The Wilsonville Town Council met Monday, May 02, 0222, in the Council Chamber Room at the Wilsonville Town Hall. Mayor Ricky Morris called the meeting to order at 6:30 P. M. Mayor Morris thanked everyone for their prayers, cards, food, and concern during the recent loss of his wife, Karen.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Councilman Don Belcher.

Councilman Belcher led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

The following council members answered roll call: Richard Atchison, Don Belcher, Mavis Cohill, Lauren Kennamer, Larry Lowe, Blake Ray, Melissa Rosetta.

The minutes of the April 04, 2022, regular council meeting (mailed to the council members before this meeting) were reviewed. Blake Ray made a motion to approve the minutes, as presented; Larry Lowe seconded. The motion passed with the following vote:
Richard Atchison, yes; Don Belcher, yes; Mavis Cohill, abstain; Lauren Kennamer, abstain; Larry Lowe, yes; Blake Ray, yes; Melissa Rosetta, yes.

The April Treasurer's Report was presented by Councilwoman Lauren Kennamer, as follows:

GENERAL FUND	Total Income:	$59,776.22
	Total Expense:	$91,852.93
	Net Income:	($32,076.71)
	Total Liquid Assets:	$2,173,185.67
WATER WORKS	Total Income:	$46,876.25
	Total Expense:	$27,359.52
	Net Income:	$19,516.73
	Total Liquid Assets:	$822,055.17

Checks were examined by the council members immediately prior to the meeting. Don Belcher made a motion to approve the checks for mailing; Mavis Cohill seconded. The motion passed with the following vote: Melissa Rosetta, yes; Blake Ray, yes; Larry Lowe, yes;
Lauren Kennamer, yes; Mavis Cohill, yes; Don Belcher, yes; Richard Atchison, yes.

Reggie and Rhonda Randolph called and asked to be removed from the agenda.

Donna Beaulieu, candidate for Shelby County Circuit Judge, Place 1, spoke to the council. She has been a practicing attorney in Pelham for the past twenty-four years. She is a wife, mother, grandmother, and attorney. She fights for the United States Constitution, supporting strict interpretation and free speech. She believes in reading and interpreting the law. She asked for support in the upcoming election.

Philip Bahakel is a candidate for Shelby County District Judge, the position now held by Judge Cramer, Juvenile Judge. He is a Republican and has experience. He is a hard worker, working six or seven days a week. He has love and affection for those he represents. His is also active in the community. He asked for support in the upcoming election.

Surplus property was the next item on the agenda. Richard Atchison made a motion to declare the following items surplus property in order that those items can be sold: one of the X-Mark lawn mowers, the bucket truck, the dog truck, and the forestry cutter attachment for the Bob Cat. Larry Lowe seconded the motion which passed with the following vote: Richard Atchison yes; Don Belcher, yes; Mavis Cohill, yes; Lauren Kennamer, yes; Larry Lowe, yes; Blake Ray, yes; Melissa Rosetta, yes.

The list of uncollectable utility accounts for 2021 was discussed. These amounts will be deducted from the accounts; however, if those customers return to Wilsonville, the amounts owed will be collected before they can receive water and garbage service again. Larry Lowe made a motion to approve the list as uncollectable; Don Belcher seconded. The motion passed with the following vote: Richard Atchison, yes; Don Belcher, yes; Mavis Cohill, yes; Lauren Kennamer, yes; Larry Lowe, yes; Blake Ray, yes; Melissa Rosetta, yes.

Mayor/Council Comment

The mayor stated the air conditioning unit for the council chamber room is not working. He and the town clerk made the decision to replace the unit which was installed when the building was renovated in 2006. The new unit should be here tomorrow and will cost between $8,000.00 and $10,000.00.

Blake Ray reported the dirt work has been done on the lot behind Fire Station Number 1 in preparation for the storm shelter. Concrete will be poured and will have to cure for thirty days. Then the shelter will be delivered. He thanked Richard Atchison for handling the moving of the power line by Alabama Power.

Melissa Rosetta stated there were three-hundred families served by the Food Bank give-away in April. She also reminded everyone of the Ville Mart, Saturday, May 14, at Central Park. All vendors are welcome.

Melissa Rosetta and Mavis Cohill reported the Wilsonville Games will be Saturday, May 21, at Helms Park from 10:00 A. M. until Noon. There will be games and inflatables at no charge. There will also be food trucks from which purchases may be made. We could still use some more games.

Blake Ray thanked Scotty Morris for all his work on the ball fields at Helms Park. Scotty Morris thanked the council for the investment in the parks. There are church groups playing softball on the fields now. He hopes to upgrade Yellowleaf Park next year.

Robin Griffin reported the library is open and thanked the council for the matching money provided for a grant she applied for and received. Upcoming events include the Summer Reading Program in June and weekly events planned for June and July.

Melissa Rosetta mentioned the plant swap at the library has been very successful.

Don Belcher asked if something can be done about the dip in the walking track at Oak Meadow Park. He said water collects there. It was a problem at a recent marathon event at the park. Richard Atchison pointed out the dip is there for drainage. Perhaps some kind of cover can be put there.

Following the meeting, there will be a Retirement Reception, honoring Roger Perry, who has worked for the Town of Wilsonville for thirty years and five months. Scotty Morris commented on Roger's dedication to the Town. Former Mayor Lee McCarty stated he worked with Roger for eight years and also commended him on his dedication to his job.

There being no further business to come before the council, Richard Atchison made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Larry Lowe seconded the motion which received unanimous approval.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:59 P. M.

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Ricky Morris, Mayor

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Attest