

Minutes of the Regular Work Session of the  
Board of Mayor and Aldermen, City of Kingsport, Tennessee  
Monday, January 8, 2018, 4:30 PM  
Council Room – City Hall

PRESENT: Board of Mayor and Aldermen

Mayor John Clark

Alderman Jennifer Adler

Alderman Joe Begley

Alderman Betsy Cooper

Alderman Colette George

Alderman Tommy Olterman

City Administration

Jeff Fleming, City Manager

Joseph E. May, Interim City Attorney

James H. Demming, City Recorder/Chief Financial Officer


1. **CALL TO ORDER:** 4:30 p.m. by Mayor Clark.
2. **ROLL CALL:** By Deputy City Recorder Marshall. Absent: Vice-Mayor Mike McIntire.
3. **FY19 CITY MANAGER'S BUDGET PREPARATION ASSUMPTIONS.** Mr. Fleming presented this item, describing the budget process and the many factors that affect the financial condition of the city. Such factors include the reduced taxes on groceries and the Hall Income Tax going away, causing the city to absorb significant losses

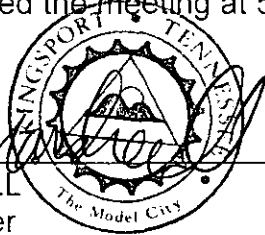
Mr. Fleming also asked Assistant City Manager for Operation Ryan McReynolds to talk about the city's policy on treating the roads in anticipation of bad weather. He provided details on the city's response and stated he would present this information again at the business meeting tomorrow night.

The City Manager also made comments on intuitive growth and repurposing the outside periphery of Kingsport to the downtown area.

4. **REVIEW OF AGENDA ITEMS ON THE JANUARY 9, 2018 REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING AGENDA.** There were no agenda items which received specific questions or discussion.

5. **ADJOURN.** Seeing no other matters presented for discussion at this work session, Mayor Clark adjourned the meeting at 5:30 p.m.

  
ANGELA MARSHALL  
Deputy City Recorder



  
JOHN CLARK  
Mayor