October 27, 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, Eddie Jones, Jimmy Davis, Vincent Feggins and Brendt Murphy. Also in attendance was Melissa Wilson, City Clerk and Spence Danzey.

Dexter Glanton gave the prayer and led the pledge of allegiance.

Approval of Minutes -

Upon motion by Dexter Glanton and second by Vincent Feggins, the Council voted unanimously to approve the October 4, 2021 minutes.

Hospice Proclamation –

Rick Harrelson presented a Proclamation for Hospice and Palliative Care Month.

Christmas Holidays –

Upon a motion by Vincent Feggins and second by Brendt Murphy, the Council voted unanimously to approve Christmas holidays for the City for Thursday, December 23 and Friday, December 24. New Year’s holiday will be observed on December 31.

Department Head Reports –

Jerry Green reported the Abbeville East Cemetery has been cleaned and landscaping has been pruned. Mr. Green submitted two quotes for flume repairs on Jefferson Drive and Money Drive. No decision was made on the repairs.

Keith Barnes reported we have 24 kids playing flag football and 13 enrolled in karate. Mr. Barnes told the Council he has a commitment of $600 from citizens to purchase a field clock. Basketball season starts next week.

Eric Blankenship stated he was in the process of hiring another police officer. He also stated that he wanted to advise the Council that he will be volunteering for the local task force.

Mike Miller presented a list of fees to be charged for animal control. Upon a motion by Jimmy Davis and a second by Vincent Feggins, the Council unanimously voted to approve the fees. Upon a motion by Jimmy Davis and a second by Vincent Feggins, the Council voted unanimously to approve the purchase of a cat trap.

Visitors –

Xavier Grace presented to the Council that his neighborhood was not happy with the recently installed speed bumps and would like them removed. The Council advised Mr. Grace that the speed bumps were the only way to cut down on speeding in the neighborhood.

Dorothy Baker discussed cameras being installed in the Girard community.

Capital Improvement Fund –

Melissa Wilson requested permission to use the City Capital Improvement Fund to make improvements to City Hall. Upon a motion by Jimmy Davis and a second by Dexter Glanton, the Council voted unanimously to approve the funds to be used for improvements.

Upon a motion by Vincent Feggins and a second by Jimmy Davis, the Council voted unanimously to add a change of liaison duties to the Agenda. Upon a motion by Vincent Feggins and a second by Jimmy Davis, the Council voted unanimously to change Dexter Glanton from Court to Recreation and Jimmy Davis from Recreation to Court.

Upon a motion by Jimmy Davis and second by Brendt Murphy, the Council unanimously voted to adjourn at 7:06 p.m.

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