

## MINUTES

### WORK SESSION LOUISVILLE CITY COUNCIL OCTOBER 23, 2007 - 5:30 P.M.

Louisville City Council met in a special work session with Mayor-Council Member Kerchner presiding.

MAYOR-COUNCIL MEMBER KERCHNER MOVED, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER GUILLEY, and the motion carried to approve the October 15, 2007 Work Session agenda. The vote: All yea.

#### **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Cynthia Kerchner, Mayor-Council Member  
Jerry Brown, Council Member  
Peggie Conner, Council Member  
Richard Guiley, Council Member  
David Thorley, Council Member

#### **CITY OFFICIALS PRESENT**

Thomas Ault, City Manager  
Peggy Howald, City Clerk  
William Rouse, Director of Finance  
Cindy Minster, Deputy Finance Director

Council bowed their heads for a moment of silent prayer followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor-Council Member Kerchner presented the City Clerk's Certificate of Open Meeting.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

##### DISCUSSION ON THE 2008 BUDGET

City Council discussed at length proposed capital items for the 2008 budget.

Director of Finance Bill Rouse distributed an inventory of the City's mowers for Council's information.

Bill Rouse discussed pricing for a new command vehicle for the Fire Chief.

Bill Rouse distributed information on the current Police vehicle fleet which included mileage on each vehicle.

Council discussed at length cutting capital items. It was determined that nearly all items must be cut in order to balance the budget.

There was discussion on what percentage of salary increases will be given.

City staff will present Council with recommendations on a balanced budget.

The Council will meet again in a work session on November 5, 2007 at 5:30 p.m.

The meeting was adjourned

Respectfully submitted,

Peggy Howald, CMC  
City Clerk