May 3, 2021

CITY HALL

6:00 P.M.

Mayor Jimmy Money called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. with the following Council members present: Dexter Glanton, Brendt Murphy, Eddie Jones, Vincent Feggins and Jimmy Davis, Jr. Also in attendance was Melissa Wilson, City Clerk and Spence Danzey.

Brendt Murphy gave the prayer and led the pledge of allegiance.

Visitors –

Upon motion by Jimmy Davis and second by Dexter Glanton, the Council voted to unanimously approve a request by Kathryn Whigham to secure help from the Police department with traffic on Marianna Drive on May 4, 2021.

Department Head Reports:

Jenna Robison asked the Council for confirmation that she has been replaced as the Recreation Director by J.P. Champion. Upon motion by Dexter Glanton and second by Eddie Jones, the Council voted to unanimously approve the replacement. J.P. Champion will serve as Interim Director until October, 2021.

Jerry Green reported work continues with curb cleaning and grass cutting. Discussion was held regarding debris in the roadway after they were cleaned. The Council asked Mr. Green to report any debris on the roadway left by contractors to the Police department.

Eric Blankenship gave an update on discussions with ALDOT regarding no tractor trailer truck signs. Eric reported that Yatta Abba day was a success.

Approval of Minutes -

Upon motion by Dexter Glanton and second by Vincent Feggins, the Council voted unanimously to approve the April 19, 2021 minutes.

Approval of Paid Bills –

Upon motion by Dexter Glanton and second by Brendt Murphy, the Council voted unanimously to approve the April 2021 paid bills.

Animal Control Officer –

Mike Miller will serve as a contract employee for animal control. He will be paid $10 per hour with a minimum of 2 hours per call out. He will use the City’s kennels and the City will purchase food for the animals. Upon a motion by Brendt Murphy and second by Vincent Feggins, the Council voted to unanimously approve the hiring of Mike Miller as the animal control officer.

City Hall Door Security –

This item was tabled with not action taken.

Water Problem at the Faison House –

Discussion was held concerning the water runoff creating erosion issues on the Faison property. The Council agreed for the City to try and alleviate some of the water by adding speed bumps at the runoff site.

Weather Sirens –

Upon motion by Dexter Glanton and second by Vincent Feggins, the Council unanimously approved Mobile Communications America to check the sirens. The cost will be $2070.00.

Upon motion by Jimmy Davis and second by Brendt Murphy the Council unanimously approved to go into Executive Session at 7:39 p.m.

Upon motion by Vincent Feggins and second by Brendt Murphy the Council unanimously approved to adjourn from Executive Session at 8:30 p.m. No action was taken.

Upon motion by Vincent Feggins and second by Dexter Glanton, the Council unanimously voted to adjourn at 8:35 p.m.

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