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2006, presented the main slideshow and talking points on active shooter situations. He detailed some of the police response during the 2019 Walmart shooting when Martez Abram, described as a disgruntled Walmart employee, fatally shot two co-workers and wounded a police officer before he was shot and arrested.

“We got a call that morning, it was around 6:30, we all responded and it happened quick,” York said. “That employee was displeased, he had a plan, and carried it out.”

York outlined FBI stats, saying 160 active shooter incidents occurred between 2000 and 2013 with 70% of incidents occurring in a commerce or education environment.

Preparedness was emphasized for managers and business owners. Steps include performing a security survey of the business, developing an emergency plan of action, conducting training, recognizing indicators of potential workplace violence and considering handi-capped or impaired employees.

If an active shooter situation occurs, employees usually have three options: run, hide or fight.

Running may include finding a safe escape route, bringing others with you and designating a meeting place. Hiding is to keep oneself safe, and others if possible. Hiding can include locking and barricading doors, hiding behind large objects, silencing your cell phone, remaining quiet and staying in one place until law enforcement arrives. Fighting, as a last resort, includes using improvised



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Southaven Police Chief Macon Moore welcomed attendees and spoke on the gravity of an active shooting situation. He cited the 2019 Walmart shooting in Southaven as a point of reference. He also said that his department can travel to employers in order to give a presentation on active shooters.

weapons, yelling aggressively, ambushing the shooter and attempting to incapacitate the shooter.

“Seeing this information presented and knowing this could happen anywhere, this training was needed,” said Brittanee Young, with Rejuvenate HR. “Active shooters are always aware of their surroundings and looking for that opportunity. As HR professionals and as business leaders, our job is to make sure they don’t have that opportunity.”

Young, whose business is based in Memphis, said she agrees in having a plan of action should the situation occur.

Selena Magness, said because she works in a banking environment and at a financial institution, she wanted to learn more about the topic.

“I want to keep up to date with the current information as far as active shooters because I have a concern working in a financial institution, that could be a possibility,” Magness said. “I would hope that it would not occur but it could and you want to be prepared. My co-worker Debbie Woods and I will take this infor-

mation back with us and share with our folks across the county.”

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DESOTO COUNTY BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

TO PARTIES OF INTEREST AND CITIZENS OF DESOTO COUNTY THE DESOTO COUNTY BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON MONDAY MARCH 14, 2022 at 7pm FOR THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

NEW BUSINESS Variance

- Application by Jennifer Hill (VAR-001695-2022) for a variance to allow an accessory building in the designated front yard with a front setback of less than 50 feet in accordance with the DeSoto County Zoning Ordinance. Subject property is located at 4844 Fox Bend Drive on the east side of Fox Bend Drive and west of Fox Glen Drive Parcel #3067260100001800 Section 26 Township 3 Range 6 and is zoned A (District 5)
 - Application by Lynn Starkey (VAR-001697-2022) for a variance to allow an accessory building in the designated front yard of a double frontage lot and a front setback less than 40 feet in accordance with the DeSoto County Zoning Ordinance. Subject property is located at 10481 Spring River Cove on the north side of Green River Road and west of American River Drive Parcel #2099320300007200 Section 32 Township 2 Range 9 and is zoned A-R Overlay (District 3)
 - Application by Kerri Horne (VAR-001699-2022) for a variance to allow an accessory building in the designated side yard in accordance with the DeSoto County Zoning Ordinance. Subject property is located at 7615 Byhalia Rd on the south side of Byhalia Rd and east of Craft Rd Parcel #3063050000000500 Section 5 Township 3 Range 6 and is zoned A-R (District 5)
 - Application by James Ford (VAR-001700-2022) for a variance to allow an accessory building larger than 100% of the square footage of the primary structure in accordance with the DeSoto County Zoning Ordinance. Subject property is located at 4785 Belmont Rd on the west side of Belmont Rd and north of Savage Rd Parcel #3079300000004700 Section 30 Township 3 Range 7 and is zoned A (District 1)
 - Application by Goldie Scott/James Wright (VAR-001701-2021) for a variance to allow a mobile home more than 10 years old with side setbacks of less than 100 ft. in accordance with the DeSoto County Zoning Ordinance. Subject property is located at 2109 Wright Road on East Side of Wright Road and north of Red Banks Road North Parcel #2054200200000600 Section 20 Township 2 Range 5 and is zoned A (District 1)
- ### Conditional Use
- Application by Daphne Tennial (CU001610-2022) for a conditional use for a mobile home on less than 3 acres in accordance with the DeSoto County Zoning Ordinance. Subject property is located at 2306 Red Banks Rd N on south side of Red Banks Road and west of Hwy 78 Parcel #2054200000001701 Section 20 Township 2 Range 5 and is zoned A (District 1)
 - Application by Laura Smith (CU001611-2022) for a conditional use for an expansion of a conditional use for a dog kennel in accordance with the DeSoto County Zoning Ordinance. Subject property is located at 5018 Fogg Road on east side of Fogg Road and south of Davis Ln Parcel #3089310000000303 Section 31 Township 3 Range 5 and is zoned 8 (District 5)

Other

Appeal of building officials decision – April Ford

Said hearing will be held on Monday March 14 th , 2022 at 7:00 p.m., in the 3 rd Floor Board Room of the DeSoto County Administrative Building, 365 Loshier Street, Hernando, Mississippi. Information regarding these cases may be obtained by contacting the DeSoto County Planning Commission, 365 Loshier Street, Suite 200, Hernando, Mississippi.

All interested parties are invited to attend.
UNDER MY SIGNATURE, THIS 24 th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2022

MISTY HEFFNER
DESOTO COUNTY CHANCERY CLERK

ORDER AMENDING BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

General Fund	PRIOR BUDGET	AMENDMENT	NEW BUDGET
Revenue			
Admin Bonds Held	-	40,000.00	40,000.00
Expense			
Culture & Rec Personnel Services	535,418.00	850.00	536,268.00
Culture & Rec Supplies	145,465.00	(850.00)	144,615.00
Culture & Rec Other Services & Charges	408,185.00	8,000.00	416,185.00
Culture & Rec Capital Outlay	53,000.00	(8,000.00)	45,000.00
Fire Supplies	184,100.00	30,804.61	214,904.61
Dispatch Other Services and Charges	18,100.00	(3,100.00)	15,000.00
Dispatch Capital Outlay	9,000.00	3,100.00	12,100.00
MS Infrastructure Modernization Act	300,000.00	(10,500.00)	289,500.00
Street Other Serv. & Chg.	365,700.00	36,100.00	401,800.00
Street Capital Outlay	900,000.00	10,500.00	910,500.00
Contingency	694,110.21	(106,904.61)	587,205.60
Utility Fund			
Water Other Services & Chg	789,600.00	49,500.00	839,100.00
Sewer Personnel Service	347,865.56	(49,500.00)	298,365.56

Explanation:

General Fund – Amendments needed due to under budgeted expenses for HVAC Repairs, unexpected insurance increases, maintenance bond reimbursement, and rebate check received late.

Utility Fund – Amendments needed due to outsourcing locates, unbudgeted tunnel and lights project, and striping.

The foregoing budget amendments shall be published one (1) time as required by law in the DeSoto Times Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation in said city, fully qualified under the provisions of MS Code § 21-35-25, if amendment meets the requirements to be published. The governing authorities of the City of Hernando, Mississippi, adopted said amendment at their regular meeting on February 15, 2022 by the following vote:

Those voting “Aye”: Alderman Harris, Alderwoman Lynch, Alderman Miller, Alderman Robinson, Alderman Wicker, Alderwoman Ross, Alderman Piper.

/s/ Pam Pyle, City Clerk

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have see an exponential amount of new players in our area. It has been fun to see the growth.”

Coleman said he hopes to see the sport continue to expand in Horn Lake. The city plans to make more upgrades and would like to one day host a Professional Disc Golf Association

event at Latimer Lake Park. The PDGA hosts more than 3,500 tournaments annually and has more than 80,000 competitive players from all around the world.

“I want to see the growth continue here and to get the professionals to come here,” Coleman said. “We are going to continue to make more renovations to make it even better and more difficult so they will keep coming back.”

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