

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

August 5, 2019

The Town Council met August 5, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. in the Thorsby Municipal Annex Building.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

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

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Mayor Hight called the meeting to order at 6:00p.m. Terry Jackson gave the invocation.

Mayor Hight asked for approval of the Council Minutes from July 15, 2019.

Council Member Littleton moved to approve the Council Minutes from July 15, 2019 as presented. Council Member Crumpton seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Littleton, Chapman, Benson, Collins and Crumpton.

Council Member Collins moved to approve the Planning Commission Minutes from July 2, 2019 as presented. Council Member Chapman seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Littleton, Chapman, Benson, Collins and Crumpton.

New Business

Thorsby High School FFA

Mr. Lucas with the Thorsby High School FFA team asked the Council if they could help out on the expenses, they will have traveling in October, he stated it would cost them about \$15,000.00. He explained to the Council how much the kids have worked to get to this point.

Council Member Collins moved to approve \$1200.00 for the Thorsby Hight School FFA Team. Council Member Littleton seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Littleton, Chapman, Benson, Collins and Crumpton.

Public Hearing for property located at 754 Spearman Dr., Owner Christopher Smith to be rezoned from Residential Medium Density to Agricultural.

Council Member Crumpton moved to approve the rezoning of property located at 754 Spearman Dr., Owner Christopher Smith from Residential Medium Density to Agricultural. Council Member Littleton seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Littleton, Chapman, Benson, Collins and Crumpton.

Council Member Littleton moved to approve Ordinance Number 08-05-2019 rezoning 754 Spearman Dr., Owner Christopher Smith from Residential Medium Density to Agricultural. Council Member Crumpton seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Littleton, Chapman, Benson, Collins and Crumpton.

Department Heads

Fire Chief Parker reported to the Council he has 3 people he would like to add to the part time Vol-Fireman. Nick Turner, Blake Turner, and Jonah Byrd.

Council Member Benson moved to approve Nick Turner, Blake Turner, and Jonah Byrd as a part time Vol- Fireman. Council Member Chapman seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Littleton, Chapman, Benson, Collins and Crumpton.

Fire Chief Parker reported that he has been contacted about groups using the Movie Screen and equipment in the park. Chief Parker gave the Council a copy of the Plan of Action and asked them to review and add anything that need to be added.

Council Member Chapman moved to approve the Rental Agreement for the Movie Screen and Equipment. Council Member Littleton seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Littleton, Chapman, Benson, Collins and Crumpton.

Fire Chief Parker also reported that Will Johns would be starting recruit school in September. He explained they have money in the budget for training and would like to us some of it to help out on his travel and training.

Terry Jackson invited the Council and any employees that would like to attend an 811 class in Calera August 29th. He explained he has reserved 20 spaces.

Terry Jackson reported the Council will start chip sealing Peterson Ave. in the next few weeks. He also stated the walking trail has been completed in Richard Wood Park and that the Swedish Fest Com. paid for the new walking trail.

Terry Jackson stated the garbage truck is down, he said there is something wrong with the arm and they have contacted someone to come and repair it.

Terry Jackson reported that Chilton Water has sent a new Emergency Water Service Contract and the rates have went up.

Council Member Chapman moved to approve the Emergency Water Service Contract with Chilton Water. Council Member Littleton seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Littleton, Chapman, Benson, Collins and Crumpton.

Terry Jackson said the National Rural Water Conference would be in Nashville this year and he would like to attend. He stated Alabama Rural Water will pay all expenses, but Transportation.

Council Member Benson moved to approve Terry Jackson to attend the National Rural Water Conference in Nashville. Council Member Collins seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Littleton, Chapman, Benson, Collins and Crumpton.

Terry Jackson explained they have in the budget to purchase a lift for the shop. He has 2 prices one from Jemison auto parts for \$5,679.00 and O'Reilly's was \$5,900.00

Council Member Collins moved to approve Terry Jackson to purchase a lift for Shop. Council Member Chapman seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Littleton, Chapman, Benson, Collins and Crumpton.

Council Member Littleton moved to approve the transfer of funds, and bills for August 5, 2019. Council Member Crumpton seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes being as follow: Yeas: Council Member Littleton, Crumpton, Benson, Collins and Chapman.

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

Robert Hight Mayor

ATTEST:

Town Clerk