

**Special Called Meeting  
Benton City Council  
December 19, 2022**

A special called meeting of the Benton City Council was held on Monday, December 19, 2022 at 4:00 pm at Benton City Hall. Mayor Dotson called the meeting to order with Pledge of Allegiance said and prayer offered by Doug Dotson.

Council members present were Rita Murray, Ann Riley, Butch Holland and Charles Edmonds.

Absent was Kevin Farley and Sherra Riley.

Others present were Bethany Cooper, City Clerk Treasurer; Brooklyn Chappell, Administrative Assistant and Logan Hampton, Police Sergeant.

City Clerk Bethany Cooper introduced a resolution and joinder agreement to continue allowing City employees to participate in Kentucky Deferred Compensation Plans. A motion was made by A. Riley, seconded by Edmonds to approve the resolution and agreement. All agreed. Motion carried.

Mayor Dotson read the first reading of an ordinance changing the zoning classification at 11 Cope Road (Gallery Square) from C-2 to R-3.

Mayor Dotson read a first reading of an ordinance changing the zoning classification at 1933 Mayfield Highway (Marshall County Extension Office) from R-1 to C-2.

Mayor Dotson read the second reading of an ordinance annexing 22.19 acres of property located in Bent Creek and owned by Adam & Kristen David and Thomas & Jennifer Jezik into the City limits. A motion was made by Edmonds, seconded by Murray to approve. All agreed. Motion carried.

January's meeting date was set for January 17, 2023 at 5:00 pm. The regular meeting date in January falls on Martin Luther King Day and Benton City Hall is closed.

Sergeant Hampton presented the police report for November. There were 10 cases, 13 collisions, 37 citation violations and 824 calls.

A motion was made by Holland, seconded by A. Riley to approve the regular minutes of November 11, 2022 and the special called minutes of December 7, 2022. All agreed. Motion carried.

There being no further business to discuss, meeting adjourned.

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Rita Dotson, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Bethany Cooper, City Clerk/Treas.