



**Minutes of the City Council Special Meeting**  
**Jennings City Hall**  
**December 5, 2018 – 5:30 p.m.**

The two thousand three hundred eighty-seventh meeting of the Jennings City Council was held on Wednesday, December 5, 2018 at 5:30 p.m. at Jennings City Hall.

**Special Meeting**

1. ***Call to Order*** – The Special City Council Meeting for December 5, 2018 was called to order at 5:32 p.m.
2. ***Roll Call***

Council Members present:

Allan Stichnote, Terry Wilson, Phyllis Anderson, Julia Roberts, Rodney Epps, Carol Epps

Absent: Miranda Jones, Francine Dugger

3. ***Approval of the Agenda***

On the motion made by councilman Wilson, seconded by councilman Rodney Epps, the Council voted in favor to approve the agenda.

4. ***New Business***

Resolution approving the notice of the election

On the motion made by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilman Rodney Epps, the Council voted in favor to approve the resolution of the Notice of the Election to be held on in the City of Jennings on Tuesday, April 2, 2019 for the following offices: Mayor, one Council member each for the first, second, third and fourth wards (each for a term of two years). The notice also announced the filing dates and fee for qualified candidates for the offices.

5. ***Closed Session Personnel (RSMO 610:021-3)***

On the motion made by Councilman Terry Wilson, seconded by Councilman Rodney Epps, the Council voted by the following roll call vote for a Closed Session for Personnel (RSMO 610:021-3). Councilmembers voting: Stichnote, Wilson, Anderson, Roberts, R. Epps, C. Epps. Absent: Jones and Dugger; none opposing nor abstaining.

Closed Session

On the motion made by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilman R. Epps, the Council voted by the following roll call vote to accept the recommendation of Jim Maixner to hire Preston Wilson as the Full Time Laborer pending the approval of all background tests and pre-employment screening. Councilmembers voting: Stichnote, Wilson, Anderson, Roberts, R. Epps, C. Epps; absent were: Jones and Dugger; none opposing nor abstaining.

On the motion made by Councilwoman Anderson, seconded by Councilman Wilson, the Council voted by the following roll call vote to accept the recommendation of Jim Maixner to hire David Smith as the Public Works Independent Contractor Laborer #1 and 1<sup>st</sup> Alternate full time

laborer, pending the approval of all background tests and pre-employment screening. Councilmembers voting: Stichnote, Wilson, Anderson, Roberts, R. Epps, C. Epps; absent were: Jones and Dugger; none opposing nor abstaining.

On the motion made by Councilwoman C. Epps, seconded by Councilman Wilson, the Council voted by the following roll call vote to accept the recommendation of Jim Maixner to hire Kenneth Connelly as the Public Works Independent Contractor Laborer #2 and 2<sup>nd</sup> Alternate full time laborer, pending the approval of all background tests and pre-employment screening. Councilmembers voting: Stichnote, Wilson, Anderson, Roberts, R. Epps, C. Epps; absent were: Jones and Dugger; none opposing nor abstaining.

On the motion made by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilman R. Epps, the Council voted by the following roll call vote to accept the recommendation of Jim Maixner to add Roosevelt Washington as the 3<sup>rd</sup> Alternate for the Public Works Full Time Laborer and 3<sup>rd</sup> Alternate Public Works Independent Contractor Laborer, pending the approval of all background tests and pre-employment screening. Councilmembers voting: Stichnote, Wilson, Anderson, Roberts, R. Epps, C. Epps; absent were: Jones and Dugger; none opposing nor abstaining.

On the motion made by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilman R. Epps, the Council voted by the following roll call vote to accept the recommendation of Jim Maixner to add Zachary Krouse as the 4<sup>th</sup> Alternate for the Public Works Full Time Laborer and 4<sup>th</sup> Alternate Public Works Independent Contractor Laborer, pending the approval of all background tests and pre-employment screening. Councilmembers voting: Stichnote, Wilson, Anderson, Roberts, R. Epps, C. Epps; absent were: Jones and Dugger; none opposing nor abstaining.

On the motion made by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilwoman Anderson, the Council voted by the following roll call vote to accept the recommendation of Mayor Austin to terminate William Kaeshamer, Public Works Director. Councilmembers voting: Stichnote, Wilson, Anderson, Roberts, R. Epps, C. Epps; absent were: Jones and Dugger; none opposing nor abstaining.

On the motion made by Councilman R. Epps, seconded by Councilwoman C. Epps, the Council voted by the following roll call vote to accept the recommendation of Mayor Austin to terminate Ian Larson, Public Works Mechanic. Councilmembers voting: Stichnote, Wilson, Anderson, Roberts, R. Epps, C. Epps; absent were: Jones and Dugger; none opposing nor abstaining.

On the motion made by Councilman R. Epps, seconded by Councilwoman C. Epps, the Council voted by the following roll call vote to accept the recommendation of Mayor Austin to promote James "Jim" Maixner as the Public Works Interim Director. Councilmembers voting: Stichnote, Wilson, Anderson, Roberts, R. Epps, C. Epps; absent were: Jones and Dugger; none opposing nor abstaining.

#### ADJOURNMENT

On the motion made by Councilman Terry Wilson, seconded by Councilwoman Anderson, the meeting was adjourned at 5:51 p.m.

ATTESTS:



Yolanda Austin, Mayor



Deletra Hudson, City Clerk