



Board of Mayor and Alderman Meeting Minutes

Monday, October 20, 2025 at 7:00 PM

Monterey Municipal Building – 302 E. Commercial Avenue Monterey, TN 38574

Police Department: (931) 839-2323 | City Hall: (931) 839-3770 | Fax: (931) 839-3933

Meeting called by: Mayor Alex Garcia

Type of Meeting: Regular Monthly

Aldermen: Kevin Peters, Spencer Delk, Jim Whitaker, Larry Bennett, Cecelia Paulson, Jim Wolfgram, Jamie Phillips, Bill Wiggins

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CALL TO ORDER

PUBLIC COMMENT

NEW BUSINESS

1. Discuss and possibly vote on new hire pay rate

Mayor Garcia stated that we hired three new employees. Two police officers and a city clerk. He is recommending that we start the clerk out at the highest pay because he is very qualified.

Motion made by Alderwoman Paulson, Seconded by Vice Mayor Peters to set the pay at \$26.77 per hour as the rate of pay for the city clerk.

Voting Yea: Vice Mayor Peters, Alderman Delk, Alderman Bennett, Alderwoman Paulson, Alderman Wolfgram, Alderman Phillips

Voting Nay: Alderman Whitaker

Voting Abstaining: Alderman Wiggins

Mayor Garcia stated that we have two non-certified police officers. Do we want to start them out at the wage we have set or do we want to raise it? Mayor Garcia is recommending that we pay \$16.91 per hour. Motion was made by Alderman Bennett and was seconded by Delk to start these two officers out at \$16.91 per hour. Voting yea were: Peters, Delk, Whitaker, Bennett, Paulson, Wolfgram, Phillips. Voting abstain: Wiggins.

ADJOURNMENT