

Spring City Mayor and Board of Commissioners
Regular City Commission Meeting
September 4, 2025 @ 7:00 P.M.

Be it remembered there was opened and held a Regular City Commission Meeting of the Mayor and Board of Commissioners on September 4, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. Attending the meeting were Mayor Leon Locke, Vice-Mayor Jody Bauer, Commissioner Reba Murphy, Commissioner Kevin Jenkins, Commissioner Thomas Beaver, City Manager Thomas McCormick, City Recorder Brenda Dodson, Police Chief Roger Day, Librarian Cindy Wilkey.

Also attending the meeting Karen Murray, Chuck Murray, Carolyn Lee, Stefan Hickey, Lee Booker, Howard Gilliam, Phyllis Nixon, Angela Carr, Diane Loden, Patty Crowder, Cookie Smith, Robbie Harvey, Alma Marquardt.

Roll call was taken by Brenda Dodson, City Recorder
Commissioner Beaver – Present
Commissioner Jenkins – Present
Commissioner Murphy – Present
Vice Mayor Bauer – Present
Mayor Leon Locke – Present

The meeting was opened with prayer and pledge to the American Flag.

Motion was made by Commissioner Murphy and seconded by Vice-Mayor Bauer to approve the August 7, 2025 Regular City Commission meeting minutes.

Vote:
Commissioner Beaver-Aye
Commissioner Jenkins-Aye
Commissioner Murphy-Aye
Vice Mayor Bauer-Aye
Mayor Locke-Aye
Motion Carried

Motion was made by Commissioner Murphy, and seconded by Commissioner Jenkins to approve the August 15, 2025 Special Call Commission meeting minutes.

Vote:
Commissioner Beaver-Aye
Commissioner Jenkins-Aye
Commissioner Murphy-Aye
Vice Mayor Bauer-Aye
Mayor Locke-Aye
Motion Carried

Motion was made by Commissioner Murphy, and seconded by Vice-Mayor Bauer to approve continuing the Interim City Manager pay for Brenda Dodson for 6 weeks starting pay period August 30, 2025.

Vote:
Commissioner Beaver-Aye
Commissioner Jenkins-Aye
Commissioner Murphy-Aye
Vice Mayor Bauer-Aye
Mayor Locke-Aye
Motion Carried

Motion was made by Vice-Mayor Bauer, and seconded by Commissioner Jenkins to approve Resolution 2025-09.

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PROPERTY
CONSERVATION MATCHING GRANT PROGRAM WITH PEPARTNERS**

Vote:

Commissioner Beaver-Aye
Commissioner Jenkins-Aye
Commissioner Murphy-Aye
Vice Mayor Bauer-Aye
Mayor Locke-Aye

Motion Carried

Motion was made by Commissioner Jenkins, and seconded by Commissioner Murphy to set the annual Town of Spring City Halloween Event for Friday, October 31, 2025 from 5:30 to 9:00 pm. A list of city streets approved to be closed will be attached to these minutes.

Vote:

Commissioner Beaver-Aye
Commissioner Jenkins-Aye
Commissioner Murphy, Aye
Vice Mayor Bauer-Aye
Mayor Locke-Aye

Motion Carried

Motion was made by Commissioner Jenkins, and seconded by Commissioner Murphy to approve a recommendation from the Spring City Park Board to place Denny Longstreet as a new board member.

Vote:

Commissioner Beaver-Aye
Commissioner Jenkins-Aye

Commissioner Murphy-Aye
Vice Mayor Bauer-Aye
Mayor Locke-Aye

Motion Carried

Motion was made by Commissioner Jenkins, and seconded by Vice-Mayor Bauer to approve Alma Marquardt and Shawn O-Neil for 2nd term to the Library Board.

Vote:

Commissioner Beaver-Aye
Commissioner Jenkins-Aye
Commissioner Murphy-Aye
Vice Mayor Bauer-Aye
Mayor Locke-Aye

Motion Carried

Motion was made by Commissioner Jenkins, and seconded by Vice-Mayor Bauer to approve new member Chris Anderson to the Spring City Library Board.

Vote:

Commissioner Beaver-Aye
Commissioner Jenkins-Aye
Commissioner Murphy-Aye
Vice Mayor Bauer-Aye
Mayor Locke-Aye

Motion Carried

Motion was made by Commissioner Jenkins, and seconded by Vice-Mayor Bauer to approve Selk Solutions to do the power washing and painting of the Audrey Pack Library and the adjacent storage building in the amount of \$8925.00.

Vote:

Commissioner Beaver-Aye

Commissioner Jenkins-Aye
Commissioner Murphy-Aye
Vice Mayor Bauer-Aye
Mayor Locke-Aye
Motion Carried

Motion was made by Commissioner Jenkins, and seconded by Commissioner Murphy to approve renewing a CD at SouthEast Bank in the amount 4.25% for 12 months.

Vote:

Commissioner Beaver-Aye
Commissioner Jenkins-Aye
Commissioner Murphy-Aye
Vice Mayor Bauer-Aye
Mayor Locke-Aye
Motion Carried

Motion was made by Vice Mayor Bauer, and seconded by Commissioner Jenkins to approve a MOU with Tech Goes Home grant. Also to approve Cindy Wilkey and Angela Knox to be computer trainers for this program.

Vote:

Commissioner Beaver-Aye
Commissioner Jenkins-Aye
Commissioner Murphy-Aye
Vice Mayor Bauer-Aye
Mayor Locke-Aye
Motion Carried

Motion was made by Commissioner Jenkins, and seconded by Commissioner Murphy to apply for the Tennessee Riverline /Arise Grant from ARC. If awarded, the funds will be used to complete a Kayak/paddle launch.

Vote:

Commissioner Beaver-Aye
Commissioner Jenkins-Aye
Commissioner Murphy-Aye
Vice Mayor Bauer-Aye
Mayor Locke-Aye
Motion Carried

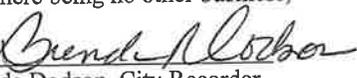
**A RESOLUTION FOR THE PRE-APPLICATION FOR THE TOWN OF SPRING CITY
RECREATIONAL TRAILS CUMBERLAND TRAIL CONNECTOR PROJECT-PHASE
1-2025 APPALACHIAN REGIONAL COMMISSION PROJECT**

Vote:

Commissioner Beaver-Aye
Commissioner Jenkins-Aye
Commissioner Murphy-Aye
Vice Mayor Bauer-Aye
Mayor Locke-Aye
Motion Carried

With there being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:00 pm.

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Attest: 
Brenda Dodson, City Recorder

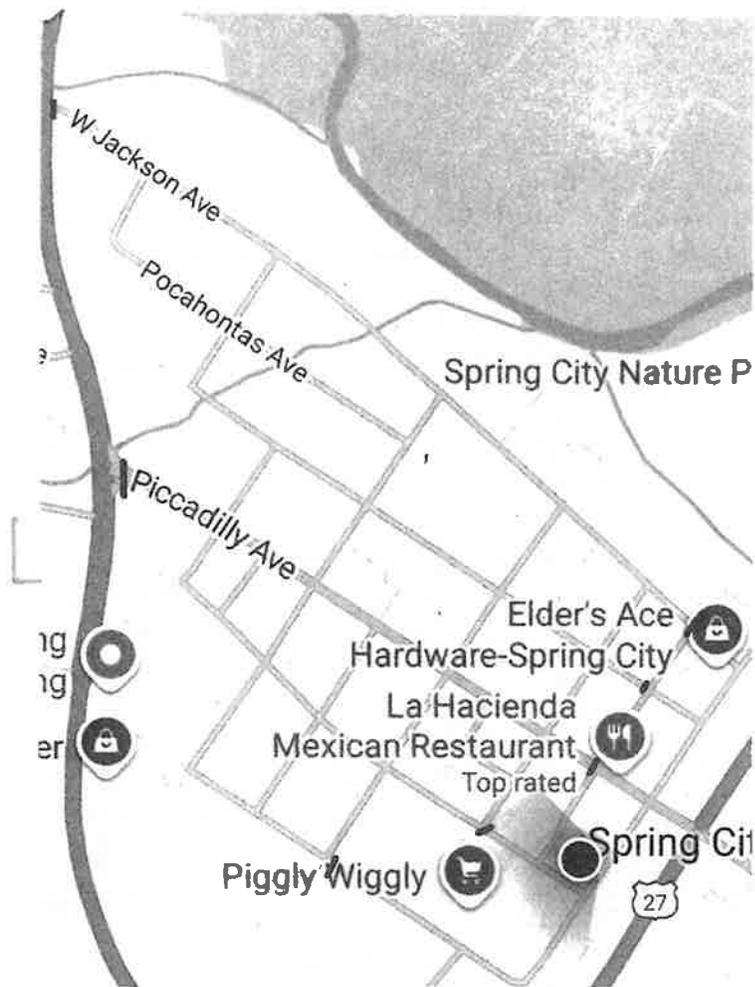
Mayor: 
Leon Locke, Mayor

Dated: 10-2-25

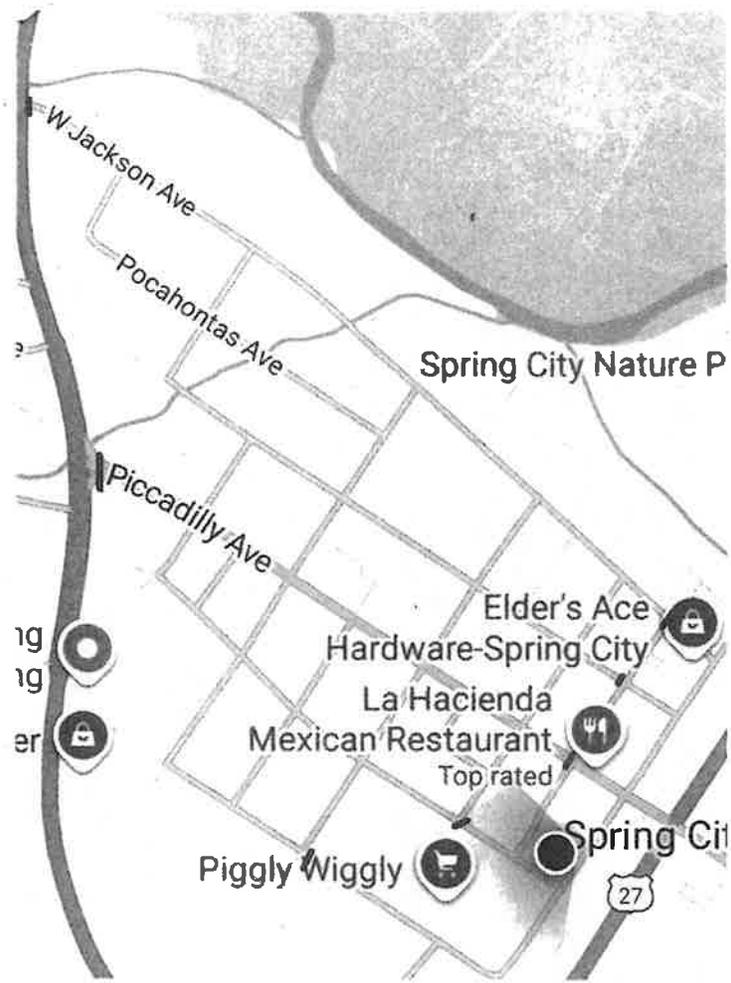
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