## City Council Meeting September 11, 2023 @ 5:00 PM

Present: Mayor Roger Weatherwax

Brent White Denise Lovett Cassandra Lee Joyce Jeffreys Jason White

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Weatherwax followed by pledge and prayer.

Council was ask to approve and dispense of the reading of the minutes from July 10, 2022 Council Meeting.

Motion: Jason White 2<sup>nd</sup>: Brent White

2 items that were approved over the phone by: Brent White, Jason White, and Denise Lovett for the Water Treatment Plant

1) Quote Of \$6,226.30 for Monitor for Chlorine from Halogen systems

2) Quote of \$5,417.31 for Raw Water Pump Motor from Jay Industrial Repair

Motion: Denise Lovett 2<sup>nd</sup>: Brent White

Myron Bohanon sent in request for permission to attend Deep South Turf Expo in Biloxi, Mississippi Oct 16-19, 2023

Motion: Jason White 2<sup>nd</sup>: Joyce Jeffreys

Approve to advertise for bids to Contract out for the 2023–2024 Year renewable annually up to 3 years the upkeep and maintenance of the lawn care of the City of Moulton Cemetery also known as Moulton Memory Gardens.

After some brief discussion in which Ms. Lee expressed that she thought that this was just being done due to the Mayor's feelings towards an employee of the Cemetery. Mayor Weatherwax stated that it was not being done due to anything other than because of the complaints from citizens about the condition of the cemetery. Ms. Lee stated she was not for hiring contractors to do the cemetery.

Motion: Denise Lovett to advertise only for bids for the contract

2<sup>nd</sup>: Jason White Nay: Cassandra Lee

The next item on the agenda was to move the 2 cemetery employees but this item was tabled until the advertisement is done and then only if the Council decides to do a contract will the employees be possibly moved – it will be up for discussion at that time.

A public hearing was opened for the purpose of hearing from the public in favor or against the VIDHT, LLC doing business as Raceway #6989 located at 11550 AL Hwy 157, Moulton, AL 35650 for its request to obtain a Retail Off Premise Beer and Wine License.

Motion to approve Resolution 2023-008 for VIDHT, LLC doing business as Raceway #6989 to have a Retail Off Premise Beer and Wine License: Brent White 2<sup>nd</sup>: Denise Lovett

Mayor Weatherwax ask if the Council had any suggestions for a raise if so the amount or if not a raise then the Budget needed to be approved without a raise. Jason White made a motion for a 4% raise for all employees.

Motion for 4% raise was 2<sup>nd</sup> by: Brent White All Council members gave in all ayes.

Budget for 2023-2024 was approved including a 4% raise to be included for all employees.

Motion: Jason White 2<sup>nd</sup>: Denise Lovett

Motion to adjourn: Denise Lovett 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Brent White	
Roger Weatherwax, Mayor	Deroma Pepper, City Clerk
Brent White, Council Member	Jason White, Council Member
Joyce Jeffreys, Council Member	Cassandra Lee, Council Member
Denise Lovett, Council Member	