

August 2, 2018
Garnett, KS 66032

The Governing Body of the City of Garnett met in special session on August 2, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall with the following present: Jody M. Cole, Mayor; Greg Gwin and Brigitte Brecheisen-Huss, City Commissioners; Christopher T. Weiner, City Manager; Will Mechnig, Student Representative and Nancy Hermreck, Interim City Clerk. Others present: Kurt King and Susan Wettstein.

Whereupon the written request for said meeting as signed by Commissioners Cole, Gwin and Brecheisen-Huss read as follows:

We, the undersigned Commissioners of the City of Garnett, Kansas respectfully request that a special meeting of the Governing Body of the City of Garnett, Kansas be held at the City Hall at 7:00 p.m. for the purpose of considering the following items, to-wit:

1. Budget Workshop

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Jody M. Cole

/s/ Greg Gwin

/s/ Brigitte Brecheisen-Huss

Whereupon the written request for said meeting was entered at length on the journal.

Mayor Cole called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Manager Weiner explained he minimalized the budget to afford the Commission the opportunity to prioritize the needs of the departments and the Commission's vision for the future.

Susan Wettstein, Director of Community Development, was present to discuss the Recreation Center Grant from the Goppert Foundation in the amount of \$7,380 and the cost related to making the recreation center a 24-hour facility.

Kurt King, Chief of Police explained the struggles of hiring officers and answered questions the Governing Body had concerning the Law Enforcement Budget.

Fire Department, Airport, Library and General Administration budgets were discussed.

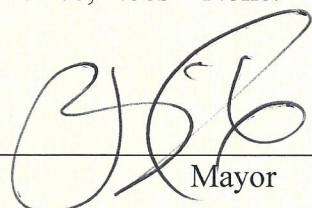
Mayor Cole made a motion to adjourn the meeting, motion was seconded by Commissioner Gwin. On roll call, the following vote was recorded: Ayes – three; Noes – None.

Meeting adjourned at 9:03 p.m.

ATTEST:



Interim City Clerk



Mayor