong said he has been communicating with the Public Works Director on a drainage tile and will begin working on that project soon.

Dawn Hardin recommended Mr. Wells reach out to John St. Clair as she believes he has already surveyed the current head stones that have been moved thus far.

Councilwoman recommended Mr. Wells to contact the Boy Scouts as they are always looking for community projects.

Mayor's Report

The mayor announced the Spring Clean up days will be on Thursday, Friday and Saturday beginning April 28th - April 30th. The mayor read a list of items that are not allowed to be disposed of. Dawn Hardin stated information will be published in the pioneer news and a flyer will be advertised on the Facebook and the city website.

Report from City Council

Dustin Armstrong wished the basketball teams at BEHS Goodluck as they finish out their season as well as the wrestling team's post season.

Hayden congratulated the BEHS Cheerleaders for the Nationals as well.

Councilman Barr said he sends his condolences to the Troutman Family and said he was a true icon of Mt. Washington.

Executive Session

The mayor stated there is a need to enter executive session pursuant to KRS 61.810 for litigation. Councilman Maddox made a motion and Councilwoman Hockenbury seconded a motion to enter executive session at 7:02PM

Reconvene

Councilman Armstrong made a motion to reconvene at 7:32 PM and Councilman Thompson seconded the motion.

Adjournment

Councilman Thompson made, and Councilwoman Hockenbury seconded a motion to adjourn at 7:32 PM Motion carried.

Barry Armstrong
Mayor

Elizabeth D. Hardin
City Administrator