

**City of Williamsburg  
Regular council Meeting  
August 10, 2009  
6:00 p.m.**

The Williamsburg City Council met in special session on August 10, 2009 at 6:00 p.m. at the Williamsburg City Hall.

**Councilmembers Present:**

**Richard Foley  
Erica Harris  
J.L. Hamblin  
Chet Riley  
Mary Ann Stanfill**

**Absent:**

**Laurel West**

**Other Present:**

**Teresa Black, City Clerk; Greta Price, City Attorney; Alvin Sharpe, Director of Tourism and Whitley Republican**

**Mayor Roddy Harrison declared a quorum present and called the meeting to order.**

- I. Approve of the June 29, 2009 Regular Council Meeting and July 1, 2009 Special Council Meeting Minutes.

A motion by Councilmember Hamblin and seconded by Councilmember Foley to approve the June 29, 2009 Regular Council Meeting Minutes and July 1, 2009 Special Council meeting Minutes. All Voting aye motion carried.

- II. Floor Business**

None Discussed

**III. First Reading of an Ordinance establishing the City of Williamsburg Property Tax Rate for the Year 2009**

Mrs. Great Price, City Attorney read the first reading of an Ordinance establishing the City of Williamsburg Property Tax Rate for the year 2009.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Williamsburg, Kentucky, that the 2009 Tax Rate for Real Property shall be .2400 cents per \$100 dollar valuation; Personal Property including automobiles shall be .3175 cents per \$100 dollar valuation. Any City Property Taxes unpaid as of January 1, 2010 shall be assessed a penalty of Ten (10) percent, as well as interest at the rate of six (6) percent until paid.

Second reading September 14, 2009

**IV. First Reading of Year Sale Ordinance #09-004**

Mrs. Greta Price, City Attorney read the first reading of amending Ordinance #02-013, Section 5.24.050, Garage Sales/Yard Sales, establishing requirements and restrictions on operation of Garage Sales/Yard Sales. Setting fees repealing conflicting sections, providing for penalties and providing for publication and an effective date. Second reading will be September 14, 2009

**V. First Reading of Animal Control Ordinance #09-005**

Mrs. Greta Price, City Attorney read the first reading of an Ordinance establishing an addition to section 3.7 of Zoning Ordinance relating to harboring, registration, regulation, and safety of domesticated animals, I.E. dogs and cats, by the owners or custodians. Second reading will be September 14, 2009.

**VI. Council Comments**

Councilmember Foley

- asked why the sidewalk was not replaced in front of Arby's
- asked if the street sweeper could be used on 11<sup>th</sup> Street
- stated that a pot hole needs to be patched near the sidewalk on main Street and the City School near the Kiwk Shop
- asked if the fire hydrant had been replaced on 2<sup>nd</sup> Street
- asked if the sidewalk had been replaced in front of Stan Lovitt's residence
- asked when the repair work was going to be completed on the interstate

Councilmember Riley

- stated a pot hole needs to be repaired on South 2<sup>nd</sup> Street
- asked about the lights on town hill. Mayor stated that the lights should be installed in about a month.
- asked about the progress on getting the old Direct Station torn down

Councilmember Harris

- stated she was concerned about the sidewalk at the corner of 10<sup>th</sup> and Main Street. Stated that the drain was taken out when the sidewalk was repaired and it now leaves standing water when there is a hard rain. Councilmember Harris stated that it could be very dangerous this winter when it freezes.
- asked if area around Butch's could be cleaned up.

Councilmember Hamblin

- stated that the sidewalk on 2<sup>nd</sup> Street in front of Mrs. Upton's residences needs to be repaired
- stated that a guardrail needs to be installed on Brush Arbor
- asked if a sidewalk could be place in front of Mr. Moses residences on main Street next to the city school.
- stated that the street light at the school needs to be brighter
- commended Anderson Construction on a great job they did on the Rains Street Pump Station

## **VII. Adjournment**

There being no further business a motion to adjourn was made by Councilmember Riley and seconded by Councilmember Stanfill. All voting aye, motion carried.

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Roddy Harrison, Mayor

ATTEST

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Teresa Black, City Clerk