

City Council Meeting
Minutes January 08, 2024
@ 5:00 PM

Present: Mayor Roger Weatherwax
Brent White
Denise Lovett
Cassandra Lee

Absent: Jason White & Joyce Jeffreys

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Weatherwax followed by pledge and prayer. Council was asked to approve and dispense the reading of the minutes from November 20, 2023 and December 4, 2023

Motion: Denise Lovett
2nd: Brent White

Resolution 2024-001 Authorizing Officials to Establish and Execute Financial Documents for a bank account to be opened for the sole purpose of business license and building permit credit card payments to be deposited.

Motion: Brent White
2nd: Denise Lovett

Mayor Weatherwax ask Councilwoman Cassandra Lee if she had anything on the Building Department monthly reporting that she had ask about having on the agenda. Ms. Lee stated that she had come by City Hall and met with Jason Newton the new building inspector/code enforcer. The meeting was a very good meeting and he was already working on some of the concerns she had from items the previous inspector, who had passed away, had begun.

Deangelo McDaniel had submitted two estimates for approval to Council for painting and repairs to be made to the existing pavilions and press boxes throughout the park system. The City Council had appropriated \$50,000.00 in the 2023-2024 Budget for these types of upgrades.

The two estimates were: 1) Guzman Painting \$19,150.00
2) Home Solutions \$14,400.00

It was the recommendation of the Park Staff to allow Home Solutions to do this work. Cassandra Lee ask if this would include the McKelvey Park as well and Mayor Weatherwax answered yes that McKelvey Park would be included in the painting and repairs.

Motion for Home Solutions to do work: Denise Lovett
2nd: Brent White

Chief Craig Knight had two requests for training:

- 1) 4-night stay for Chief Knight at the Renaissance Hotel in Montgomery for the Winter Alabama Chief's Conference February 18-22, 2024 at a cost of approximately \$910.60.

Motion: Brent White

2nd: Cassandra Lee

- 2) 2-night stay at the Hampton Inn at Auburn for Captain Russell Graham for Social Media Investigation Training at a cost of approximately \$362.41. Cassandra Lee stated she was glad to hear about this training and hopefully he could bring back to the other officers what he learns.

Motion: Denise Lovett

2nd: Cassandra Lee

With no other business the Mayor ask for motion to adjourn:

Motion: Denise Lovett

2nd: Brent White

Roger Weatherwax, Mayor

Deroma Pepper, City Clerk

Brent White, Council Member

Cassandra Lee, Council Member

Denise Lovett, Council Member