

**MINUTES
WORKSHOP
January 23, 2012**

Mayor Hocking called the Workshop Meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

PRESENT:

Councilmember Brown
Councilmember Trube
Councilmember Osteen
Mayor Hocking

ABSENT:

Mayor Pro-Tem Bell (arrived 4:03 p.m.)

Discussion on appointments to following City Boards and Commission:

1. Board of Adjustments
2. Building and Standards Commissioners
3. Cemetery Board
4. Civil Service Commission
5. Clean City Commission
6. Economic Development Board
7. Electrical Board
8. Library Board
9. Park Board
10. Planning & Zoning Commission
11. Plumbing Board
12. Public Safety Board

City Council discussed each of the boards and commissions, vacancies, filling of vacancies and possibility of combining several of the boards.

There was discussion regarding the possible deletion of the Electrical and Plumbing Boards. Electrical Board has not met since 2009. If members of these boards were interested in serving, may be able to serve on another commission.

A suggestion was presented in combining the Clean City Commission and the Cemetery Board. Councilmember Osteen stated that the Cemetery Board was doing a great job in the upkeep of the cemetery and would not like to lose those individuals.

During discussions regarding the Economic Development Board, Councilmember Osteen stated that he would like to see a councilmember on this board. In the past, a councilmember has served on this board. It was the consensus that staff will research what steps would be necessary to add a 6th individual to the Board.

Mayor and Council will review the vacancies within their respective districts and have recommendations at the next meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 5:49 p.m.

Bobby Hocking, Mayor

Attest: _____

Zina Tedford
Interim City Clerk