

**SERVICE, SAFETY, and RECREATION COMMITTEE**  
**Monday, August 3, 2009**

The Service, Safety and Recreation Committee met in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Conference Room of 105 North Main Street on Monday, August 3, 2009 at 8:00 A.M. Mr. Steve Jennings presided and those in attendance were; Mr. Ben Roby, Council Chairman; Mr. Dwight Hedrick, Council Member, Mr. Dale Lynch, Council Member, Mr. Ted Hawk, Council Member, Mr. Joe Denen, City Manager; Mr. Joe Burbage, Service Director , Mr. Brian Hottinger, Police Chief, Mr. Mark Pitstick, City Attorney and Mr. Rob Hedrick, Economic Development Director.

1. Mr. Rob Hedrick addressed the Committee on behalf of the Alliance for Prosperous Downtown, and inquired about a downtown event to be held the night of beggar's night. Mr. Hedrick advised that this event would be held from 5-7 on October 29<sup>th</sup> on the Court House lawn. The Committee recommended that said event be held on Tuesday, October 27<sup>th</sup>, due to the amount of pedestrians' downtown and limited personnel at the Police Department on the night of beggars' night. Mr. Hedrick noted the recommendation.
2. The Committee benefited from a review of the general report of the Washington Police Department. The Committee discussed issued with citizens parking on sidewalks. Chief Hottinger advised that the issue would be addressed.
3. The Committee benefited from a review of the Police & Fire Building by Mr. Joe Denen. Mr. Denen advised the Committee of the tour that would be held on Tuesday, August 4, at 3pm.
4. The Committee benefited from a review of the Fayette County Dog Warden Incident report for the months of June and July. The Committee inquired about the Assistant Dog Warden issue and noted that it had been resolved by the County.
5. The Committee discussed the filter media replacement bid summary. The Administration advised the Committee that a review of the specifications and verification of intentions with the bidders would be completed. The Committee noted no action be done at this time.
6. The Committee recommended the bid of Melvin Asphalt for the 6<sup>th</sup> Street Drainage Project and advised that the formula grant funds would be used for the project.
7. The Administration advised the Committee that the Traffic Light Signalization Project was progressing with noted tentative completion date being the end of September 2009.
8. The Committee discussed the lighting issues at the intersection of Robinson Road and State Route 753.
9. The Committee reviewed the Westward and Brookside Avenue re-alignment plan and profile. The Committee noted that the plan would include roadwork, excavation and reduction of a slope of an existing hill.. The Committee also recommended proceeding with the 20mph speed limit recommendation made by the Police Department for the roadway.
10. The Committee recommended legislation be brought to Council appointing Mr. Craig Breedlove, Mr. Jason Little, and Mr. Keith Eckles to the Board of Building Appeals.
11. The Committee benefited from a review of the City Pool.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Steve Jennings, Chairperson-Service, Safety and Recreation Committee  
Kelley Rossiter, Recording Secretary