

April 26, 2010  
Seven o'clock P.M.  
North Little Rock City Hall Council Chambers  
300 Main Street  
North Little Rock, Arkansas

The regular meeting of the North Little Rock City Council scheduled for Monday, April 26, 2010, was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by the honorable Mayor PATRICK HENRY HAYS. The roll having been called, and the following Aldermen answered to their names: DEBI ROSS, BETH WHITE, MAURICE TAYLOR, LINDA ROBINSON, SAM BAGGETT, JIMMY PHILLIPS, CHARLIE HIGHT, and MURRY WITCHER (8/0), a quorum was declared. City Clerk Diane Whitbey and City Attorney, C. Jason Carter were also present.

The invocation was given by Alderman Witcher, followed by the pledge of allegiance to the flag which was led by Alderman Hight.

On the motion of Alderman Witcher, and seconded by Alderman Hight, and by consent of all members present, the minutes of a regular council meeting and a Special Call meeting held on Monday, April 12, 2010, were approved, accepted and filed as prepared by the City Clerk (8/0).

On the motion of Alderman Witcher and seconded by Alderwoman Robinson, and by consent of all members present, communications #1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 were accepted and filed (8/0).

1. Richard Rowland (2116 N. Magnolia Street), Petition requesting Speed Hump on (North) Magnolia N Street (*11 signatures for, none opposed*).
2. Becky Taylor, Mayor's Office, signatures supporting continued prayer at North Little Rock City Council Meetings (31 signatures).
3. Glinda Craigmyle, Mayor's Office memorandum re: application for *NEW Small Farm Winery, Retail* for USA Drugs #15, 2743 Lakewood Village, North Little Rock.
4. Mayor Hays - email from Robert Fureigh re: O-10-31, extending the Moratorium on Electronic Changeable Copy Signs.
5. Becky Taylor, Mayor's Office, signatures supporting continued prayer at North Little Rock City Council Meetings (31 Signatures).

Mayor Hays invited Mr. Keith Dover to come forward. Mr. Dover is the Public Relations Chairman for the American Legion of Arkansas and a former resident of Levy. On Saturday, March 13, 2010, the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Arkansas Junior Free Position Air Rifle Championship was held at Fisher Armory in North Little Rock. Mayor Hays congratulated members of the North Little Rock Junior ROTC Rifle Team which included Hannah Weatherford, Tyrail Mitchell, Kamen Ester, Khorey Washington, Christian Martinez, Stevie Faisst, Amber Watson, Kalen Star, Alex Watkins, Landon Grimmatt, Timothy Turner, Pedro Torres, John Alford and Tanner Armstrong. Mayor Hays presented each with a proclamation. He then presented a proclamation to Lieutenant Colonel Artis Lofton (retired).

Mayor Hays invited Mr. Graham Rich, CEO Central Arkansas Water (CAW) to come forward and provide an update to the council. Mr. Rich provided copies of a Powerpoint Presentation

which included the following topics: August 2010 Bond Issue, Water Master Plan Findings and Purchase of Winrock Sod Farm. The 2010 Bond Project List included: Purchase of the Sod Farm, Northbelt Transmission Mains, Surge Tank Lake Maumelle Raw Water Line, Tank Property Development, Treatability Study/Plant Design, Dam Improvements and Water Line Extension - Highway 10 to Highway 113. Future anticipated bond issues: January 2010 - Improvements to Wilson and Ozark treatment facilities to be compliant with the EPA's Stage II Disinfectant/Disinfection By-Product Rule (DBP) (*\$19 million*); January 2014 - Additional treatment plant improvements to be compliant with DBP Rule (*\$10 to \$20 million* - will be determined by pilot testing of various treatment techniques). Regarding the Water Master Plan, items included the Camp Dresser McKee (CDM) and Jordan, Jones & Goulding (JJG) study of capacity needs, source water needs and single point of failure/redundance analysis. Findings included: existing raw water sources sufficient for the next 50+ years, additional treatment plant capacity will be needed by 2020 (assuming conservation measures are not implemented) (*cost \$10 to \$100 million*). Both treatment plants will have to be modified to be compliant with EPA Regulations. The Winrock Sod Farm was purchased in December 2009 for \$12.4 million. Funding sources were also discussed. CAW is working with state and federal agencies to develop a long-term land use plan. Recent CAW rule changes allow canoes, kayaks, and limited hunting in certain areas of the Lake Maumelle Watershed. Acquisition of the sod farm will create "connectivity" with lands already owned by CAW.

Mayor Hays invited Arkansas Speaker of the House Robbie Wills to come forward. Mr. Wills is a candidate for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Congressional District seat currently held by Congressman Vic Snyder. Mr. Wills commended the city council on televising council meetings and said he was instrumental in doing the same thing in the House of Representatives. He will work with the council to address the needs of the City of North Little Rock.

Mayor Hays advised the widening of East Broadway continues. The project may be completed by the middle of May. Work is underway on a noise barrier in the area of Scenic Hill.

Mayor Hays announced Citizen Public Comment on agenda items. Mrs. Jo Melton spoke regarding O-10-31 and encouraged the council to extend the moratorium. She said the issue is not about signs, but about people. Studies are underway across the country regarding this topic. She encouraged the council to consider public input. Mr. Robert Fureigh also spoke regarding the moratorium and referenced an email he sent earlier (see communication #4). If the moratorium is not extended tonight, the planning department will be overwhelmed with sign applications tomorrow.

Without objection, O-10-31 was called.

O-10-31 (ORDINANCE NO. 8252 - ALDERMAN WITCHER)

AN ORDINANCE EXTENDING THE MORATORIUM (to May 17 24, 2010) ON THE ISSUANCE OF PERMITS FOR ELECTRONIC CHANGEABLE COPY SIGNS IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER

PURPOSES, was read. On the motion of Alderman Witcher and seconded by Alderwoman Robinson, and by consent of all members present, the rules were suspended and the ordinance was placed on its second reading (8/0). On the motion of Alderman Witcher and seconded by Alderwoman Robinson, and by consent of all members present, the rules were again suspended and the ordinance was placed on its third and final reading (8/0). The ordinance was read a third and final time. Mr. Carter has met with members of the city council with regard to their recommendations, which included various regulations, placement, etc. Alderwoman Ross asked if an extending the moratorium to May 17, 2010, would be adequate time. Mayor Hays said a special council meeting may be necessary. After additional discussion regarding passing this legislation, not passing this legislation, streets which are split by two wards, etc., a motion to amend was made by Alderwoman Ross and seconded by Alderwoman White. The legislation was then amended as follows: *Section 1: strike through May 17, 2010, and insert MAY 24, 2010* (8/0). On the motion of Alderman Witcher and seconded by Alderwoman Ross, and by consent of all members present, the ordinance was unanimously adopted as amended (8/0). Emergency clause unanimously adopted (8/0).

Mr. Paul Goodman spoke regarding O-10-29. Towing services are needed. Competitive bids will save the city money. Mr. Stephen Hester, Attorney at Law spoke regarding R-10-26. He represents Velvet Ridge Ltd., the owners of Summertree Apartments. Equipment is in place to demolish the burned building tomorrow. It would have been done last week, but the gas line had not been cleared. Mr. Hester asked if the council could hold the legislation until the next meeting. Mr. Tom Wadley, Code Enforcement Director said a demolition permit was obtained today. Without objection, the legislation was called.

R-10-26

A RESOLUTION DECLARING CERTAIN BUILDINGS, HOUSES AND OTHER STRUCTURES LOCATED AT 5110 VELVET RIDGE IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK TO CONSTITUTE A PUBLIC NUISANCE AND CONDEMNING SAID STRUCTURES; PROVIDING A PERIOD OF TIME FOR PROPERTY OWNER TO ABATE SAID NUISANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was called and held by the sponsor, Mayor Hays. (A public hearing was held on, February 22, 2010.) (*owner: Velvet Ridge Ltd. Partnership*)

There being no one else who wished to speak during citizen public comment on numbered agenda items, Mayor Hays called for unfinished business.

### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

R-10-26 *see above.*

### NEW BUSINESS

R-10-51 (RESOLUTION NO. 7628 - MAYOR HAYS)

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING MATT CHANDLER TO THE POSITION PREVIOUSLY HELD BY SKIPPER POLK ON THE NORTH LITTLE ROCK AIRPORT COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. On the motion of Alderman Hight and seconded by Alderman Witcher, and by consent of all members present, the resolution was unanimously adopted (8/0).

R-10-52

A RESOLUTION DECLARING CERTAIN BUILDINGS, HOUSES AND OTHER STRUCTURES LOCATED AT 4410 BAUCOM IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK TO CONSTITUTE A PUBLIC NUISANCE AND CONDEMNING SAID STRUCTURES; PROVIDING A PERIOD OF TIME FOR PROPERTY OWNER TO ABATE SAID NUISANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was called and withdrawn by the sponsor, Mayor Hays. (*owner: Glover Rosemary Campbell Revocable Trust*)

R-10-53 (RESOLUTION NO. 7629 - MAYOR HAYS)

A RESOLUTION DECLARING CERTAIN BUILDINGS, HOUSES AND OTHER STRUCTURES LOCATED AT 816 CURTIS SYKES IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK TO CONSTITUTE A PUBLIC NUISANCE AND CONDEMNING SAID STRUCTURES; PROVIDING A PERIOD OF TIME FOR PROPERTY OWNER TO ABATE SAID NUISANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. A motion to adopt was made by Alderwoman Ross and seconded by Alderman Taylor. Mayor Hays convened a public hearing. There being no one present wishing to be heard, the public hearing was adjourned. On the previous motion, and all members present having voted in the affirmative, the resolution was unanimously adopted (8/0). (*owner: Bruce Ferrington Stewart*)

R-10-54 (RESOLUTION NO. 7630 - MAYOR HAYS)

A RESOLUTION DECLARING CERTAIN BUILDINGS, HOUSES AND OTHER STRUCTURES LOCATED AT 819 EAST 13<sup>TH</sup> STREET IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK TO CONSTITUTE A PUBLIC NUISANCE AND CONDEMNING SAID STRUCTURES; PROVIDING A PERIOD OF TIME FOR PROPERTY OWNER TO ABATE SAID NUISANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. A motion to adopt was made by Alderman Taylor and seconded by Alderwoman Robinson. Mayor Hays convened a public hearing. There being no one present wishing to be heard, the public hearing was adjourned. On the previous motion, and all members present having voted in the affirmative, the resolution was unanimously adopted (8/0). (*owner: Hazel M. Wade and Nadine Roberts*)

R-10-55 (RESOLUTION NO. 7631 - MAYOR HAYS)

A RESOLUTION CERTIFYING THE AMOUNT OF A CLEAN UP LIEN TO BE FILED WITH THE PULASKI COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR AGAINST CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2105 MOSS STREET IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. A motion to adopt was made by Alderwoman Ross and seconded by Alderwoman Robinson. Mayor Hays convened a public hearing. There being on one present wishing to be heard, the public hearing was adjourned. On

the previous motion, and all members present having voted in the affirmative, the resolution was unanimously adopted (8/0). (*owner: Eola Melancon - \$2,137.65*)

R-10-56 (RESOLUTION NO. 7632 - MAYOR HAYS)

A RESOLUTION CERTIFYING THE AMOUNT OF A CLEAN UP LIEN TO BE FILED WITH THE PULASKI COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR AGAINST CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1012 NORTH I STREET IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. A motion to adopt was made by Alderman Witcher and seconded by Alderwoman Ross. Mayor Hays convened a public hearing. There being no one present wishing to be heard, the public hearing was adjourned (8/0).

On the previous motion, and all members present having voted in the affirmative, the resolution was unanimously adopted (8/0). (*owner: Walnut Grove Baptist Church (Trustee Board) - \$4,260.60*)

R-10-57

A RESOLUTION CERTIFYING THE AMOUNT OF A CLEAN UP LIEN TO BE FILED WITH THE PULASKI COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR AGAINST CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1508 EAST 2<sup>ND</sup> STREET IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read and held by the sponsor, Mayor Hays to allow time for the payment to clear the bank. (*owner: Andrew Beavers - \$695.68*)

R-10-58 (RESOLUTION NO. 7633 - MAYOR HAYS)

A RESOLUTION CERTIFYING THE AMOUNT OF A CLEAN UP LIEN TO BE FILED WITH THE PULASKI COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR AGAINST CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1513 EAST 2<sup>ND</sup> STREET IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. A motion to adopt was made by Alderwoman Ross and seconded by Alderwoman Robinson. Mayor Hays convened a public hearing. There being no one present wishing to be heard, the public hearing was adjourned. On the previous motion, and all members present having voted in the affirmative, the resolution was unanimously adopted (8/0). (*owner: Woodrow Beavers - \$3,318.23*)

R-10-59 (RESOLUTION NO. 7634 - MAYOR HAYS)

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK TO PURCHASE CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY LOCATED ON THIRD STREET NORTH OF RIVER ROAD IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK; APPROPRIATING FUNDS (\$2,742.00 plus closing costs - General Fund); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. On the motion of Alderman Taylor and seconded by Alderwoman Robinson, and by consent of all members present, the resolution was unanimously adopted (8/0).

R-10-60 (RESOLUTION NO. 7635 - MAYOR HAYS)

A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE DONATION OF CERTAIN PROPERTY FROM FLORAL PROPERTIES PARTNERSHIP TO BE USED AS ADDITIONAL THIRD STREET RIGHT-OF-WAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. On the motion of Alderman Witcher and seconded by Alderman Taylor, and by consent of all members present, the resolution was unanimously adopted (8/0).

R-10-61 (RESOLUTION NO. 7636 - MAYOR HAYS)

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF MAYFLOWER FOR ANIMAL POPULATION CONTROL ASSISTANCE BY THE NORTH LITTLE ROCK ANIMAL CONTROL

DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. On the motion of Alderman Witcher and seconded by Alderwoman Ross, and by consent of all members present, the resolution was unanimously adopted (8/0). Alderman Witcher asked if Mayflower had a spay or neuter program. Mr. Billy Grace, North Little Rock Animal Control Director said they did not.

R-10-62 (RESOLUTION NO. 7637 - ALDERWOMEN ROSS AND WHITE)

A RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING \$40,000.00 FROM THE GENERAL FUND FOR THE CODE ENFORCEMENT DEPARTMENT DEMOLITION AND DEBRIS REMOVAL

PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. On the motion of Alderman Witcher and seconded by Alderwoman Ross, and by consent of all members present, the resolution was unanimously adopted (8/0). Alderwoman White was added as a cosponsor.

O-10-28 (ORDINANCE NO. 8253 - MAYOR HAYS)

AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING THE ANNEXATION OF LANDS COMMONLY DESCRIBED AS LANDS TO BE TITLED THE "YOUNG ROAD ANNEXATION" TO THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS, AND MAKING YOUNG ROAD ANNEXATION A PART OF THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK; DECLARING AN

EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. On the motion of Alderwoman Ross and seconded by Alderwoman Robinson, and by consent of all members present, the rules were suspended and the ordinance was placed on its second reading (8/0). On the motion of Alderwoman Ross and seconded by Alderwoman Robinson, and by consent of all members present, the rules were again suspended and the ordinance was placed on its third and final reading (8/0). The roll having been called, and all members present having voted in the affirmative, the ordinance was unanimously adopted (8/0). Emergency clause unanimously adopted (8/0).

O-10-29 (ORDINANCE NO. 8254 - MAYOR HAYS)

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE PROVISION OF CERTAIN TOWING SERVICES IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK; WAIVING BIDS; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. On the motion of Alderman Hight and seconded by

Alderman Witcher and by consent of all members present, with the exception of Alderman Phillips who abstained, the rules were suspended and the ordinance was placed on its second reading (7/1). On the motion of Alderman Hight and seconded by Alderman Taylor, and by consent of all members present, with the exception of Alderman Phillips who abstained, the rules were again suspended and the ordinance was placed on its third and final reading (7/1). The ordinance was read a third and final time. Mr. Joe Smith, Commerce and Governmental Affairs (Purchasing) Director said this process began over a year ago with a committee which included Police Chief Danny Bradley, Police Patrol Captain Mike Davis, Assistant Purchasing Director Vicky Miles and himself. Contracts from several other cities were reviewed. The committee emphasized storage of vehicles in North Little Rock, number of wreckers, etc. The city received responses from Phillips Wrecker Service, Lewis Wrecker Service, and Glover Towing and Recovery Service.

Instead of a rotation among companies, the city was divided into areas. The price negotiated is less than anyone else in the county. Mayor Hays said some cities receive a fee from wrecker services. The city of North Little Rock does not. The contract is for one year with an option to renew. The fee for a basic tow should average \$150.00 plus storage and tax. People also have the option of choosing their own towing service. On the motion of Alderman Hight and seconded by Alderman Baggett, and the roll having been called, and all members present having voted in the affirmative, with the exception of Alderman Phillips who abstained, the ordinance was adopted (7/1). On the emergency clause, all members present voted in the affirmative, with the exception of Alderman Phillips who abstained (7/1). Mr. Smith said these provisions should commence June 1, 2010.

O-10-30 (ORDINANCE NO. 8255 - ALDERWOMAN ROSS)

AN ORDINANCE TO RECLASSIFY CERTAIN PROPERTY LOCATED AT 909 WEST 34<sup>TH</sup> STREET IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS, FROM R-3 TO R-4, TO ALLOW A TRIPLEX, BY AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 7697; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. On the motion of Alderman Witcher and seconded by Alderwoman Robinson, the rules were suspended and the ordinance was placed on its second reading (8/0). On the motion of Alderwoman Ross and seconded by Alderman Witcher, and by consent of all members present, the rules were again suspended and the ordinance was placed on its third and final reading (8/0). The ordinance was read a third and final time. On the motion of Alderwoman Ross and seconded by Alderman Witcher, and by consent of all members present, the ordinance was amended as follows: *Section 1, correct ~~R-3 to R-3~~ to R-3 to R-4* (8/0). On the motion of Alderwoman Ross and seconded by Alderman Witcher, and the roll having been called, and all members present having voted in the affirmative, the ordinance was unanimously adopted as amended (8/0). Emergency clause unanimously adopted (8/0).  
(applicant: Larry Carroll)

O-10-31 *see citizen public comment.*

O-10-32 (ORDINANCE NO. 8256 - ALDERMAN TAYLOR)

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE TO ALLOW A RESIDENCE WITH A TATTOO PARLOR IN A C-3 ZONE FOR CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 4603 EAST BROADWAY IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, was read. On the motion of Alderwoman Robinson and seconded by Alderman Taylor, and by consent of all members present, the rules were suspended and the ordinance was placed on its second reading (8/0). On the motion of Alderwoman Robinson and seconded by Alderman Taylor, and by consent of all members present, the rules were again suspended and the ordinance was placed on its third and final reading (8/0). The ordinance was read a third and final time. Alderwoman Robinson asked about the hours of operation (12:00 noon to 10:00 p.m.). On the motion of Alderwoman Robinson and seconded by Alderman Taylor, and the roll having been called, and all members present having voted in the affirmative, the ordinance was unanimously adopted (8/0). Emergency clause unanimously adopted (8/0). (applicant: Scott Diffie)

O-10-33 (ORDINANCE NO. 8257 - ALDERMEN PHILLIPS AND BAGGETT)

AN ORDINANCE ALLOWING A SPECIAL USE FOR MAJOR AUTOMOBILE REPAIRS IN A C-3 ZONE FOR CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2655 PIKE AVENUE IN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES,

was read. On the motion of Alderman Hight and seconded by Alderwoman Robinson, and by consent of all members present, the rules were suspended and the ordinance was placed on its second reading (8/0). On the motion of Alderman Hight and seconded by Alderman Phillips, and by consent of all members present, the rules were again suspended and the ordinance was placed on its third and final reading (8/0). The ordinance was read a third and final time. On the motion of Alderman Phillips and seconded by Alderman Hight, and by consent of all members present, the ordinance was amended as follows: *Section 2 (c), strike through wrecked or inoperable* (8/0). On the motion of Alderman Phillips and seconded by Alderman Hight, and by consent of all members present, the ordinance was again amended as follows: *new Section 2 (subsection) (g) DUE TO THE PROXIMITY OF RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES TO THE SUBJECT PROPERTY, THIS SPECIAL USE PERMIT IS EXPRESSLY CONDITIONED UPON COMPLIANCE WITH ALL HEALTH, SAFETY, AND WELFARE REGULATIONS OF THE CITY. CONVICTION OF THREE (3) CODE VIOLATIONS WITHIN ONE (1) YEAR SHALL CAUSE THIS SPECIAL USE PERMIT TO TERMINATE IMMEDIATELY* (8/0). Without objection, Alderman Baggett was added as a cosponsor. Mr. Greg Mueller, The Ashley Group advised he was not aware of any issues at the area. He asked if a car could be dropped off overnight. Mr. Carter said the way the amendment was phrased, there cannot be any vehicles stored outside overnight. Mr. Mueller said there are three bays in the garage. On the motion of Alderman Hight and seconded by Alderman Witcher, and the roll having been called, the ordinance was unanimously adopted as amended (8/0). Emergency clause unanimously adopted (8/0). (*applicant: Greg Mueller*)

**PUBLIC COMMENTS-----**

Alderwoman Robinson has been getting inquiries about a fire station in the eastern part of town. Mayor Hays said the city acquired the land a year ago. The city had applied for a grant to build the station, but was not successful in obtaining it. Another challenge would be funding the staff which would be approximately \$400,000.00 per year. Sales tax revenue continues to be down. Alderman Baggett said the Park Plaza Mall in Little Rock is very nice. He encouraged the owners of McCain Mall to invest in a "facelift" to attract more businesses and shoppers. Alderman Hight has visited with Simon Properties representatives. Several options are being discussed. Alderman Witcher said there had been a previous issue related to a land lease which has been resolved. Ms. Whitbey said Police Captain Davis and Shelley Yielding with Special Olympics will be at the next council meeting with an announcement regarding the Torch Run. Captain Davis is chairing the event this year. Mr. James Ard reminded everyone to complete their Census forms. He also thanked Police Sergeant Dancy for his observation when he recently discovered a resident who had suffered a diabetic attack. Mr. Bruce Foutch lives on Scenic Drive. He is a candidate for Pulaski County Justice of the Peace, District 14 which includes portions of Ward 2, most of Ward 3 and parts of the City of Maumelle. Like the city council, the quorum court is responsible for legislation effecting people who live in Pulaski County. Early voting begins May 3, 2010. The election is on May 18, 2010. Alderman Baggett said Assistant

City Attorney Paula Jones has been working to get the North Heights Tennis Courts back in service.

There being no further business to come before the Council, and on the motion of Alderwoman Robinson and seconded by Alderman Baggett, and by consent of all members present, the meeting was adjourned at 9:13 p.m. (8/0), until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Monday, May 10, 2010, at seven o'clock p.m. in the City Council Chambers in City Hall, located at 300 Main Street, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

APPROVED: MAYOR PATRICK HENRY HAYS

ATTEST: DIANE WHITBEY, CITY CLERK