

WORKSHOP

CITY OF VERNON

June 3, 2019

6:30 PM

PRESENT-MAYOR: LAURA BREWER; COUNCIL MEMBERS: JOEY BROCK, GWEN MARCH, JEANIE SHIPES, BECKY BAXLEY; CITY CLERK: TRACY WALKER; PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR: RONALD WOOD; PLANT OPERATOR: JIMMY COOK; FIRE CHIEF: MIKE OWENS

Public Participation Timothy Garner has started using the Sports Engine website and performed the first background check which has been reviewed and approved by the attorney, but we may have to amend our ordinance; Scott Parrish (along with his family) came before the council with his statement regarding allegations of abuse while coaching brought before the council; Rhonda Dickinson spoke with the building inspector today regarding the gazebo, she needs a letter from the City giving the Garden Club permission to place the gazebo on the City Square, the tree closest to the bridge needs to be relocated, the TDC is offering free advertisements-for our annual Christmas Bazaar; Timothy Garner, once again addressed the immediate need for a secure e-mail system with some type of retention; Pamela Anderson of Project Hope in association with Life Management are trying to make sure that individuals can get assistance from EOC (Connie Welch) if they still have tarps on their homes, she will leave some tarps here if anyone needs them

1. **Security Cameras** – Travis Hall was present and agreed to being work at the City Hall and add cameras as needed; this will be added to the next agenda
2. **ADA Compliant Website** – the City Clerk provided several quotes for an ADA compliant website; this item will be added to the next agenda
3. **Secure E-mails** – addressed in the public meeting
4. **Roof quotes** – Vernon and Ronnie Brady of Code Red Roofers came in to explain a little more detail about their quote including the optional upgrade of peel and stick underlayment which is approximately 300 squares to be replaced and a 30 year warranty
5. **Eric Ryan Corporation offer** – with the sample that I provided, they found that we were due a refund from Gulf Power and monthly savings
6. **Letter to First Federal Bank** – the City Clerk provided a letter to the entire Council to remove Tina Sloan and Gary Owens as well as to add Joey Brock as a primary signer
7. **Misc. issues** – Christina went over the issues that were presented to the Council

F/D Report – just as a reminder: we are under a burn ban – DO NOT BURN; Vernon now has a true skid unit; Cowboy asked if anyone has been by the F/D to take a look

Ronald Wood – the screen has been welded at the plant, we are staying busy; Becky asked about the meter at the football field, Joey asked how old the meter is Bulldog said it has been in the ground as long as he has been with the City, Jimmy said that he would review the Well readings to see if he can find a huge increase to account for this

Jeanie Shipes – asked for CHILDREN AT PLAY signs to be placed around the fields

With no further business to discuss, the Workshop was adjourned at 8:25 PM