

**RICHMOND CITY COMMISSION
MINUTES
WORKSHOP MEETING
MAY 19, 2015
CITY HALL
CONFERENCE ROOM
9:30 AM**

Mayor Barnes called the meeting order 9:30 a.m.

**PRESENT: Commissioner Baird, Blythe, Morgan, Newby and Mayor Barnes
ALSO PRESENT: Lisa Cassity; City Clerk, Richard Thomas; Interim City
Manager, Garrett Fowles; City Attorney**

Departmental Reports

Safety Coordinator- Philip Williams

No report

Planning & Zoning- Kevin Causey, Elisabeth King, Daniel Winkler

Provided update on projects

No Plans submitted for May to TAC

MS4 Program

Fire- Wayne Long

Flowers hung downtown

New secretary starts May 26th

Mostly working vehicles wrecks this week

Richmond Utilities- Scott Althaus

Annual flushing

Regular maintenance

HWY 52 sewer project underway

Police- Larry Brock

Animal Shelter- K9

Citizen Bill Mulhern

Mr. Mulhern questioned if Fieldstone Subdivision was in the process of being completed like his subdivision had.

Commissioner Morgan entered meeting at 9:40 a.m.

Unfinished Businesses

- (Mayor) Nuisance Ordinance Draft- Oak Street

New Business

- Storm Water Update (Mr. Thomas)
- Ethics Ordinance Amendments (City Clerk)
- Executive Session- KRS 61.810 (1) (f) Personnel

Executive Session at 10:30 a.m. for the purpose of the following:

KRS 61.810 (1) (f) Personnel

Present: Jessica Masters; Human Resource Director

Motion: Commissioner Baird

Seconded: Commissioner Blythe

VOTING:	YES	NO
Commissioner Newby	x	
Commissioner Baird	x	
Commissioner Blythe	x	
Commissioner Morgan	x	
Mayor Barnes	x	

Out of Executive Session back into Regular Session at 11:55 a.m.

Motion: Commissioner Newby

Seconded: Commissioner Blythe

VOTING:	YES	NO
Commissioner Baird	x	
Commissioner Blythe	x	
Commissioner Morgan	x	
Commissioner Newby	x	
Mayor Barnes	x	

City Manager’s Report

Mr. Thomas discussed the following items:

1. Health Insurance for employees the next FY 15-16

Board of Commissioner’s Reports

Commissioner Morgan

1. Stated that citizens are complaining of groundhogs on E. Walnut Street.

Commissioner Baird

1. Questioned Paradise Cove restriction on no outside food or drink permitted inside the facility.

Commissioner Blythe

No report

Commissioner Newby

No report

Mayor Barnes

1. Announced that DLG awarded the city the additional \$300,000.00 for the Water Street Project.
2. Announced that EKU was awarded a grant for the Teen Center.
3. Announced that the Housing Authority was also awarded a grant.

Adjournment: 12:05 a.m.

Motion: Commissioner Morgan
Seconded: Commissioner Blythe

VOTING:	YES	NO
Commissioner Blythe	x	
Commissioner Morgan	x	
Commissioner Newby	x	
Commissioner Baird	x	
Mayor Barnes	x	

MAYOR

ATTEST:

City Clerk