

**City of Walton  
Council Meeting Minutes  
January 14, 2020**

**Call to Order**

The Common Council of the City of Walton, Kentucky met in a regular called session on Tuesday January 14, 2020 at 7:30 p.m. with the following present: Mayor Gabe Brown. Council Members; Barb Farrow, Bobby McDonald, Rose Beach, Stephanie Williams, and Matt Brown. City Attorney Mike Duncan. City Clerk Sharon Stevenson.

**Invocation/Pledge**

Mayor Gabe Brown gave the invocation and led everyone in the pledge to the flag.

**Announcements**

Mayor Gabe Brown announced that Council Member John Wainwright has turned in his resignation due to job promotions and traveling. Applications to fill his Council Seat will be accepted until 1/29/2020 at Walton City Hall.

**Approval of Agenda**

Council Member Bobby McDonald moved to approve the agenda. Council Member Barb Farrow seconded the motion. Upon roll call the following Council Members voted “yes”: Barb Farrow, Bobby McDonald, Rose Beach, Stephanie Williams, and Matt Brown.

**Approval of Minutes**

Council Member Barb Farrow moved to approve the minutes of the **Regular Called Council Meeting on December 10, 2019**. Council Member Bobby McDonald seconded the motion. Upon roll call the following Council Members voted “yes”: Barb Farrow, Bobby McDonald, Rose Beach, Stephanie Williams, and Matt Brown.

**Proclamation**

Mayor Gabe Brown presented a Proclamation and key to the city to Dan Stephens for his retirement after 25 years with the Boone County Sheriff Office.

**Municipal Order**

Council Member Matt Brown moved to approve **Municipal Order 2020-01** appointing Mayor Gabe Brown as a full member and Council Member Bobby McDonald as the alternate to the Planning and Development Services Board of Kenton County. Council Member Barb Farrow seconded the motion. Upon roll call the following Council Members voted “yes”: Barb Farrow, Bobby McDonald, Rose Beach, Stephanie Williams, and Matt Brown.

**Resolution**

Council Member Matt Brown moved to approve **Resolution 2020-01** relating to the Walton City Council declaring the City of Walton a Second Amendment Sanctuary. Council Member Matt Brown seconded the motion. Upon roll call the following Council Members voted “yes”: Barb Farrow, Bobby McDonald, Rose Beach, Stephanie Williams, and Matt Brown.

Council Member Matt Brown moved to approve **Resolution 2020-02** authorizing and directing the change of name of Richard Knock Highway to Mary Grubbs Highway; and clarifying the name of Daniel Boone Trace. Council Member Matt Brown seconded the motion. Upon roll call the following Council Members voted “yes”: Barb Farrow, Bobby McDonald, Rose Beach, Stephanie Williams, and Matt Brown.

**Executive Order**

Executive Order 2020-01 selecting Council Member Bobby McDonald as the Mayor’s designee to issue citations and ordering towing and impounding of offending vehicles parked in fire lanes pursuant to Ordinance 2019-12.

**Ordinance**

Council Member Matt Brown moved to approve **Ordinance 2019-12** on its second reading amending Ordinance 2019-07 in order to provide that the Mayor and Fire Chief, and their designees, shall be authorized and directed to enforce the provision of that ordinance and additional city ordinances pertaining to the prohibition of parking in fire lanes by issuing citations and ordering the towing and impounding of offending vehicles and providing for the distribution of any funds collected as fines. Council Member Bobby McDonald seconded the motion. Upon roll call the following Council Members voted “yes”: Barb Farrow, Bobby McDonald, Rose Beach, Stephanie Williams, and Matt Brown.

**Council Comments**

Barb Farrow, Bobby McDonald, Stephanie Williams, and Matt Brown thanked Council Member John Wainwright for his services and wished him the best.

**Mayor Comments**

Thanked John Wainwright for his service to the citizens of Walton and wished him well.

**Adjourn**

Council Member Barb Farrow moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:40 p.m. Council Member Rose Beach seconded the motion. Upon roll call the following Council Members voted “yes”: Barb Farrow, Bobby McDonald, Rose Beach, Stephanie Williams, and Matt Brown.

Attest:

Approved:

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Sharon Stevenson, City Clerk

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Gabe Brown, Mayor