

Minutes of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen  
City of Dyersburg  
September 23, 2008

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen met in called session on Tuesday, September 23, 2008 in the municipal courtroom at 1 p.m.

Mayor John Holden presided with all Aldermen present except McCreight and Moody.

Employee Termination Appeal

The Board met to serve as the Employee Appeals Procedure Board per the City of Dyersburg Employee Handbook. The appeals procedure is outlined on page 14 of the Handbook.

Mr. Jimmy Cooper appealed his termination of employment from the waste water treatment plant. He asked the Board to verify the facts regarding the actions leading to his termination.

Mr. John Lannon, Ms. Christine Coranodo, and Mr. Jim Wilder were present representing the City Attorney's office. Ms. Coranodo called witnesses and placed documents in the record showing the causes, actions and determinations that lead to Mr. Cooper's termination.

Witnesses called to testify were Waste Water Manager Larry Palmer, Operator Mike Goff and Human Resource Director Sue Teague. Mr. Cooper asked no questions of the witnesses.

The termination of Mr. Cooper was upheld by unanimous vote of the Board.

The proceedings were recorded by a court reporter and a transcript can be obtained through the City Attorney's office.

The meeting adjourned at 1:31 p.m.

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John Holden, Mayor

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Gleyn T. Twilla, City Recorder