

The two thousand three hundred thirty first meeting of the Jennings City Council was held on Friday, April 1, 2016 at 4:30 p.m. at City Hall. Present were Mayor Fountain Henderson, and councilmembers Yolanda Brown, Miranda Jones, Francine Dugger, Yolonda Fortson and Nicole Cook. Councilmembers David Schmerber, Rodney Epps and Carol Epps were absent. Also present was City Clerk Cheryl Balke, city attorney Jamis Kresyman was absent.

First discussed were the bids for grass cutting. Mayor Fountain Henderson stated that the bid specs did not require a certain number of employees or amount of equipment. It was also noted that none of the contractors had been asked for proof of worker's comp or liability insurance. On a motion by Councilwoman Fortson, second by Councilwoman Jones, the matter will be tabled until the insurance information is obtained.

On a motion by Councilwoman Fortson , second by Councilwoman Cook, a closed session for personnel matters (RSMO 610:021 – 3) was called and approved by the following roll call vote: voting in favor were Councilmembers Brown, Jones, Dugger, Fortson and Cook; no one voting against or abstaining.

A personnel matter was discussed and then City Clerk Cheryl Balke was asked to leave the meeting. Councilmembers later stated that no votes had been taken during the closed session.

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Mayor Yolonda Fountain Henderson

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City Clerk