April 2, 2013

Present: Aldermen: Lisa Shook

Bernard Taylor Houston Sanders Russell Wilson

Absent: Allen Lee

Also present: Frank Peel Cissy Bordelon

Lori Bell, Board Attorney

Press: Amanda Ferguson

Be it remembered the Mayor and Board of Aldermen met in regular session on Tuesday, April 2, 2013, at 6:30 p.m.

A motion was made by Alderman Sanders, seconded by Alderman Shook and approved the Amended Agenda for April 2rd. A motion was made by Alderman Sanders, seconded by Alderman Shook and approved the regular portion of the March, 2013 minutes. A motion was made by Alderman Taylor, seconded by Alderman Wilson and approved the Special called meeting for March.

Alderman Taylor stated he had talked with Clark Fence Company regarding a hand rail that is needed at the steps in front the Carroll County Tax Assessor Office. There will be 2 rails made by ADA requirements, (a copy of drawing of rails attached to these minutes) for a cost of \$931.00. exhibit "A"

The Board discussed that before the rails are installed, the street on the North side of the Courthouse needs to be stripped for parking. A motion was made by Alderman Sanders, seconded by Alderman Taylor and approved to have these hand rails installed after the street is marked for parking. The County will be notified that the Town plans to mark this street for parking.

Alderman Taylor also reported on the street signs, to be installed on all streets in the town, where Tommy Goodman had originally gotten a price from Jones Sign Co. Mr. Goodman has been working with the Pilgrimage Committee and the Town to get these signs installed. Mr. Goodman obtained a new quote from Ainsworth Sign Company for double sided street signs mounted on cedar posts (27 signs on 19 post) and installed, at a cost of \$4,645.00. A price of \$3,950.00 was also given that does not include installation. A motion was made by Alderman Taylor, seconded by Alderman Sanders and approved for the Town to pay ½ of the cost of the signs which would be \$2,322.50, money to come from Capital Improvements Fund. Exhibit "B"

Vice-Mayor Wilson reported that he met with the Board of Supervisors with a copy of the letter that was sent to the Sheriff Office regarding traffic speeding through town and especially at the 4-way stop. The Board stated they would talk with the Sheriff when he returns to work, having been out for knee surgery.

The board clerk stated that Freeda White Johnson called asking to use the community house once a week for the next two months at no cost. She is working through Southern Univ., the Medical Center and Dept of Health to train volunteer workers to get as many men as possible to have cancer screening and then help these persons get medical attention. A motion was made by Alderman Sanders, seconded by Alderman Shook and approved to decline free rental, she would be required to pay the \$200.00 month. She will be given the name and number of the Superintendent of Education.

A motion was made by Alderman Sanders, seconded by Alderman Taylor and approved to pay bills as read.

There being no further business to come before the Board a motion was made by Alderman Sanders, duly seconded by Alderman Wilson and approved to recess until Tuesday, May 7, 2013, 6:30 p.m.

Linda B. McGregor, Clerk

Russell Wilson, Vice Mayor
Town of Carrollton