

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

May 10, 2016

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 Gay Thomas. 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, Gary Thomas and Hezekiah Walker. Betty Sanders and George Sides, Jr. were absent, A quorum was in attendance. George Sides, Jr. arrived at 6:15 p.m.

The minutes of the April 26, 2016 regular meeting were reviewed. A motion was made by Robert Busby to accept the minutes as written. The motion was seconded by Clyde Nix. All in favor and motion carried.

Old Business

Mayor Stephens gave an update on the golf clubhouse and informed the council that Mr. Gardner needed an interior decorator to decorate or that he would just pick out the color and décor. Gary Thomas made a motion to hire an interior decorator at the recommendation of the architect at a cost of \$2500. Clyde Nix seconded the motion.

Roll Call vote: Robert Busby –Yes; Richard Lovelady –Yes; Clyde Nix – Yes; Betty Sanders –Absent; George Sides, Jr. - Absent, Gary Thomas – Yes; Hezikiah Walker – Yes; and Randy Stephens, Yes. The motion passed. 6 –Yes

Richard Lovelady made a motion to ask Grant writer Kelley Taft to pursue the ADECA grant for sewer upgrades. Gary Thomas seconded the motion.

Roll Call vote: Robert Busby –Yes; Richard Lovelady –Yes; Clyde Nix – Yes; Betty Sanders –Absent; George Sides, Jr. - Absent, Gary Thomas – Yes; Hezikiah Walker – Yes; and Randy Stephens, Yes. The motion passed. 6 –Yes

Item #7— Bill List - A motion was made by Gary Thomas to approve the bill list for 5/10/2016. The motion was seconded by Robert Busby. All in favor and the motion passed.

Item #8 – Departmental Reports – A motion was made by Clyde Nix to approve all departmental reports as presented. Gary Thomas seconded the motion. All in favor and the motion carried.

Item #9 – Fire Department Requests – Robert Busby made the motion to approve the purchase of a 1995 Firetruck from the Curry Volunteer Fire Department for \$20000 with the General Fund and Fire Fund splitting the cost.. Richard Lovelady seconded the motion.

Roll Call vote: Robert Busby –Yes; Richard Lovelady –Yes; Clyde Nix – Yes; Betty Sanders –Absent; George Sides, Jr. - Yes, Gary Thomas – Yes; Hezikiah Walker – Yes; and Randy Stephens, Yes. The motion passed. 7 –Yes

Item #10 – Park Director Requests – Clyde Nix made a motion to table the Park Director discussion until more information is gathered. Gary Thomas seconded the motion. All in favor and the motion was carried.

Item #11 –Golf Course Equipment Payoff – Richard Lovelady made a motion to pay off the golf course equipment loan with a balance of approximately \$40,890. Gary Thomas seconded the motion.

Roll Call vote: Robert Busby –No; Richard Lovelady –Yes; Clyde Nix – Yes; Betty Sanders –Absent: George Sides, Jr. - Yes, Gary Thomas – Yes; Hezekiah Walker – Yes; and Randy Stephens, Yes. The motion passed. 6 –Yes and 1 - No

Robert Busby 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