



Monday, August 19, 2024
Special City Council Meeting Minutes
Oak Grove Council Chambers

The Oak Grove City Council convened on August 19, 2024, at 5:00 p.m. The session took place at the Oak Grove Council Chambers, located at 8505 Pembroke Oak Grove Road, Oak Grove, Kentucky. In attendance were Mayor Jacqueline Oliver, along with Council Members Jean Leavell, Richard Baker, John Campbell, Janet Edwards, and Isaiah Spencer. Also present were Assistant Police Chief Victor Lynch, and City Clerk Lorelynn Fisher. Council Member Edward Cook was absent. There were approximately six individuals in attendance.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Jacqueline Oliver called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

OPENING CEREMONIES

Council Member Jean Leavell moved to dispense with formalities, and Council Member Isaiah Spencer seconded. A voice vote was conducted, and the motion passed unanimously.

ROLL CALL OF ATTENDANCE

Council Members Jean Leavell, Richard Baker, John Campbell, Janet Edwards, and Isaiah Spencer were present for the meeting, constituting a quorum. Council Member Edward Cook was absent.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mayor Jacqueline Oliver requested the approval of the minutes from the August 15, 2024, meeting. Council Member John Campbell moved to approve the minutes, and Council Member Isaiah Spencer seconded. A voice vote was conducted, and the motion passed unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

Council Member Jean Leavell moved to wait for State Representative Dossett to arrive, and Council Member John Campbell seconded. A voice vote was conducted, and the motion passed unanimously. State Representative Myron Dossett arrived at 5:27 p.m.

- **Discussion with State Representative Myron Dossett on Oak Grove concerns:** The conversation covered several topics, including Hwy 115, where Dossett mentioned that the section from Hwy 115 to I-24 is already funded. He is currently advocating for the widening to continue up to Stateline Rd. Other topics discussed included funding cycles, and the Fire

Department—specifically hybrid versus full-time staffing—with Dossett noting that he serves on a Veteran Military Affairs Committee and will bring this matter to their attention. Economic development, Governor awards, the General Assembly budget, school bus safety, the I-24 widening project (which could take 10-15 years to start), and road signage, where many signs need replacing, were also addressed. The city council allowed the audience to ask Dossett questions regarding city matters.

ADJOURNMENT

Council Member John Campbell moved to adjourn the meeting, and Council Member Isaiah Spencer seconded. A voice vote was conducted, and the motion passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at approximately 6:12 p.m.

PREPARED BY:

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Lorelynn Fisher, MMC, CKMC
City Clerk
City of Oak Grove

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DATE

APPROVED:

_____/s/_____
Jacqueline Oliver, Mayor
City of Oak Grove

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DATE

ATTEST:

_____/s/_____
Ann Spencer
Administrative Assistant to City Hall
City of Oak Grove

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DATE