Minutes, April 16, 2024

The City Council met in the board room at city hall on April 16, 2024 at 7 p.m.; attending were City Clerk Raven Oglesby, Officer Dimarious Wilson, guest Bob Johnson, guest Joe West and guest David Bonner.

Call to Order – Mayor Davis called meeting to order.

Invocation – Councilmember Richardson lead us in prayer.

Roll Call – City Clerk Oglesby called roll: Mayor Davis, present; District 1 Councilmember Taggart, absent; District 2 Councilmember Hagan, present; District 3 Councilmember Richardson, present; District 4 Councilmember Wheat, present; District 5 Councilmember Giles, present.

Minutes of March 19, 2024 were approved with a motion by Councilmember Giles; a second by Councilmember Richardson and motion passed with all ayes.

Payables –City Clerk Oglesby presented payables in the amount of \$211,821.95 for March 20, 2024 thru April 16, 2024. Councilmember Richardson made motion to approve the payables; a second from Councilmember Giles and motion passed with all ayes.

Old Business:

Zoning Board – Mayor Davis asked for recommendations for the Zoning Board. Councilmember Richardson said he was going to talk with his wife and Brenda, Councilmember Giles and Hagan didn't have anyone in mind, Councilmember Wheat recommended Alan Taylor and/or Judy Graham.

Street Name Change Process per 911 – Mayor Davis advised that she spoke with someone from 911 and asked what the steps were to getting a street name changed and she was advised that you would have to get everyone that lived on the street to sign a petition. Councilmember Richardson said he would take care of it.

New Business:

Alabama Ethics Reminder – Mayor Davis reminded everyone that the Alabama Ethics survey/form was due by April 30th. **Delta Thrive Grant** – Mayor Davis announced that Mrs. Pamela Trammel will be at the council meeting on May 21st to go over a training seminar so we would be able to qualify for a grant, Mrs. Trammel asked that we come at 5:30pm to complete the training.

Public Comments – Guest Bob Johnson advised that he was going to host a thank you commemoration for Ken Perrigen for donating carpet to the library on May 21st from 3:00pm to 6:00pm. Guest Bob Johnson also requested that he get another planter to put in front of the library to match the pot he already had, Councilmember Wheat stated that those planters were to heavy to be moved and Mayor Davis stated that he use the additional money they receive to purchase some new planters. Guest Bob Johnson also stated that 14 tiles and insulation be replaced in the library and that we hire a contractor to do the job.

Reports and Request – Mayor Davis updated the start of the lights on main were postponed due to the owner's father n law passing away. Mayor Davis updated that they made it to 450 ft and having to go 750 ft on the drilling of the new well. Mayor Davis advised that we will be going in ½ with Commissioner Nancy Ray to purchase some stuff to fix the pot holes in town. Councilmember Richardson stated house near Catholic Church needs to be cleaned up. Mayor Davis was going to look into you may own the property.

Adjournment – Mayor Davis advised the meeting was adjourned until May 21, 2024.

Respectively Submitted, Raven Oglesby, City Clerk