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## MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELMONT

The Belmont City Council met in regular session on Tuesday February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall.

Those present for the meeting were Mayor Tim Barnes, Councilmembers: Ancil Drane, Wayne Birkhimer, Betty Smith, Will Carouthers, John Carpenter and City Recorder Connie Binegar, City Clerk Erica Pierce.

Mayor Barnes called the meeting to order with a silent roll call.

Will Carouthers led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Wayne Birkhimer made a motion to approve the minutes of the meeting on January 17. Ancil Drane second the motion. Motion carried.

We had Ronnie Holmes and John Armstrong for our special guest. Neither one had an issue with Council.

Mayor Barnes had several things to make Council aware of. Hall's lawn care can't mow our lawn this year. He is having trouble getting workers. So, we will have to advertise for someone else to do the mowing this year. Wayne Birkhimer made the motion to bid the job. Ancil Drane seconded the motion. Motion carried. We are also going to have to bid out the concrete job on Myers Street for this summer. Will Carouthers made a motion. Wayne Birkhimer seconded the

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them a estimate to resealing Myers after the concrete was done of \$2008.80 Ancil Drane made a motion to accept the estimate for resealing Myers Street. Will Carouthers seconded the motion. Motion carried. There is also an issue on Cressup Street there is a spring so they need to put in a drain so the water will go into the storm drain to get water out of yard. Will Carouthers made motion to approve putting in a drain. Wayne Birkhimer seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Wayne Birkhimer made mention there is a ditch on Triplett Street that needs cleaned out.

Betty Smith was wondering about our plague for Make it Shine. Make it Shine was a program thru the DEP for making community cleaner. Erica has been checking on it. Which we got an honorable mention. This is the last year they will be doing this.

John Carpenter make mention there are some holes that need to be filled in by Barb Westbrook.

City Recorder made mention our SAM (System for Award) registration is expiring soon. Betty Smith made a motion to renew it for 1 year \$449.00. Wayne Birkhimer seconded the motion. Motion carried.

We had no building permits for this meeting.

Wayne Birkhimer made the motion to pay the bills. John Carpenter seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Ancil Drane made the motion to adjourn. John Carpenter seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Mayor Recorder