



Mayor Justin Hanson

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Public Works Committee - 1st Tuesday

Chairperson Danny Wallace, Jeff Morris, Johnetta Yarbrough

General Welfare/Public Relations Committee - 2nd Tuesday

Chairperson Jeff Morris, CH Sullivan, John Edwards

Finance and Administration Committee - 3rd Tuesday

Chairperson CH Sullivan, All Board Members

Public Safety Committee - 4th Tuesday

Chairperson Johnetta Yarbrough, Chris Richardson, CH Sullivan

All Committee meetings are held on Tuesdays at 4:00 p.m.

Official meeting minutes and agendas can be found by visiting www.covingtontn.com.

Public Works Committee Meeting - 4/6/21

Present via Virtual Meeting: Chairman Danny Wallace, Aldermen/Woman Johnetta Yarbrough, John Edwards, CH Sullivan, Jeff Morris, Chris Richardson. Mayor Justin Hanson, Directors David Gray, Tina Dunn, and Lessie Fisher, Jennifer Nolen, Rebecca Ray, Echo Day, Margaret Fleming

Public Works Report - Director David Gray

Sink Hole South Fire Station Update

- Project almost finished
- Committee approved \$118,000, total cost was \$115,217, Director Gray requested additional \$15,000 to finish curbing and other items, Alderman Morris motioned to approved funds, Alderwoman Yarbrough 2nd, roll call, approved

Update on Rialto Water Main - SDG Grant (Site Development Grant)

- Work has been completed
- Application for 2021 grant for sewer and dirt work at Southall property in order to get site certified

2021 CDBG Grant (Community Development Block Grant) Update

USDA Loan for Paving

- Submitted list of streets to be paved, possibly more streets

James Street Project

- Sidewalk from College St. to Highway 51
- Plans are being submitted, bids will go out in 3-4 months

Motion made to accept Director Gray's report, 2nd, roll call, so moved

Code Compliance Report - Director Lessie Fisher

Director Fisher commented on the street paving and how that will help our ADA (Americans with Disability Act) plan and we will need to track the costs.

Covington Municipal Codes

- Updating still in progress

Animal Control Discussion

- There has been some discussion about the continued need for and Animal Control Division
- Alderman Morris is concerned about the Charter, but we are not required by Charter to provide this service
- Chairman Wallace does not feel we need to relinquish this service
- Animal control calls to dispatch may be directed to our police department, adding to their workload

Community Education Programs

Update on Trashcise Event

Motion made to accept Director Fisher's report, 2nd, roll call, so moved

There being no further business, meeting is adjourned

Committee meetings are at 4:00 pm in the Lower Level Conference Room at Covington City Hall. All Board of Mayor and Aldermen meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings of each month at 5:30 pm in the Board Room on the 2nd floor at Covington City Hall. ALL are open to the public. Official meeting minutes and agendas can be found by visiting www.covingtontn.com.

Due to COVID-19, all public meetings are being held virtually. If you would like the link to join virtually, please email rgray@covingtontn.com. City Board meetings are also live-streamed on our [Website](#) and [Facebook page](#).

COVID-19 UPDATES



DSCC
DYERSBURG STATE
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Johnson & Johnson
Janssen

**COVID-19
VACCINE**

DSCC's Jimmy Naifeh Center in Covington will serve as a COVID-19 vaccination site on Saturdays from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. beginning April 17. Patients must be 18 years or older and register online only ahead of time at www.dsc.edu/vaccine.

COVID-19 Vaccines

DEBUNKING THE MYTHS

Banner Health

VACCINE MYTH

VACCINE FACT



It was rushed and isn't safe

Researchers took no safety shortcuts. Large studies show the vaccine is safe.



It changes your DNA

It's impossible for the vaccine to change your DNA



It can give you COVID-19

The vaccine doesn't contain a live virus strain



It contains egg protein

It doesn't have egg proteins and can be given to people with egg allergies



It causes severe side effects

For most, the vaccine causes mild side effects that resolve in a few days



It makes women infertile

There is no evidence that the vaccine causes infertility

SOURCE: Sanford Health

Join us at the Tipton County Museum to learn about

DNA 101: Understanding how to use DNA in your Family Search



Presented by Sherri Onorati

Saturday, April 10 @ 10am
Tipton County Museum

FREE to Museum members and \$5 for non-members.
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Tipton County Museum

presents

CARS ☕ COFFEE

Saturday, May 1

9-11am



Come show off your car, truck or bike (new or old)
and hangout at the Museum... Coffee is ON US!



COVINGTON
TIPTON COUNTY
CHAMBER of COMMERCE

APRIL 15th

THIRD THURSDAY

Business After Hours Networking Event

5PM at Liberty Vintage Marketplace

100 Union Street, Covington



South Tipton County Chamber of Commerce



Mayor Hanson joined other community members for the first in-person gathering in 2021 of the South Tipton Chamber of Commerce's First Friday Coffee! Thanks to Sperry Commercial Real Estate for sponsoring this event. What a great way to start a Friday!

support local.

LEARN TO CROCHET

- Mondays @ 7PM
April 19th - May 24th
- \$75 fee includes materials
- Limited spots available



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Industrial Appreciation Golf Tournament

Thursday, May 27th 2021

Covington Country Club

Tee Off at 12:30pm Lunch Served at 11am

Join us for an afternoon of great fellowship, food, and golf as we celebrate and show appreciation of the Tipton County manufacturers that positively impact the economy in our region!

Call 901 476 9727 or email lauren@covington-tiptoncochamber.com



- **Manufacturers get 1 FREE Team and Golf Cart**
- **All other teams pay \$300 which includes Green Fees, Lunches, Drinks, Snacks & Entry to Door Prize Drawing for 4 Players**

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