

**MINUTES  
SEPTEMBER 30, 2019  
MONTEAGLE CITY COUNCIL**

**PRESENT:**                   **VICE MAYOR, TONY GILLIAM  
KENNETH GIPSON  
JESSICA BLALOCK  
BECKY BYERS**

**ABSENT:**                   **DAVID SAMPLEY**

The regular monthly meeting of the Monteagle City Council was called to order at 6:00 by Vice Mayor Tony Gilliam. Following the prayer and the pledge of allegiance a motion was made by Alderman Gipson to approve the minutes of August 26, 2019. Alderman Byers seconded the motion and it passed 4/0.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT – Chief Jack Hill reported that two new officers have been hired, Matt Kilgore and AJ Cunningham. Chief Hill is having the radar guns repaired and he has ordered radios.**

**FIRE DEPARTMENT – Chief Mike Holmes reported that they received the Assistance to Fire Fighters Grant. The council gave him permission to get bids for the equipment.**

**PARKS & REC. – Alderman Blalock reported that the Halloween Parade will be on October 26<sup>th</sup> at noon at Monteagle School and go to Harton Park. Businesses and anyone else can set up on the sides of**

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**College Street to hand out candy. The Christmas Parade will be on November 30, 2019.**

**UTILITY – Mr. John Condra reported that the water level is good as of this date. He requested the city hire an engineer. Smoke testing will begin on October 1, 2019. No Parking signs have been placed at Builders Supply. The workers are repairing the Snowflakes and getting ready for Christmas.**

**ALDERMAN – Alderman Byers reported that the fall decorations will begin on Wednesday. Vice Mayor Tony Gilliam reported that he and several employees have been discussing a road from Laurel Lake to Wells Road. There was discussion and Alderman Gipson made a motion to purchase land from Kyle Carver & Company for \$10,000 plus survey and closing cost. Alderman Blalock seconded the motion and it passed 4/0.**

**MOUNTAIN GOAT TRAIL – Mr. Nate Wilson was present to ask the city to apply for a Multimodal Grant. The Council has lots of questions about the bridge and responsibility of the trail. There will be a Special called meeting next week to discuss this issue.**

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**NEW BUSINESS**

**BIDS FOR THE ROOF AT THE POST OFFICE – The city council accepted bids for a new roof at the Monteagle Post Office. Capps Roofing was \$15,540.00. All About Roof & Remodeling was \$16,500.00. Alderman Byers made a motion to accept the low bid from Capps Roofing. Alderman Blalock seconded the motion and it passed 4/0.**

**ORDINANCE 05-19 TO AMEND THE CAPITAL ASSET REPLACEMENT PROGRAM – Alderman Gipson made a motion to accept this ordinance on first reading. Alderman Byers seconded the motion and it passed 4/0.**

**CITIZENS HEARING**

**Mr. Waller asked if the city could check on a county road to see if the pot holes could be fixed and someone asked about the logging on Laurel Lake road.**

**There being no other business the meeting adjourned at 6:36 pm.**

**Respectfully Submitted,**

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**Vice Mayor, Tony Gilliam**

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**City Recorder, Debbie Taylor**

