NASHVILLE TOWN COUNCIL MEETING TUESDAY, JULY 13, 2021

Council members present at Town Hall: President Jane Gore, Councilmember Nancy Crocker, Councilmember Anna Hofstetter, and Councilmember Dave Rudd. Also in attendance at Town Hall: Clerk-Treasurer Brenda Young, Administration Manager Phyllis Carr, MOC Dax Norton, Town Attorney Jim Roberts, and Records Clerk Sandie Jones.

COUNCIL BUSINESS - 6:30 pm

- 1) CALL TO ORDER by President Gore at 4:00 pm
- 2) ROLL CALL by Clerk-Treasurer Young.

3) APPOINTMENT OF TOWN COUNCIL MEMBER

President Gore advised that the Council had a list of questions for the candidates and asked that only one candidate be in the room at a time or on Zoom. The candidates agreed.

Councilmember Hofstetter explained how the Council will use the rank voting method of each candidate and hope to whittle it down to two potential candidates to choose from.

The candidates were interviewed in the following order:

Dan Klaker advised he has been a town resident since 2011 and is a Nashville police reserve officer serving since 2012. Mr. Klaker also served on the Brown County Redevelopment Commission for a year. He currently works in insurance from his home in Nashville and believes his management skills would be an asset to the Council.

Emily Stone introduced herself as a 32-year resident of Nashville. Ms. Stone worked as a chef for the original Big Woods restaurant before becoming manager of The Toy Chest, where she still works. Ms. Stone served on the Brown County Habitat for Humanity board for six years and was President of the Board for several years. Ms. Stone would like to get back into public service after a five-year hiatus.

Jim Hays advised that he has lived in Nashville since 1972. He is a retired salesman and currently serves on the Nashville Metropolitan Police Merit Commission and as the town's representative on the Alcoholic Beverage Commission. Mr. Hays would like to see more of the public involved in their government and believes his mind is open to serve the people.

Raymond Modglin reported that he has lived in Nashville for about four years. He worked in the corporate world for several years and has been self-employed since 2001. He currently serves as the President of the Nashville Redevelopment Commission. Mr. Modglin advised that his schedule is flexible and would be able to attend Council meetings and serve on additional commissions.

Mark T. Smith introduced himself and advised that he used to be on the Morgantown Town Council for two years. He was also on the Nineveh-Hensley-Jackson school board and currently drives a bus for Brown County Schools. He has been living in Nashville for the last 18 months. Mr. Smith worked on the unsafe building committee in Morgantown and talked about how that process worked.

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Penny Scroggins reported that she has been the co-owner of Nashville's Bear Hardware since 1999 and now works as a real estate agent. She is involved in many different boards/commissions for the Town of Nashville for the past six years and has a flexible schedule. Ms. Scroggins would like to give back to her community.

Tyra Miller advised that she is a 32-year resident of Nashville. She has raised her family here, and has owned or managed six businesses in town, three of which are currently operating. Ms. Miller currently serves on the Nashville Redevelopment Commission and the CVB Board. Ms. Miller explained that it is her turn to help make decisions for her community.

After a short recess, the Town Council members each gave their top three choices of candidates. Using the rank system Ms. Miller and Ms. Stone came in first and second.

Councilmember Rudd made a motion to appoint Tyra Miller to the Nashville Town Council. President Gore seconded the motion. All were unanimously in favor by roll call vote. Ms. Miller thanked the Council for giving her the opportunity to serve.

The Town Councilmembers encouraged the other candidates to get involved in other town boards/commissions and thanked them for their interest in serving.

4) ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Administration Manager Carr advised that the Council had previously agreed not to award the paving bid for Community Crossings as the bids came in too high. She asked for a motion to rescind the Community Crossings grant award. Councilmember Rudd made a motion to rescind the grant award. Councilmember Crocker seconded the motion. All were unanimously in favor.

5) ADJOURN

Councilmember Rudd moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilmember Crocker seconded the motion. All were unanimously in favor. President Gore adjourned the meeting at 6:30 pm.

The audio recording made at the Town Council meeting on 7-13-2021 is retained in the office of the Town Clerk-Treasurer.

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