City of Lakeside Park Minutes of 2/27/2021 Special Council Meeting

CALLED TO ORDER:

Mayor David Jansing opened the special called meeting of the Lakeside Park City Council at 9:33 a.m. on Saturday, February 27, 2021, using WebEx to host the remote meeting. Those in attendance were Mayor Jansing and Council Members; Mr. Gastright, Mr. Markgraf, Mr. Stegman, Mrs. Thaman, and Mr. Wolfer. Mr. Waite was absent. Deputy City Clerk Mrs. Hehman, City Attorney Mr. Voss, Public Works Director David Schrand and City Engineer Marty Hellmann were also present for the meeting. Mayor Jansing also invited former State Representative Ms. Diane St. Onge and Mayor Paul Meier from Crestview Hills to join the meeting.

AGENDA:

The agenda contained one item; to discuss developments on the proposed widening of Turkeyfoot Road.

MAYOR'S REPORT:

Mayor Jansing explained the need for the special called meeting prior to the March 8th Council Meeting. He explained he had received several urgent calls/complaints to work behind done in the rear of homes on Turkeyfoot Road. This led to several calls to the Transportation Department.

Mayor Jansing explained the scope of the project. This started because of traffic issues relating to sections of Turkeyfoot Road, several work groups have been formed. The City of Crestview Hills has one, as well as a work group for the City of Lakeside Park. The Lakeside Park work group is made up of 3 residents living along the section of Turkeyfoot Road. The members include: Mayor Jansing, Mr. Scott Dougherty, Mr. John Kramer and Ms. Jenny Corken. The first virtual meeting was held in October 2020. There was a second meeting held on February 23, 2021, during which drawings were provided for discussion purposes. The drawings included realignment of Applewood Drive and Holoday Lane, a round-about at the top of Farmington Drive, a rear alley behind the homes on Turkeyfoot, coming off Elizabeth towards Van Deren, parallel to Turkeyfoot Road.

The calls began after residents noticed workers digging in the backyards, and they were notified it was for the placement of the alley. This presented several major problems, as the City was never notified of the project, and the residents were never given notice, nor provided permission for the workers to be on private property.

Former Representative St. Onge was invited by Mayor Jansing to attend the meeting. Representative St. Onge stated that during her time serving, this issue was not addressed. She did not secure funding for this project. Mayor Jansing noted he had reached out and expressed his concerns to Representative Sal Santoro and Senator Chris McDaniel.

Crestview Hills Mayor Meier joined the call and stated he believes the problem does not exist passed the Interstate 275 interchange/on-ramps. The traffic issues lie solely in Crestview Hills and do not extent down Turkeyfoot Road and into Lakeside Park.

There were discussions regarding the flow of traffic by adding the proposed round-about at the top of Farmington Drive and if there is enough space.

There was a consensus to prepare a Resolution for the March Council Meeting, to present to the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet and the Kentucky legislature, from the City and Members of Council regarding the proposed redesign and construction project on Turkeyfoot Road.

Mayor Jansing stated he would like to have the Council involved in a public meeting with the State as the project progresses and moves forward.

ADJOURNMENT:

Mr. Markgraf made the <u>motion</u> to adjourn the council meeting at 10:37 a.m. Mr. Stegman seconded the <u>motion</u>. Voice vote was taken. <u>6 Ayes, 0 Nays. Motion</u> carried.

David E. Jansing, Mayor

Katie Hehman, Deputy City Clerk