

**CITY OF BUCHANAN**  
**Minutes of the Work Session**  
**April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

**Mayor:** AJ Scott.

**Council Members:** Angie Hood, Steve Holcombe, and Sterling Moore were present.

**Department Heads:** City Clerk Sherry Taylor and Police Chief David Ratner.

**State and County Candidates:** Mr. Ridley presented the council and public with their reasons for candidacy and discussed what he is currently doing in the County regarding paving projects.

**Golf Cart Ordinance:** The council reviewed the proposed golf cart ordinance and discussed possible restrictions.

**Tina Southern:** Mrs. Southern updated the council on the Spring Fair on The Square. They will need volunteers that morning to help with vendors and set up. There will be a lot of participants in the parade, and it will begin at noon. They are still looking for someone to be the Grand Marshall, any suggestions would be helpful.

**Golf Cart Ordinance:** Mr. Scott suggested that the ordinance states one rider per seat belt. Mr. Scott suggested the council review the ordinance and make suggestions to discuss at the next meeting.

**Mayor Scott:** Mr. Scott adjourned the meeting.

**Adjourn**

**CITY OF BUCHANAN**  
**Minutes of Regular Council Meeting**  
**April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

**Mayor:** AJ Scott.

**Council Members:** Angie Hood, Steve Holcombe, and Sterling Moore were present.

**Department Heads:** City Clerk Sherry Taylor and Police Chief David Ratner.

**Mayor Scott:** Calls the meeting to order. The invocation and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Scott.

**Mayor Scott:** Mr. Scott asked for a motion to approve the agenda. Sterling Moore made a motion to approve the agenda. Steve Holcombe seconds the vote. Motion carried 3-0.

**Mayor Scott:** Mr. Scott asked for a motion to approve the minutes for March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Steve Holcombe made a motion to approve the minutes for March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Sterling Moore seconds the vote. Motion carried 3-0.

**Jana Gentry-Library:** Mrs. Gentry was not present. The library update was included in their packet.

**Tina Southern-Main Street Representative:** Mrs. Southern updated the council in the work session. Mrs. Southern will get with the volunteers to give them details regarding the Spring Fair on the Square.

**Police Vehicle Repair:** Mr. Ratner presented the council with quotes to repair the police truck. Mr. Scott asked for a motion to approve the quote from Mitch Dennis in the amount of \$14,920.73. Angie Hood made a motion to approve the quote as presented from Mitch Dennis in the amount of \$14,920.73. Sterling Moore seconds the vote. Motion carried 3-0.

**Mayor Scott:** Mr. Scott asked for a motion to go into executive session for legal and personnel. Angie Hood made a motion to go into executive session for legal and personnel. Steve Holcombe seconds the vote. Motion carried 3-0.

**Executive Session-Legal and Personnel**

**Mayor Scott:** Mr. Scott asked for a motion to come out of executive session for legal and personnel. Steve Holcombe made a motion to come out of executive session for legal and personnel. Angie Hood seconds the vote. Motion carried 3-0.

**Departmental Updates:**

**Public Works Director, Heath Lee:** Not present. Mr. Scott updated the council on the Depot project.

**Police Chief, David Ratner:** Mr. Ratner updated the council on crime and statistics. He discussed wanting to purchase a used vehicle for the police department.

**City Clerk, Sherry Taylor:** Mrs. Taylor updated the council on the department. The VFW has applied for and purchased all required permits.

**Mayor Scott:** Mr. Scott asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Angie Hood made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Sterling Moore seconds the vote. Motion carried 3-0.

**Adjourn**