# TRENTON CITY COUNCIL MAY 14, 2024 6:00 PM TRENTON CITY HALL

Mayor Burriss called the regular scheduled meeting to order. Those present were Aldermen Graves, Wade, Harper, Alderwomen Holt, Jones, and Elam. City employees were Ricky Bailey, Phil Hickerson, Joe Wamble, Terry Brown, Bill Cusson, Jeff Mueller, Logan Roberts, Eric Horne, Wyatt Butler, and Leigh Reynolds. Visitors present were Shirley Penn, Marie Thomas, Clintonisha Moore, Handy Cherenfant and Teri Bolden.

Alderwoman Jones led the invocation followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Alderman Wade made a motion to approve the minutes of the April 23, 2024 council meeting. Alderwoman Holt seconded the motion. The motion carried by voice vote.

### RECORDER'S REPORT

Leigh Reynolds reported the expenditures for the month. Alderman Graves made a motion to approve the expenditures with general fund being \$222,698.66 and sanitation \$63,471.28. Alderwoman Elam seconded the motion. The motion carried by voice vote.

# CITIZEN'S INPUT

Teri Bolden residing on Church Street stated that on Central and Church Street there are potholes and at the end of Central Street why is the city dumping leaves and mulch, it is a health hazard and looks awful.

Shirley Penn stated that she did not like the dumping of leaves and people go to the end of Central and sit for hours and she feels like she is in danger.

# **NEW BUSINESS**

INTRODUCTION OF NEW POLICE OFFICER JUSTIN WIGTION

Chief Cusson introduced their new police officer Justin Wigtion. Justin started at the end of April and is fresh out of the Marine Corp.

# LPRF GRANT FINAL PUBLIC MEETING MAY 17TH

Mayor Burriss stated that the final LPRF will be May 17, 2024 starting at 6:00 pm and would like to see several citizens because the more that attend will give us more points on our grant.

# MUSIC ON THE SQUARE MAY 18<sup>TH</sup>

Saturday May 18, 2024 will be gospel night at Music on the Square.

# TRENTON LIGHT AND WATER

Joe Wamble stated that the next TL&W meeting will be May 20<sup>th</sup> and they should be in the new building by the 1<sup>st</sup> of June.

# **ALDERPERSON REPORTS**

All Aldermen and Alderwomen thanked everyone for coming to the meeting. They welcomed Justin Wigtion to the police department and appreciate all employee's hard work.

Alderman Wade and Alderwoman Elam would like to see if there could be something done on Central Street.

# **MAYOR'S REPORT**

Tomorrow we will lower our flags to half-staff for police officers Memorial Day. Budget meeting May 15, 2024 10:00am.

May 20<sup>th</sup> Utility Board meeting with strategic meeting following.

Closed May 27, 2024 for Memorial Day.

Next council meeting May 28th.

Mayor Burriss welcomed Justin to the police department

Alderman Graves made a motion to adjourn at 6:31 pm. Alderwoman Elam seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Tony Burriss, Mayor

Leigh Reynolds, City Recorder