ASHLAND CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL CALLED MEETING JULY 17, 2025

The Ashland City Council met for a Special Called Meeting on Thursday, July 17, at 1:00 P.M. in the Ashland City Hall Auditorium to discuss Mayor Fetner's absence at the next regular meeting and the local cash match for a CDBG grant in the Industrial Park. Members present were Larry J. Fetner, Dianne Ballard, Bobbie J. Steed, Annette Gaither, and Tommy Cantrell. Also present were City Clerk/Administrator Chelsey Wynn, Chance Jones with the Clay County Economic Development Commission, and Ray Stansell with the Clay Times Journal.

City Clerk/Administrator Wynn called roll and deemed a quorum present.

Mayor Fetner called the meeting to order and gave the invocation.

Council Member Ballard made a motion to approve the agenda. Council Member Cantrell seconded the motion, and all votes were unanimous.

Informational:

1. Mayor Fetner absence at meeting- Mayor Fetner advised that he would be absent at the next regular meeting on 7/21/2025.

New Business:

1. Local Match for CDBG Project (\$51,790.77)- Mayor Fetner and City Clerk/Administrator Chelsey Wynn explained that the reason there would be a local cash match was because the expected in-kind match was much lower than predicted. Clerk Wynn also explained that the paving portion was pulled out of the CDBG grant and added to the ATRP2 grant due to funds leftover after ATRP2 project completion.

Council Member Gaither made a motion to approve the local cash match in the amount of \$51,790.77 for the CDBG project at the industrial park. Council Member Ballard seconded the motion, and all votes were unanimous.

There being no further business Council Member (g no further business Council Member Cantrell made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Council
Member Gaither seconded the motion, and all votes were unanimous.	
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