

- B. Mayor Browning advised consideration of **support for the Crittenden County 250th Legacy Liberty Event**. A motion was made to provide insurance and manpower for the Crittenden County 250th Legacy Liberty Event by Bobby Belt, seconded by Dwight Sherer.
- Roll Call Vote:** Randy Dunn: Yes Dwight Sherer: Yes
 Wanda Olson: Yes Bobby Belt: Yes
 Taylor Davis: Yes Cutter Singleton: Absent
- All present members voted yes. Motion carried.
- C. Adam Ledford provided the second reading of **ORDINANCE 26-07, entitled “AN ORDINANCE EMENDING ORDINANCE 25-09 AND ORDINANCE 26-01 ADOPTING THE CITY OF MARION, KENTUCKY ANNUAL BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 07/01/2025 THROUGH 06/30/2026 BY ESTIMATING REVENUES AND RESOURCES AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE OPERATION OF CITY GOVERNMENT”**. Adam provided an explanation of the ordinance, and the amendment that was made to include April’s financial information. A motion was made to approve ORDINANCE 26-07 and the amendment that included April’s financial information was made by Taylor Davis, seconded by Bobby Belt.
- Roll Call Vote:** Randy Dunn: Yes Dwight Sherer: Yes
 Wanda Olson: Yes Bobby Belt: Yes
 Taylor Davis: Yes Cutter Singleton: Absent
- All present members voted yes. Motion carried.
- D. Mayor Browning provided the second reading of **ORDINANCE 26-08, entitled “AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MARION, KENTUCKY AMENDING ORDINANCE NO 01-23 TO REZONE LOT NUMBERS 069-00-00-018.06, 069-00-00-018.07, MARION, KENTUCKY, FROM I-2, LIGHT INDUSTRIAL TO AG, AGRICULTURAL”**. A motion was made by Wanda Olson, seconded by Randy Dunn to approve ORDINANCE 26-08 as is.
- Roll Call Vote:** Randy Dunn: Yes Dwight Sherer: Yes
 Wanda Olson: Yes Bobby Belt: Yes
 Taylor Davis: Yes Cutter Singleton: Absent
- All present members voted yes. Motion carried.
- E. Mayor Browning discussed the **Marion Street and Alley Priority List**. Bobby Belt recommended the corner of Main St and 1st St. Mayor Browning recommended moving Chapel Hill Rd to #3 on the list. A motion was made by Bobby Belt, seconded by Randy Dunn to approve the Marion Street and Alley Priority List, including moving Chapel Hill Rd to #3.
- Roll Call Vote:** Randy Dunn: Yes Dwight Sherer: Yes
 Wanda Olson: Yes Bobby Belt: Yes
 Taylor Davis: Yes Cutter Singleton: Absent
- All present members voted yes. Motion carried.
- F. Adam Ledford presented a letter of recommendation from Alan Robinson with Eclipse Engineers, PLLC for the Waterline Replacement Project, the letter recommended D-Port Directional Drilling & Utilities for the amount of \$819,000. A motion was made to approve the **bid submitted by D-Port Directional Drilling & Utilities for the Waterline Replacement Project** by Wanda Olson, seconded by Randy Dunn.
- Roll Call Vote:** Randy Dunn: Yes Dwight Sherer: Yes
 Wanda Olson: Yes Bobby Belt: Yes
 Taylor Davis: Yes Cutter Singleton: Absent
- All present members voted yes. Motion carried.
- G. Mayor Browning presented the bid submitted by Brady Knight for Code Enforcement Mowing Services, that was the only bid submitted. A motion was made to approve the **bid submitted by Brady Knight for Code Enforcement Mowing Services** by Wanda Olson, seconded by Randy Dunn.
- Roll Call Vote:** Randy Dunn: Yes Dwight Sherer: Yes
 Wanda Olson: Yes Bobby Belt: Yes
 Taylor Davis: Yes Cutter Singleton: Absent

All present members voted yes. Motion carried.

- H. Mayor Browning presented the \$1,500 bid submitted for the firetruck in Surplus Property and announced the Fire Department had rejected the bid. A motion was made **to approve the Fire Department rejecting a bid made for the fire truck in Surplus Property** by Dwight Sherer, seconded by Taylor Davis.

Roll Call Vote: Randy Dunn: Yes Dwight Sherer: Yes
 Wanda Olson: Yes Bobby Belt: Yes
 Taylor Davis: Yes Cutter Singleton: Absent

All present members voted yes. Motion carried.

Department Reports

Adam Ledford provided a report included in the packet.

Layten Croft provided a report included in the packet.

Jeff Black advised he was receiving 50 gallons of water a minute from Crittenden/ Livingston water district, and both lakes are full. Jeff advised he was currently looking for a leak located in Briarwood.

Mayor Browning recognized Clifton Ethridge for reporting two leaks he found and encouraged the public to call City Hall with any leak reports.

Mayor Browning stated that maintenance treated the old sewer plant ponds for mosquitos.

Tanya Byers stated that Code Enforcement also ordered mosquito treatment for the 2-3 abandoned pools in town.

Mayor Browning told Adam Ledford they would need to ask Judge Perry Newcome about spraying for mosquitoes this year.

Mayor Browning provided an Airport Commission update, stating Legal Service Officer Bart Frazer and herself signed the application for a grant earlier in the day related to the airport, and recognized Jim Johnson for his great work at the Airport. Dwight Sherer also recognized Jim Johnson and the Airport Commission for doing a great job. Adam Ledford advised we are in phase two of the FEMA Grant application mentioned in April's meeting, relating to generators.

Mayor Browning recommended possibly creating a Park Commission in the near future.

Mayor/ Council/ Staff Comments, Reports and Questions

Dwight Sherer asked for an update on the 250th Anniversary Event. Mayor Browning recognized Kim Vince for doing an incredible job arranging the event.

Bobby Belt requested an update on the new meter installations. Adam Ledford advised he will reach out to Alan Robinson tomorrow for an update. Bobby also asked about the job title "meter reader" since we have changed to remotely read meters. Adam Ledford advised that position is basically the same as laborer at this time. Adam advised in the future it might be a good idea to do a complete revamp of job descriptions.

Mayor Browning stated she would like the Freewill St sign to be two words instead of one. Adam Ledford stated Greg Tabor was going to reorder the sign as Free Will St. Mayor Browning advised she plans to celebrate by inviting families, churches, etc. to the birthday party of Free Will St. Mayor Browning also announced a new mural in the works for the Fire Department. Mayor Browning stated summer is coming, and possibly droughts, she has asked Crittenden-Livingston Water District for 100 gallons a minute vs the 50 gallons a minute we are currently receiving. Mayor Browning advised that City Hall celebrated our Marion Police Department by having a potluck last Friday.

Adjourn

There being no further business to come before the council, a motion was made to adjourn by Wanda Olson, seconded by Randy Dunn. Meeting was adjourned at 6:11 PM.



MAYOR D'ANNA BROWNING



ATTEST: CORTNY COSBY, CITY CLERK