

Eddie Pierce
Mayor

City of Red Bank
COMMISSIONERS AGENDA WORK SESSION
RED BANK CITY HALL

Tim Thornbury
City Manager

Minutes
May 7, 2019
4:00 p.m.

The Board of Commissioners met in a public and advertised Agenda Work Session on May 7, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. The purpose of the meeting was to receive information on upcoming business items. Those in attendance were Vice Mayor Terry Pope, Commissioner Ruth Jeno, Commissioner Ed LeCompte and Commissioner Carol Rose, Mayor Pierce was absent. Also present were City Manager Tim Thornbury, City Attorney Arnold Stulce, Police Chief Dan Seymour, Fire Chief Mark Mathews, Finance Director John Alexander and City Recorder Ruth Rohen. There were no citizen attendees.

1. City Manager Thornbury asked the Commission for suggestions of projects to present to the Red Bank and Soddy Daisy Foundation for funding. Several items were suggested. He advised that he would send a formal request letter to the Foundation with the two top suggestions.
2. Vice Mayor Pope advised that there is a resolution on the agenda tonight to authorize the Police Department to apply for a 50% grant that will be used to purchase 12 bulletproof vests that will replace expiring vests and to issue to new police officers. Cost to the city for purchase of the 12 vests is \$4,290.00.
3. Vice Mayor Pope advised that there is a resolution on the agenda tonight to approve an agreement with Kleenco Construction of Tennessee to replace a portion of a box culvert over Stringers Branch at Brentwood Drive. Total cost of the agreement is in an amount not to exceed \$105,526.85. City Attorney Stulce explained that he is working through some contract issues regarding insurance and the performance bond.
4. In an effort to assist new businesses moving to Red Bank, Commissioners discussed several variations of changes to the sign ordinance, regarding pole signs. The consensus is that Commissioners would like to allow 12 months from a triggering event, as detailed in the ordinance, for businesses to remove pole signs. City Manager Thornbury and City Attorney Stulce will draft amendments to the existing ordinance and bring back to the Commission for review.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:45 p.m.

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City Recorder