

## Meeting Minutes City of Midfield, Alabama City Council

The City Council of the City of Midfield, Alabama met in regular session on Thursday, November 8, 2007, at 7:30 pm with Mayor Gary Richardson presiding.

Council-member Velma Johnson gave the invocation.

Cedric M. Brown called roll. The following members were present: Janice Anderson, Reginald Wilson, Jimmie Robinson, Velma Johnson and Mayor Gary Richardson. Cedric M. Brown acted as clerk. A quorum being present the meeting was opened for the transaction of business.

**Approval of published minutes from last Council meeting:** Council-member Janice Anderson made the motion to approve the published minutes from the last regular Council meeting. The motion was seconded by Council-member Velma Johnson. All members present voted are passing the motion unanimously.

**Approval of payment of bills:** Council-member Velma Johnson made the motion to suspend the rules for immediate consideration of payment with unanimous consent. Council-member Janice Anderson seconded the motion. A roll call vote resulted in a unanimous vote. Council-member Velma Johnson made the motion to approve the payment of the November #1 bills totaling \$56,366.08. The motion was seconded by Council-member Reginald Wilson. A roll call vote resulted in a unanimous vote.

**Approval of Resolution No. 2007-56: Notice of Public Hearing** Council-member Velma Johnson made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2007-56. The motion was seconded by Council-member Janice Anderson. All members present voted aye passing the motion unanimously.

- a. 407 Highland Drive
- b. 1305 Creel Street
- c. 500 Violet Street
- d. 403 Newton Drive
- e. 309 Belcher Drive

**Approval of Cost of Weed Removal Report:** Council-member Reginald Wilson made a motion to approve the Cost of Weed Removal Report. The motion was seconded by Council-member Janice Anderson. All members present voted aye passing the motion unanimously.

- a. 930 16<sup>th</sup> Street \$127.78
- b. 1321 Woodward Road \$135.46
- c. 905 14<sup>th</sup> Street \$118.20
- d. 900 8th Street \$73.56
- e. 1517 Griffin Drive \$107.04
- f. 901 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue \$69.19
- g. 605 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue \$79.19
- h. 906 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue \$69.19
- i. 506 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue \$130.90
- j. 305 McPherson Avenue \$71.24
- k. 1373 Woodward Road \$95.99

Approval of Resolution No. 2007-57: Authorizing an appropriation in the amount of \$900.00 to the Midfield High School Band. Council-member Velma Johnson made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2007-57. The motion was seconded by Council-member Janice Anderson. All members present voted aye passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of New Business – Cellular Express located at 210-B B.Y. Williams Drive. Council-member Velma Johnson made a motion to approve the business license for Cellular Express. The motion was seconded by Council-member Janice Anderson. All members present voted ave passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Ownership Change – Triple S Food Stores, Inc. DBA Midfield Chevron located at 5300 Bessemer Super Highway. Council-member Velma Johnson made a motion to approve the ownership change of Triple S Food Stores, Inc. DBA Midfield Chevron. The motion was seconded by Council-member Reginald Wilson. All members present voted ave passing the motion unanimously.

Report from the Mayor: None

Report from the Council: None

Open Meeting to the Public: Lillian Clayton of the Stevens Community Development Corporation, a 501-C3 nonprofit corporation, located at 900 Woodward Road, spoke on their GED and reading programs. The classes are free; however, the students must pay for their books. They are having a fundraiser on November 17<sup>th</sup> @ 8:30 am. It is a prayer breakfast and volunteer appreciation program.

**Adjournment:** Council-member Velma Johnson made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Council-member Janice Anderson seconded the motion. All members present voted ave passing the motion unanimously.