

PUBLIC NOTICE

**CITY OF BELLEFONTAINE NEIGHBORS, MISSOURI
REGULAR MEETING
BOARD OF ALDERPERSONS
VIA VIDEO/TELECONFERENCE
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2020 - 7:30 PM**

Notice is hereby given that the City of Bellefontaine Neighbors (“City”) will hold a Board of Alderpersons Meeting on Thursday, December 3, 2020, 7:30 p.m. via video/teleconference.

In view of the COVID-19 pandemic, and the Federal, State, County, and City Emergency Declarations, and in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 610.020, RSMo., the City acknowledges that it would be dangerous and impractical, if not impossible, for this meeting to be physically accessible to the public. The City also recognizes the need for the public’s business to be attended to in order to protect the public health, safety, and welfare. In order to balance the need for both continuity of government and protection of the health and safety of our residents, business persons and employees, this meeting of the Board of Alderpersons will not be open to public attendance in person. **THE MEETING WILL BE ACCESSIBLE BY THE PUBLIC IN REAL TIME ONLY BY A VIDEO/TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL VIA ZOOM. THE INSTRUCTIONS TO JOIN ARE BELOW:**

To Join the meeting by via website:

- (1) Go to Zoom at <https://zoom.us>**
- (2) Select Join a Meeting**
- (3) Enter Meeting ID: 825 620 8214**
- (4) Enter Password: 4i85eK**

To Join the meeting by phone call (audio):

- (1) Call 1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago)
1 646 558 8656 US (New York)**
- (2) Enter Meeting ID: 825 620 8214**
- (3) When prompted, enter the Pass Code 452739**

THE AGENDA FOR THIS BOARD MEETING IS SET FORTH HEREIN.

Instruction for providing public comments: Persons interested in making their views known on any matter will be able to speak during the video/teleconference meeting under “Public Comments.” In addition, anyone may send an email with their comments to the City Clerk at FStevens@cityofbn.com by no later than Thursday, November 4, 2020 by 12:00 p.m. All comments received by email will be entered into the public record and publicly read as time allows. All emailed comments will also be distributed to the entire Board at or before the meeting. Thank you for your understanding and patience as we all try to get through these unprecedented times.

POSTED: DECEMBER 1, 2020 @ 5:00 P.M.

BY: CITY CLERK

**REGULAR BOARD MEETING
THURSDAY – DECEMBER 3, 2020 – 7:30 PM**

**BELLEFONTAINE NEIGHBORS BOARD OF ALDERPERSONS
WILL CONVENE FOR THE ABOVE REFERENCED MEETING
VIA ZOOM.**

AGENDA

- 1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER**
- 2. ROLL CALL**
- 3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**
- 4. PRESENTATION OF UNAPPROVED MINUTES: REGULAR BOA MTG.-11/19/2020**
- 5. MEETING OPEN TO PUBLIC: (With a 3-minute time limit).**
- 6. COMMISSION AND BOARD REPORTS:**
 - A. PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**
 - B. YOUTH COMMISSION**
 - C. IMAGE & BEAUTIFICATION**
 - D. PARKS & RECREATION BOARD**
 - E. STREET DEPARTMENT - APPROVAL OF TRUCK REPAIR**
- 7. APPROVAL OF INVOICES OVER \$500**
- 8. CHIEF OF POLICE**
- 9. CITY ATTORNEY**
- 10. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**
 - A. CITY ADMINISTRATOR POSTING**
- 11. NEW BUSINESS**
 - A. DISCUSSION OF CHAPTER 3, ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – ALDERMAN CARROLL**
 - B. APPROVAL OF THE POSTING AND MAKING AVAILABLE FOR THE PUBLIC TO RECEIVE THE PACKETS, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF ANY CLOSED RECORD RECEIVED BY ELECTED OFFICIALS PRIOR TO A BOA MEETING – ALDERMAN CARROLL**
 - C. DISCUSSION AND APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR/BOA TO TAKE LEGAL ACTION AGAINST THE BOA REGARDING THE AUGUST 12TH, 2020 BOA MEETING – ALDERMAN CARROLL**
 - D. APPOINTMENT OF ALDERPERSONS – WARD 3 – ALDERWOMAN AVANT-ELLIOTT**
 - E. APPROVAL OF SPECIAL ELECTION FOR WARD 3 – ALDERWOMAN AVANT-ELLIOTT**
 - F. CLASSIFICATION AS 3RD CLASS CITY FOR BALLOT – ALDERWOMAN AVANT—ELLIOTT**
 - G. BOARD OF ALDERMEN APPT. TO PLANNING/ZONING – ALDERWOMAN AVANT-ELLIOTT**
 - H. DISCUSSION OF SPEED BUMPS AND THE PLACEMENT OF SPEED BUMPS IN THE CITY – ALDERMAN CARROLL**
 - I. A MOTION TO INCLUDE CITIZENS COMMENTS, ALDERPERSON COMMENTS, MAYORS COMMENTS TO THE MINUTES – ALDERMAN THOMAS**
 - J. BILL NO. 2601 – SPECIAL ELECTION FOR WARD 3 – ALDERWOMAN AVANT-ELLIOTT**
- 12. REPORT OF MAYOR**
- 13. REPORT OF ALDERMEN**
- 14. MEETING OPEN TO PUBLIC: (With a 3-minute time limit).**
- 15. CLOSED SESSION–STATE STATUE 610.021(3) HIRING, FIRING, DISCIPLINING OR PROMOTING EMPLOYEES**
- 16. ADJOURNMENT**

POSTED: December 1, 2020 AT 5:00PM

INTRODUCED BY ALDERWOMAN AVANT-ELLIOTT

BILL NO 2601

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE SETTING UP A SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL THE UNEXPIRED TERM OF JAMES CHRISTIAN, ALDERMAN OF THE THIRD WARD, TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF BELLEFONTAINE NEIGHBORS, MISSOURI, APRIL 6, 2021.

WHEREAS, a vacancy exists in the office of Alderman of the Third Ward of the City of Bellefontaine Neighbors, Missouri, formerly held by James Christian.

WHEREAS, the Board of Alderman of the City of Bellefontaine Neighbors, Missouri on the 3rd day of December, 2020 passed a motion calling for a Special Election to fill said vacancy as required by law; and,

WHEREAS, the said Special Election will be held as provided by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Missouri and the Ordinance of said City on Tuesday, April 6, 2021 for the purpose of electing one Alderman from the Third Ward of the City of Bellefontaine Neighbors, Missouri for the unexpired term of the said James Christian who resigned, and until his successor shall be duly elected or appointed, qualified and installed into office in accordance with law;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF BELLEFONTAINE NEIGHBORS, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That an election be held in the City of Bellefontaine Neighbors, Missouri on Tuesday, April 6, 2021, in accordance with the Constitution and laws of the State of Missouri and the Ordinances of said City for the purpose of electing one Alderman from the Third Ward of said City for the unexpired term of James Christian, resigned, until his successor shall be duly elected or appointed, qualified and installed into office in accordance with law.

SECTION 2. That the Board of Election Commissioners of St. Louis County, Missouri shall conduct said election in accordance with law.

SECTION 3. That the Board of Election Commissioners of St. Louis County, Missouri shall determine and designate the polling places for said election.

SECTION 4. That the Board of Election Commissioners of St. Louis County, Missouri shall appoint the judges and clerks of said election and do any other necessary acts or processes that may be required for the proper conducting of said election.

SECTION 5. That notice of this election as required by law shall be given by the Board of Election Commissioners of St. Louis County as required by law; and notice of this election may be given by the City of Bellefontaine Neighbors.

SECTION 6. That the polls at said election shall open at six o'clock a.m. of said day and continue open until seven o'clock p.m. (Official time) under the direction and supervision of the Board of Election Commissioners of St. Louis County, Missouri.

SECTION 7. That the dates between which candidates for such office shall be permitted to file their candidacy for such election shall be from 9:00 a.m., December 15, 2020 until 4:00 p.m., January

19, 2021. Such filings for office as aforesaid shall be received during that period between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. all days during such period that the City Hall of Bellefontaine Neighbors shall be open for business at said City Hall, by the City Clerk or assistants to the City Clerk. Time referred to herein is official time according to law.

SECTION 8. That no withdrawals of such candidacy filings shall be permitted after 5:00 p.m. (Official Time according to law January 19, 2021, unless permitted by the Board of Election Commissioners of St. Louis County, Missouri.

SECTION 9. That at least fifty days prior to election, the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk of said City shall certify to the Board of Election Commissioners of St. Louis County, Missouri, the following information:

- (a) Name of said City herein and the Classification thereof;
- (b) The principal address of same; and
- (c) The office to be voted upon; the name of each candidate for such office in the exact form that same shall appear on the ballot; the date, hour and minute of the filing by each such candidate.

Said certificate shall be signed by the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk of said City or the Mayor of said City and two copies of same shall be delivered to the said Board of Election Commissioners as provided herein.

SECTION 10. That the Board of Election Commissioners of St. Louis County, Missouri shall certify the results of said election to the Board of Aldermen of said City in accordance with law.

SECTION 11. That upon the passage and approval of this Ordinance, the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk of said City shall certify a copy thereof to the Board of Election Commissioners of St. Louis County, Missouri for action and proceedings by Election Commissioners in accordance herewith and as required by law.

SECTION 12. That all ordinances or parts of ordinance in conflict with the Ordinance or parts thereof shall be and the same are hereby repealed insofar as they may so conflict, this Ordinance superseding same.

SECTION 13. That this Ordinance shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN FOR THE CITY OF BELLEFONTAINE NEIGHBORS THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2020.

Presiding Officer

Attest:

Fran Stevens, City Clerk

APPROVED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2020.

Tommie Pierson Sr., Mayor