

CITY OF BUCKNER

Board of Alderman Meeting Minutes

Business Session

05/05/2022

CALL TO ORDER

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Buckner, Missouri, met in a Business Session on May 5, 2022, in the Council Chambers located in Buckner City Hall. Mayor Darrel Box called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The following Aldermen were present:

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| Alderman Jones | Alderman Butts |
| Alderman Walcott | Alderman Norris |
| Alderman Kolle | Alderman Ross |

The following staff members were present: City Administrator Bobadilla, Police Chief Sutherland, City Attorney Alex Felzien, and public works employee JD Moffet.

MINUTES

Alderman Butts made the motion to approve the April 21, 2022, Business Session Minutes. Alderman Kolle seconded; all Aldermen voted aye.

PUBLIC COMMENTS None

OLD BUSINESS

1. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION regarding animal control.

City Administrator Bobadilla reported that he has talked with the City Administrator Randall of Oak Grove about providing animal control for us. Mr. Randall stated that they just opened their animal shelter last month and is in the process of developing a memorandum of understanding that will need his Board of Aldermen approval first. Once he has their approval, he would forward a copy for our consideration.

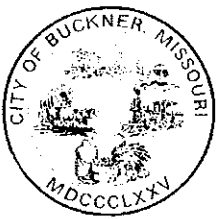
NEW BUSINESS

1. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION regarding the use of city hall.

City Attorney Felzien stated that the Board of Aldermen can allow anyone to meet at city hall. The issue becomes that as soon as you grant one group permission then you must allow any other group the use of city hall. The Board of Aldermen instructed the city attorney to develop a written policy for the use of city hall.

2. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION regarding Amending Chapter 245 "Mobile Food Truck Vendors" of the City of Buckner's Municipal Codes.

Alderman Kolle stated that he would like to amend the ordinances to remove the \$500 fee per truck and consider a special use permit for community events. Alderman Norris stated that he would like to remove all the vending districts zones. The Board of Aldermen instructed the city attorney to bring back an amended ordinance that addresses all the board's concerns.



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3. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION regarding Amending Chapter 390 “Golf Carts and Low Speed Vehicles” of the City of Buckner’s Municipal Codes.

Alderman Norris stated that he has been contacted by citizens on his street about the noise coming from gas powered golf carts. City Attorney Felzien stated that this issue could be resolved by changing the current noise ordinance. Currently, our noise ordinance only refers to nighttime hours and will need to have a statement saying, “excessive noise at any time is unreasonable”. The Board of Aldermen instructed the city attorney to bring back an amended noise ordinance.

4. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION regarding Motorcycles, ATV’s, Go-Carts, etc.

Alderman Norris stated that nowhere in our ordinance does the word dirt bike or go-carts appear. ATV’s are not allowed but he still sees them driving around town.

Alderman Norris also stated that Missouri State Laws prohibits riding dirt bikes on public roads without a valid license, and the bike must be reconfigured to make it street legal. Police Chief Sutherland recommended changes to the current ordinances to include clear definitions what constitutes a motorcycle and to include language that is specific to dirt bikes.

ELECTED OFFICIAL COMMENTS

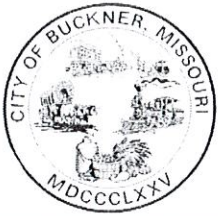
Alderman Butts stated that when the street projects are finish, he would like to have a ribbon cutting ceremony and have signs put up saying “your tax dollar at work”.

Alderman Jones reminded everyone that the city’s cleanup day is this Saturday 8:00 until noon.

Alderman Norris asked about potholes being repaired. City Administrator Bobadilla stated that he spoke with the public works superintendent and instructed him to develop a schedule that includes pothole repairs one day every week.

ADJOURN

- Alderman Jones made the motion to adjourn, seconded by Alderman Butts. All Aldermen voted aye.
- Meeting adjourned at 6:44 pm.



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Darrel Box, Mayor

Attest

Joe Bobadilla, City Administrator/Clerk