

Organizational Meeting of
City Council
November 3, 2025
@ 5:00 PM

Present: Jason White Council person
Cassandra Lee Council person

Mayor elect: Ryan Jolly

Council elect: Danny Morris

Tate Gilley

Chris Proctor

Meeting was called to order by Councilman Jason White, who led pledge & prayer. The continuing proceedings were turned over to Judge Greg Dutton to administer the oaths of office. All newly elected Officers were instructed on the way things will be conducted.

Judge Dutton ask Ryan Jolly – Mayor elect to come forward along with family or others for his swearing in. The oath of office was administered to Mayor Ryan Jolly.

Following the Mayor being sworn in all Elected Officials were ask to come forward to the front of the room to the Council/Mayor podium. Judge Dutton placed two Bibles on the counter and ask that everyone place their left hand on one of the bibles as the Oath of office is administered each one was ask to repeat their name one at a time starting with Danny Morris – District 1, Jason White – District 2, Tate Gilley – District 3, Cassandra Lee – District 4 and Chris Proctor – District 5. Each continued to repeat in unison the Oath of Office. Once the Oaths were completed the Newly Elected Mayor and Council took their respective seats on the Mayor/Council podium.

First business order for the new officials was to elect Mayor Pro Tem. Mayor Jolly ask for any discussion or recommendations from the members. Councilman Chris Proctor recommended Jason White after there being no discussion or other recommendations motion was made and seconded by Councilman Tate Gilley.

Motion: Chirs Proctor for Jason White

2nd: Tate Gilley

Mayor Jolly stated that the City Council will continue to follow Ordinance 2021-004A which amended Ordinance 2016-005 Establishing Rules and Procedures of the Council which therein contained that the Regular Council Meetings will be held on the first and third Mondays each month at 5:00 PM in City Hall Council Chambers and Work Sessions would be on an as need basis.

Motion: Jason White

2nd: Cassandra Lee

With all others agreeing with all ayes and no nays were heard on this matter.

Ordinance 2025-004 requires Mayor Ryan Jolly to act as full-time Superintendent of the City of Moulton Utility Systems and as such will receive an additional salary of \$3,800.00 per mth out of the utility systems receipts and pay will continue unless the City Council at any regular/special meeting decides to discontinue said services by Mayor as Superintendent and in the event of being discontinued all compensation authorize to pay hereof shall lapse.

Motion to move for immediate action on Ordinance 2025-004: Cassandra Lee

2nd for immediate action: Jason White

Roll Call Vote: All ayes from Council no nays were given in.

Motion to approve Ordinance 2025-004 naming Mayor Ryan Jolly as Superintendent of the City of Moulton Utility System: Cassandra Lee

2nd: Chris Proctor

Discussion/Recommendations for City Attorney – current Jerome Thompson:

Motion to Appoint Jerome Thompson as City Attorney by Resolution 2025-023:

Jason White

2nd: Cassandra Lee

Discussion/Recommendations for City Judge – current Mike Terry:

Motion to Appoint Mike Terry as City Judge by Resolution 2025-024: Tate Gilley

2nd: Jason White

Discussion/Recommendations for City Clerk – current Deroma Pepper:

Motion to Appoint Deroma Pepper as City Clerk by Resolution 2025-025: Jason White

2nd: Danny Morris

Resolution 2025-026 designates Mayor Patrick Ryan Jolly, City Clerk Deroma Pepper and Mayor Pro-Tem Jason White as signers on accounts which will require 2 signatures.

Motion: Chris Proctor

2nd: Danny Morris

Discussion/Recommendations for Police Chief current Craig Knight:

Motion to Appoint Craig Knight as Police Chief by Resolution 2025-027: Cassandra Lee

2nd: Chris Proctor

Discussion/Recommendations for Fire Chief current Brian Phillips:

Motion to Appoint Brian Phillips as Fire Chief by Resolution 2025-028: Jason White

2nd: Tate Gilley

(All appointments stayed the same as previous year with all Council in agreement and no additional discussion or recommendations on any.)

Motion to Adjourn Organizational Meeting: Chris Proctor

2nd: Danny Morris

Council Meeting
11/03/2025
Immediately Following Organizational Meeting

Mayor Ryan Jolly called meeting to order for the Regular Council Meeting.

Council were ask to approve and dispense of the reading of the Minutes from September 30, 2025, and October 6, 2025, Work Session and Council Meetings.

Motion: Jason White

2nd: Cassandra Lee

Chris Proctor made the -- Motion to suspend the rules to approve Ordinance 2025-001 Rezoning Property @ 150 Morgan St., Ordinance 2025-002 Rezoning Property @ 2846 Moulton-Danville, Ordinance 2025-003 Rezoning Property @ 13524 Court St.

2nd to suspend the rules: Cassandra Lee

Roll Call Vote: All Council Members voted aye with no nays being heard.

Motion to approve Ordinances 2025-001, 2025-002 & 2025-003: Chris Proctor

2nd: Jason White

All Members voted aye and no nays were heard.

Stanley Nichols – Water Treatment Plant Supervisor had an invoice in the amount of \$16,375.00 for repairs that were necessary to the clearwell wall which had to be done while it was empty. \$6,000.00 has already been paid of that amount to LDE Construction and the remainder was awaiting approval. This will be paid out of the lawsuit money.

Motion to pay remaining amount of invoice from LDE Construction: Cassandra Lee

2nd: Danny Morris

Mayor Jolly needed to ask that the rules be suspended, and agenda changed due to Ms. Cassandra Lee asking permission to attend training in Huntsville from the League of Municipalities for Mayors/Council.

Motion to Suspend the Rules: Chris Proctor

2nd: Tate Gilley

Roll Call: Danny Morris (aye), Jason White (aye), Mayor Jolly(aye), Tate Gilley(aye), Cassandra Lee(aye), and Chris Proctor(aye).

Motion for Cassandra Lee to attend training in Huntsville Nov 5 & 6: Tate Gilley

2nd: Chris Proctor

Motion to Adjourn: Danny Morris

2nd: Jason White

Ryan Jolly, Mayor

Deroma Pepper, City Clerk

Danny Morris, Council Member

Jason White, Council Member

Tate Gilley, Council Member

Cassandra Lee, Council Member

Chris Proctor, Council Member