

# SEARCY CITY COUNCIL – REGULAR MEETING

1/14/20 6:00 pm  
SEARCY CITY HALL - 401 WEST ARCH

**6:00 p.m. - Public hearing – determining the amounts of liens to be certified to the White County Tax Collector against certain properties as a result of grass cutting expenses and abatement of other nuisances**

## Agenda

1. Call to Order – Mayor Kyle Osborne;
2. Roll Call;
3. Suspend the rules and amend the agenda to add item: (16-1-d) budget ordinance appropriation to purchase 96-gallon trash containers, (16-2-f) budget ordinance authorization to expend funds to purchase 96-gallon trash containers, (16-1-e) budget ordinance appropriation for the Belle Meade drainage project, and (16-2-g) budget ordinance authorization to expend funds for the Belle Meade drainage project;
4. Approval of Minutes – December 10, 2019 regular Council meeting;
5. Treasurer’s Report;
6. Appointment of Lisa Wray to a three-year term on the Searcy Planning Commission with the term set to expire on February 8, 2023;
7. Review and approval of the City of Searcy Governing Body procedures for 2020;
8. Discussion and setting a date for a public hearing regarding vacating a portion of East Market Avenue (between Main Street and Locust Street);
9. Resolution – Authorization to apply for a grant from the Arkansas Department of Aeronautics on behalf of the Searcy Airport Commission;
10. Resolution – Authorizing the execution and performance of certain agreements, vehicle lease for the Central Arkansas Drug Task Force;
11. Resolution – Approving the amounts of liens to be certified to the White County Tax Collector as a result of grass cutting expenses and abatement of other nuisances;
12. Resolution – Approving certain contracts, Main Street Searcy, Humane Society of Searcy, Searcy Regional Chamber of Commerce, Metro Little Rock Alliance, White County Historical Society/Pioneer Village, White County Aging Program/Lightle Senior Citizen Center, and the Searcy Arts Council/Black House;

13. Resolution – Authorizing the execution and performance of certain agreements, Library building and Pyeatt Building cleaning services;
14. Ordinance – Amending the Searcy Employee Handbook;
15. Ordinance - Adopting the budget for operation of the City of Searcy for the calendar year 2020;
16. Ordinance – Budget appropriation in the absence of a budget for 2020

**Section 1.** The following sums are appropriated in the absence of a budget for the City of Searcy, Arkansas:

- a. Appropriate \$100,000.00 to ‘TRANSFER TO LOPFI FUND’ expenditure account (14 5-190-05-04) in the 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund and appropriate \$100,000.00 to ‘TRANSFER FROM 2014 EIGHT YEAR PLAN FUND’ revenue account (05 4-000-80-12) in the LOPFI Fund;
- b. Appropriate \$70,097.70 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to ‘ROLLING MEADOWS/CLOVERDALE DRAINAGE’ expenditure account (#14 5-130-05-02) for Rolling Meadows/Cloverdale Addition drainage improvement project construction services;
- c. Appropriate \$8,606.00 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to ‘ROLLING MEADOWS/CLOVERDALE DRAINAGE’ expenditure account (#14 5-130-05-02) for Rolling Meadows/Cloverdale Addition drainage improvement project engineering services;
- d. Appropriate \$7,462.80 from 2014 Eight Year Plan unappropriated reserves to ‘SIDE-ARM TRASH CONTAINERS’ expenditure account (#14 54-090-53-02) for 96-gallon trash containers;
- e. Appropriate \$30,760.00 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to ‘BELLE MEADE DRAINAGE’ expenditure account (#14 5-130-05-06) for Belle Meade drainage improvement project construction services;

**Section 2.** The Mayor and City Clerk are authorized to expend the following sums:

- a. \$17,289.28 to Stephenson Oil Company for fuel for all departments;
- b. \$108,217.06 to Regions Bank for payment on the loan for the construction of the Searcy Swim Center (#14 5-085-05-01);
- c. Transfer \$100,000.00 from the City of Searcy 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund to the City of Searcy LOPFI Fund for payment of LOPFI Retirement obligation (#14 5-190-05-04);
- d. \$70,097.70 to Burkhalter Technologies, Inc. for construction services on the Rolling Meadows/Cloverdale drainage improvement project (#14 5-130-05-02);
- e. \$8,606.00 to Morrison – Shipley Engineers Inc. for Rolling Meadows/Cloverdale Addition drainage improvement project engineering services (#14 5-130-05-02);
- f. \$7,462.80 to Toter Wastequip, LLC for 96-gallon trash containers (#14 5-090-53-02);
- g. \$30,760.00 to Johnny Brock Excavating & Landscaping, Inc. for construction services on the Belle Meade drainage improvement project (#14 5-130-05-02);

Announcements:

- City offices will be closed for Martin Luther King Jr. Day on Monday, January 20, 2020
- Statements of Financial Interest are to be returned to City Hall by January 31, 2020