

June 9, 2025

The Lenoir City Council met in a Public Hearing at 5:50 PM regarding an Ordinance to amend the Refuse Collection Fees of the City of Lenoir City per Title 17, Chapter 1, Section 17-109 of the Lenoir City Municipal Code, entitled "Refuse Collection Fees." The Lenoir City Council met its regularly scheduled City Council Meeting at 6:00 P.M. Mayor Tony Aikens and the following Council Members were present: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson. Amber Scott Kelso, G. Chance Harrison, Shawn Bunch, LaVonne Barbour, Maggie Hunt, and Jim Wilburn were also present.

A motion was made by Shields and seconded by Brandon to approve the minutes of the May 12, 2025 meeting. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**.

A motion was made by Simpson and seconded by Wampler to accept the agenda as written. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**.

Mayor Aikens asked for comments from citizens regarding an item/items on the agenda. Ms. Lesa Williams of Turman Drive in Lenoir City (Loudon County limits) expressed her opposition to Agenda Item #13 regarding the annexation of 42.00 acres located off Shaw Ferry Road.

A motion was made by Kennedy and seconded by Shields to adoption Ordinance to amend the Refuse Collection Fees of the City of Lenoir City per Title 17, Chapter 1, Section 17-109 of the Lenoir City Municipal Code, entitled "Refuse Collection Fees." The monthly fee for residential garbage collection for City residents will be \$16.00 effective July 1, 2025. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**.

Second and Final Reading. Ordinance 2025-06-09-2436-O.

A motion was made by Brandon and seconded by Simpson to adopt Ordinance for the Annual Budget for the General Fund, State Street Aid Fund, HOME Grant Fund, Downtown VIP Fund, Sanitation Fund, Stormwater Utility Fund, Capital Projects I Fund, Capital Projects II Fund, Ninth Judicial District Drug Task Force Fund, Lenoir City DEA Fund, and Lenoir City State Drug Fund for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2026. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**.

First Reading.

A motion was made by Wampler and seconded by Brandon to adopt Ordinance to provide Revenue for the Municipality of Lenoir City, County of Loudon, Tennessee for Property Tax Year 2025. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

First Reading.

A motion was made by Shields and seconded by Brandon to approve 2024-2025 Budget Amendments for Lenoir City Schools for the General Purpose Fund. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

A motion was made by McNabb and seconded by Shields to approve the 2024-2025 Budget Amendments for Lenoir City Schools for the Sales Tax Fund. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

A motion was made by Simpson and seconded by Kennedy to approve 2024-2025 Budget Amendments for Lenoir City Schools for the Federal Projects Fund. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

A motion was made by Brandon and seconded by Shields to approve 2024-2025 Budget Amendments for Lenoir City Schools for the Food Service Fund. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

A motion was made by Simpson and seconded by Brandon to adopt Ordinance for the Annual Budget for Lenoir City Schools for Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2026 for the General Purpose Fund. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

First Reading.

A motion was made by Simpson and seconded by Brandon to adopt Ordinance for the Annual Budget for Lenoir City Schools for Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2026 for the Sales Tax Fund. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

First Reading.

A motion was made by Simpson and seconded by Brandon to adopt Ordinance for the Annual Budget for Lenoir City Schools for Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2026 for the Capital Projects Fund. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

First Reading.

A motion was made by Simpson and seconded by Brandon to adopt Ordinance for the Annual Budget for Lenoir City Schools for Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2026 for the Food Service Fund. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

First Reading.

A motion was made by Shields and seconded by Simpson to adopt Resolution approving Lenoir City Schools' Federal Projects Fund Budget and Amendments for Fiscal Year 2025-2026. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

Resolution 2025-06-09-2437-R.

A motion was made by McNabb and seconded by Brandon to approve permanent full-time employment for Mr. Landon Armes in the Fire Department, six (6) months probationary period satisfactorily completed. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

A motion was made by Simpson and seconded by Kennedy to approve the July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025 contract with Brown Jake & McDaniel, PC to audit accounts for the City of Lenoir City. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

A motion was made by Shields and seconded by Kennedy to approve the July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025 contract with Brown Jake & McDaniel, PC to audit the Retirement Income Plan for the Employees of the City of Lenoir City. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

A motion was made by Brandon and seconded by Simpson to adopt Resolution authorizing the conveyance of a portion of certain property to the Industrial Development Board of the City of Lenoir City, Tennessee for the purpose of a project. The following vote was recorded: Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**. McNabb voted **NO**.
Resolution 2025-06-09-2438-R.

A motion was made by Kennedy and seconded by Wampler to approve closure of Depot Street from Bank Street to South A Street on Saturday, July 12, 2025 from the hours of 4:00 PM to 10:00 PM for the purpose of an event. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

A motion was made by Simpson and seconded by Shields to approve Planning Commission's recommendation regarding adoption of an Ordinance providing a Plan of Services for certain properties proposed for annexation into the City of Lenoir City by Ordinance, pursuant to §6-51-102 of the Tennessee Code Annotated, said property being approximately 3.23 combined acres located at 103 Robinson Drive and Highland Park Drive, furthermore identified as Loudon County Control Tax Map 015M, Group A, Parcels 004.00 and 004.01 being located within the Lenoir City Urban Growth Boundary. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

First Reading.

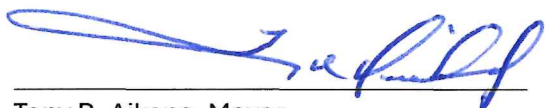
A motion was made by Simpson and seconded by Wampler to approve Planning Commission's recommendation regarding adoption of an Ordinance providing a Plan of Services for certain properties proposed for annexation into the City of Lenoir City by Ordinance, pursuant to §6-51-102 of the Tennessee Code Annotated, said property being approximately 42.00 acres located off Shaw Ferry Road, furthermore identified as Loudon County Control Tax Map 015, Parcel 105.00 being located within the Lenoir City Urban Growth Boundary. The following vote was recorded: Wampler, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**. McNabb, Kennedy, and Shields voting **NO**. **Motion FAILED due to lack of majority.**

A motion was made by Simpson and seconded by Brandon to approve utilizing the State of Tennessee Contract for paving of Browder Hollow Road and Johnson Drive and to accept proposal from APAC-Atlantic for the project in the amount of \$138,909.40. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, Simpson voting **AYE**.

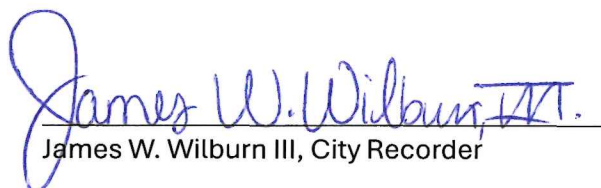
Mayor Aikens asked for comments from citizens regarding an item/items not on the agenda.

A motion was made by Wampler and seconded by McNabb to approve all bills to be paid when properly approved and funds are available. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**.

A motion was made by Kennedy and seconded by Brandon to adjourn the June 9, 2025 meeting. The following vote was recorded: McNabb, Wampler, Kennedy, Shields, Brandon, and Simpson voting **AYE**.



Tony R. Aikens, Mayor



James W. Wilburn III, City Recorder

LENOIR CITY COUNCIL MEETING

MEETING CITY OF LENOIR CITY TIME 6:00 P.M. DATE June 9, 2005 LOCATION CITY HALL - 530 HWY 321 N, LENOIR CTY, TN 37771

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