

**Minutes of City Council
June 26, 2024
Special Session**

The Council of the City of Lewisburg met in special session on Wednesday, June 26, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. in the Paul R. Cooley Council Chambers at 942 Washington St. West, Lewisburg.

PRESENT: Mayor Beverly White, Councilmembers: Sarah Elkins, Frankin Johnson, John Little, Arron Seams, City Clerk Shannon Beatty and City Manager Misty Hill.

ABSENT: Councilmember Valerie Pritt.

VISITORS: Deva Wagner, Elizabeth & Sissy Issacs, Adrienne French, Jill McIntyre, Arthur Forgette, Brian Belcher, Kara Dense, Delilah Dixon, Al Emch, Kris Little, Christin, David, Elva, and Rachel Leech, and Ross Gherman; Reporter Sara Richardson with the Mountain Messenger (ZOOM)

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor White called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Contract approval with Greenbrier Valley Archeology, Inc. (The Barracks)

Councilmember Little made a motion to approve the contract for Greenbrier Valley Archeology, Inc. for the barracks as presented with the City of Lewisburg acting as pass through local government entity for the grant.

Councilmember Elkins seconded the motion. With (5) five in favor and (1) one absent (Pritt) the motion carried.

Bid award for the Lewisburg Historic District Architecture & History Intensive Survey & National Register of Historic Places Nomination.

Councilmember Elkins made a motion to approve the bid from Aurora Research Associates, LLC in the amount of \$30,000. Councilmember Seams seconded the Motion. With (5) five in favor and (1) one absent (Pritt) the motion carried.

VISITOR'S REPORT: Lewisburg Merchant and resident Arthur Forgette read a letter from Lewisburg Merchant and resident Paula Thomas in opposition of the plan to hold a "Monday Mashup" allowing food trucks to set up from the hours of 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. on Mondays in downtown Lewisburg. Lewisburg Merchant Elizabeth Issac spoke in opposition to the plan to begin a "Monday Mashup" for food trucks on Mondays in downtown Lewisburg.

ADJURNMENT: Councilmember Seams made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:19 p.m. Councilmember Johnson seconded the motion. With (5) five in favor and (1) one absent (Pritt) the motion carried.