The Town of Obion Mayor and Board of Councilmembers met in special session Monday, April 24, 2017 at 5 p.m. at the Obion City Hall. Those in attendance included: Mayor Rodney Underwood, Councilmembers Patsy Barker, Glen Parnell, Robert Anderson, and Terry Ledbetter. Absent were Councilmembers Gracie Ashley and Amy Wherry.

Bids were opened for the air conditioning unit at city hall. Bids were:

Johnson H&A **Trane $4946.00 or Ameristar $4621.00**

Ledbetter H&A **Ruud $4400.00**

Mark Parnell **Goodman $4565.95**

Patsy Barker moved to accept the bid from Mark Parnell for $4565.95 for the Goodman unit due to Mr. Parnell providing a 10 year warranty on the compressor, whereas the other units had a 5 year warranty on the compressor. Motion seconded by Robert Anderson. Roll call:

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| Patsy Barker | AYE |
| Glen Parnell | PASS |
| Robert Anderson | AYE |
| Terry Ledbetter | PASS |
| Gracie Ashley | ABSENT |
| Amy Wherry | ABSENT |
| Rodney Underwood | AYE |

Motion failed for lack of a quorum. Mayor Underwood requested that approval of these bids be put on the agenda for the next meeting, with no further bids to be accepted.

The Mayor and Councilmembers discussed utility rates and the information that had been presented to the council during March’s meeting. After much discussion, it was concluded that the Mayor and Council will hold a public hearing to inform the public of the reason for such a rate change and give the opportunity for input. Mayor Underwood will request that Mr. John Greer of the Water and Wastewater Finance Office attend the public hearing as well. The date for the public hearing will be set after Mayor Underwood talks with Mr. Greer.

Terry Ledbetter moved to adjourn; seconded by Robert Anderson. Roll call:

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| Patsy Barker | AYE |
| Glen Parnell | AYE |
| Robert Anderson | AYE |
| Terry Ledbetter | AYE |
| Gracie Ashley | ABSENT |
| Amy Wherry | ABSENT |
| Rodney Underwood | AYE |

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