



Meeting Minutes City of Midfield, Alabama City Council

The City Council of the City of Midfield, Alabama met in regular session on Monday, December 22, 2008, at 7:00 pm with Mayor Gary Richardson presiding.

Janice Anderson gave the invocation.

Tameeka Ephriam called roll. The following members were present: Council-member Jimmie Robinson, Council-member Velma Johnson, Council-member Reginald Wilson, and Council-member Terry Adams. Tameeka Ephriam 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 Terry Adams. All members present voted aye 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 unanimous consent. Council-member Janice Anderson made the motion to approve the payment of the December #2 bills totaling \$83,936.98. The motion was seconded by Council-member Terry Adams.

Approval of Cost Report: Council-member Velma Johnson made the motion to approve the cost report. The motion was seconded by Council-member Janice Anderson. All members present voted aye passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Resolution No. 2008-78: To initiate self-collecting and administering of city sales/use tax, rental lease and occupational taxes and to contract with RDS of Birmingham to perform those services. Council-member Velma Johnson made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2008-78. The motion was seconded by Council-member Jimmie Robinson. All members present voted aye passing the motion unanimously.

Report from the Mayor: The Mayor wished everyone a Merry Christmas.

Report from the Council: Council-member Jimmie Robinson reported that he wanted to see a separation in legal fees between the City Attorney, City Prosecutor, and the public defenders.

Council-member Terry Adams thanked everyone for supporting the Christmas Parade and wished everyone a Merry Christmas.

Council-member Janice Anderson reported that the girls are playing in New Orleans and that she is one of the chaperones. Council-member Anderson wished everyone a Merry Christmas.

Council-member Velma Johnson reported that she rode around the city to look at houses to make a recommendation to the City's Beautification Board.

Open Meeting to the Public: None.

Adjournment: Mayor Richardson made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Council-member Janice Anderson seconded the motion. All members present voted aye passing the motion unanimously.