

Regular Session Minutes of the Council of the City of Dora, Alabama

February 11, 2014

The Council of the City of Dora, Alabama met in the Dora Municipal Building at 6:00 p.m. We were led in prayer by Pastor Gene Smith. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Randy Stephens.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Randy Stephens. Roll call was taken by Marcy Brown. Present at the meeting were Robert Busby, Richard Lovelady, Clyde Nix, George Sides, Jr., Gary Thomas, and Hezikiah Walker. Absent was Betty Sanders. A quorum was in attendance.

The minutes of the February 4, 2014 Regular Meeting was reviewed. A motion was made by Clyde Nix to accept the minutes as written. The motion was seconded by Gary Thomas. All in favor and motion carried.

Item # 7 – Departmental Reports – A motion was made by Robert Busby to approve all of the departmental reports. The motion was seconded by Gary Thomas.

Roll Call vote: Robert Busby – Yes; Richard Lovelady – Yes; Clyde Nix – Yes; George Sides, Jr.- Yes; Betty Sanders –Absent; Gary Thomas – Yes; Hezikiah Walker – Yes; and Randy Stephens, Yes. The motion was passed.

Item # 8 – Bill List – A motion was made by Gary Thomas to approve the bill list for 02/10/2014. The motion was seconded by Clyde Nix.

Roll Call vote: Robert Busby – Yes; Richard Lovelady – Yes; Clyde Nix – Yes; George Sides, Jr.- Yes; Betty Sanders –Absent; Gary Thomas – Yes; Hezikiah Walker – Yes; and Randy Stephens, Yes. The motion was passed.

Item # 9 – Pastor Randy Beck Proclamation. Richard Lovelady made a motion to adopt the resolution honoring Pastor Randy Beck. The motion was seconded by Gary Thomas. All in favor . The motion passed.

Item # 10 – City Hall Roof – Mayor Randy Stephens mentioned to the council that it appears that the city hall has some roof damage from hail. We are waiting on two more estimates before we can actually make any decisions.

Item # 11 – Police Department Requests - George Sides made a motion to approve the purchase of two (2) police cameras for the officers to wear while on patrol. Robert Busby. seconded the motion. All in favor and the motion passed.

Item # 12 – Insurance Renewal – Richard Lovelady made a motion to renew the city insurance with Byars and Associates, committing for 3 years for the discount. The motion was seconded by Clyde Nix.

Roll Call vote: Robert Busby – Yes; Richard Lovelady – Yes; Clyde Nix – Yes; George Sides, Jr.- Yes; Betty Sanders –Absent; Gary Thomas – Yes; Hezikiah Walker – Yes; and Randy Stephens, Yes. The motion was passed.

Item # 13 – New Firemen Approval - Gary Thomas made a motion to approve Holly Edwards as the newest member of the Dora Fire Department. Robert Busby seconded the motion.

Roll Call vote: Robert Busby – Yes; Richard Lovelady – Yes; Clyde Nix – Yes; George Sides, Jr.- No; Betty Sanders – Absent, Gary Thomas – Yes; Hezikiah Walker – No; and Randy Stephens, -Yes The motion was passed 5 Yes, 2 No,

Let the record reflect that Hezikiah Walker and George Sides voted no due to possible policy conflict.

Item # 14 – Fire Department Policy and Procedures – After a lengthy discussion led by Hezekiah Walker on the fire department policy and procedure handbook, the mayor and council decided to not make any changes.

Richard Lovelady made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Gary Thomas seconded the motion. All in favor and the meeting was adjourned.

Randy Stephens
Mayor

Marcy Brown
City Clerk