

March 12, 2025

WINCHESTER SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING

The Winchester City Council held special meeting March 12, 2025 at City Hall.

Mayor McIntire called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm. with the following council in attendance: Jeff Pittman, Bill Jacquot, Terry Gregory, Ron Bell and City Clerk Teri Little. Absent Alderwomen Tina Brown and Melinda Hembrough.

Also, in attendance was John Simmons, Supt of Public Works; Wanda Cody, Treasurer, John Paul Coonrod, City Attorney; Derrick Evans, Assistant Supt of Public Works; Denny Bangert, Rep of Local 965; Jason Rhodes, Rep of Local 965.

John Simmons, Supt of Public Works, requesting to hire 2 high schoolers for summer help. They would be doing regular jobs so the city crew could focus on larger items. They would be doing mowing, trimming, painting, cold patching, street cleaning and other jobs as needed.

Council not sure on hiring but can go ahead and get applications. City Clerk will send add to high school to announce job and give applications to be able to pick up at office or city hall. They will need to be turned in no later than April 25th. Must be 16 years of age.

The CBA (collective bargaining agreement) is being discussed in the meeting this evening to go over the items that were asked to be addressed. Items discussed were the working of longevity and pay, opting out of insurance and what the stipend would be monthly, vacation time carry over and amount of increase for license completion. Also, lead person and disciplinary action process. Defining what pay the assistant would receive if the lead person is out for long period of time.

MOTION: Ron Bell moved and Jeff Pittman second to adjourn at 7:20 pm. Roll call resulted in all yeas. Motion carried.



Rex McIntire, Mayor



Teri Little, City Clerk