

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

February 19, 2018

The Town Council met February 19, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. in the Thorsby Municipal Annex Building.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Council Members: Mayor Hight
Glenn Littleton
Marvin Crumpton
Marilyn Collins
Chasity Chapman

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Neil Benson

Mayor Hight called the meeting to order at 6:00p.m. Council Member Crumpton gave the invocation.

Mayor Hight asked for approval of the Council Minutes from February 5, 2018.

Council Member Littleton moved to approve the Council Minutes from February 5, 2018 as presented. Council Member Crumpton seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Collins, Chapman, Littleton and Crumpton.

New Business

Mayor Hight recognized Clark Hankins with Alabama Power with Street Light Division.

Mr. Clark Hankins gave the Council a copy of the purposed LED streetlight upgrade project summary for the Town's street lights.

Mr. Clark Hankins discussed the different lights, prices and that the Town would save around \$22.44 a month.

Mayor Hight stated they would get back with Mr. Hankins on the Street light upgrade.

Mayor Hight recognized Jeannie Smith with the American Cancer Society.

Ms. Jeannie Smith went over with the Council about the Chilton County American Cancer Society Relay for Life. Ms. Smith they were asking the Town to join them by sponsoring the Relay for Life for 2018 in the amount of \$1250.00. She explained all what the sponsorship would cover.

Mayor Hight asked when the dead line for sponsorships was. Ms. Smith stated she would need to know by March 9th.

Department Heads

Mayor Hight stated Chief Barnett had something come up so he could not attend.

Fire Chief Gunn reported on the FEMA grant for turnout gear, if received they would get around \$40,000.00 and it would be in 2019.

Fire Chief Gunn reported on structure fire Keem St, he reported the smoke detector did not go off.

Fire Chief Gunn stated they would apply for a grant for smoke alarms it would be about \$1400.00 if granted. If they did not receive the grant maybe they could be in the budget next year to purchase them.

Fire Chief Gunn also reported they would try and get a machine where they could make the 911 address plates for mail boxes.

Mayor Hight asked Chief Gunn if the Town has an ordinance requiring each residence to have 911 address plates on mail boxes. Chief Gunn stated they do not. Mayor Hight asked him to look in to that for the Town.

Fire Chief Gunn has a new guy that has completed the program for Volunteer, Wesley Farmer and would like to hire him as a Volunteer Fireman.

Council Member Littleton moved to hire Wesley Farmer as a Volunteer Fireman. Council Member Chapman seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Collins, Chapman, Littleton and Crumpton.

Fire Chief Gunn stated they would be giving Clay Bentley a plaque at the next Council Meeting for his service with Thorsby Fire department.

Terry Jackson reported he has a class for his hours on March 18th -21st in Mobile. He also reported Daniel has a class in Orange Beach May 30- June 1.

Terry Jackson reported on a missing garbage can that was found.

Mayor Hight reported on Helen Jenkins Chapels AC unit was in and working.

Council Member Crumpton asked about the Storm Shelter. Mayor Hight stated they have 180 days from the time the contract was signed.

Council Member Collins moved to approve the bills, transfer funds. Council Member Chapman seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow:
Yeas: Council Member Collins, Chapman, Littleton and Crumpton.

There being no further business to come before the council, Council Member Collins moved to adjourn. Council Member Chapman seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Littleton, Collins, Chapman and Crumpton.

Robert Hight Mayor

ATTEST:

Town Clerk