

## **CITY OF WILMORE MINUTES**

### **August 18, 2025**

The Wilmore City Council convened for a regular session on Monday, August 18, 2025, at 6:00 p.m., with Mayor Harold Rainwater presiding. Present were Councilmembers Leonard Fitch, Jim Brumfield, David Riel, Andy Bathje, Wes Metcalfe, Sharon Moore, and City Attorney Robert Gullette, III.

### **Approval of Minutes**

Councilmember Brumfield moved, seconded by Councilmember Metcalfe, to approve the minutes of July 21, 2025. There was no discussion, all members voted aye.

### **Mayor's Report**

James Zweifel Utilities Director informed the council that an EPA required Service Line Inventory letter would be mailed to all addresses with unknown service line material in November. He also informed the council that the Lexington Avenue sewer line improvement project bid opening will be September 18, 2026. The contract will be awarded to the chosen bidder on September 26, 2025. Construction on the project will start early 2026.

### **Old Business**

**ORDINANCE 2025-13 AN ORDINANCE LEVYING A PROPERTY TAX ON REAL AND TANGIBLE PROPERTY FOR THE CITY OF WILMORE, KENTUCKY FOR THE YEAR 2025 1<sup>ST</sup> Reading** – Councilmember Brumfield moved, seconded by Councilmember Metcalfe to approve using the compensating rates. After some discussion, all members voted aye.

**ORDINANCE 2025-14 AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AD VALOREM PROPERTY TAX ON ALL MOTOR VEHICLES BY THE CITY OF WILMORE, KENTUCKY FOR THE YEAR 2026 1<sup>ST</sup> Reading** – Councilmember Brumfield moved, seconded by Councilmember Metcalfe to approve using the current rate. There was no discussion, all members voted aye

### **New Business**

**ORDINANCE 2025-15 AMENDING THE WILMORE CODE OF ORDINANCES CHAPTER 95: FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION, SECTION 95.02 FIRE LANES (PROHIBITING PARKING IN DESIGNATED FIRE LANES) 1<sup>ST</sup> Reading** – Councilmember Brumfield moved, seconded by Councilmember Metcalfe, to approve the amendment. There was no discussion, all members voted aye.

**Splashpad Bids** – Parks and Recreation Director Amy Fitch presented the council with the two bids for construction. She explained why she recommended that the bid be awarded to Playpros. After some discussion Councilmember Moore moved, seconded by Councilmember Riel to accept the recommendation.

## **Adjournment**

Councilmember Brumfield moved to adjourn at 7:22 p.m.

**Respectfully submitted,**

Presiding Officer:

Harold Rainwater, Mayor

Attest:

Donna Back, City Clerk