

CITY OF GERMANTOWN COUNCIL

MONDAY, AUGUST 3, 26

The City of Germantown Council met in work session on August 3, 2026 at 8:51 p.m. in the city building Council Chambers.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

The following members were present at the Call to Order: Mayor Terry Johnson, Mr. Jeffrey Jones, Mrs. Bonnie Koogler, Mr. Michael Kuhn, Mr. Rick Reed, Mr. Robert Rettich IV and Mr. Brian Wafzig.

MEMBERS ABSENT:

None.

ALSO PRESENT:

Also present were Judy Gilleland, City Manager; Scott Davies, Law Director; Mike Roseberry, Property Maintenance; Chief Josh Forrer, Fire/EMS Department; Chief Matt Burns, Police Department; Will Parsons, Community Relations Manager; Kelli Sanders-Novak, Clerk of Council, and visitors. Mike Hafner, City Traffic Engineer, joined via ZOOM.

BUSINESS:

School Zone Traffic Regulation Discussion

Mike Hafner, Staff and Council discussed the school zone located on Farmersville Pike and if it needs to be changed. After a brief discussion it was determined that expanding the zone would not be beneficial and that the current zone would remain the same.

E Bikes, E-Scooters and E-Motors Discussion

Chief Burns and Council discussed the concerns of E Bikes and E Scooters. They are becoming more and more popular in all communities. There is a group of law enforcement that are meeting and discussing the issues and how to resolve them. They are hoping to have a solution soon and Chief Burns will bring this topic back to Council when that solution is determined.

Sale of Fire Rescue Truck

Chief Forrer discussed the 2012 Toyne Rescue Truck and recommended selling it. It is not needed by the department and is costing the department money to maintain/operate it. Council and Staff discussed the recommendation to sell the truck. It was determined that it would be best to sell the truck. Staff will bring legislation to the next meeting for Council to consider.

Discussion of Food Trucks

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Staff and Council discussed the current code regarding mobile food trucks. This section of code is outdated and needs to be revised. Staff will gather information and prepare proposed legislation to be considered at a later work session.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business to come before the Council, Mr. Rettich moved to adjourn the meeting.

The work session adjourned at 9:41 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kelli R. Sanders-Novak
Clerk of Council

Terry Johnson
Mayor