



Meeting Minutes City of Midfield, Alabama City Council

The City Council of the City of Midfield, Alabama met in regular session on Monday, June 13, 2011 at 7:00 pm with Mayor Richardson presiding.

Council-member Reginald Wilson gave the invocation.

Tameeka Ephriam called roll. The following members were present: Terry Adams, Jimmie Robinson, Reginald Wilson, Janice Anderson and Velma Johnson. Tameeka Ephriam acted as clerk. A quorum being present the meeting opened for transaction of business.

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

Approval of payment of bills: Council-member Velma Johnson made a motion to suspend the rules for immediate consideration and pay June # 1 bills for \$75, 673.81. The motion was seconded by Council-member Janice Anderson to approve the payment of June #1 bills for \$75,673.81. All members present vote aye passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Resolution No. 2011-18: Declaring weeds a public nuisance for the following attached addresses: Council-member Velma Johnson made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2011-18. The motion was seconded by Council-member Janice Anderson. All members present vote aye passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Resolution No. 2011-19: Notice of Public Hearing for the following address: 911 8th Avenue, 1265 Woodward Road, 1413 Creel Street, 1421 Creel St., 1001 Wilkes Rd., and 1012 Herring St. Council-member Velma Johnson made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2011-19. The motion was seconded by Council-member Janice Anderson. All members present vote aye passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Resolution No. 2011-20: Appropriation to Clas Tran to provide services to Midfield residents. Council-member Velma Johnson made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2011-20. The motion was seconded by Council-member Terry Adams. All members present vote aye passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Business License for Title Max of Alabama, Inc. to be located at 101 Bessemer Super Highway. Item died for lack of motion.

Approval of Ordinance No. 2011-3: Amending the Zoning Ordinance of 1999. Council-member Velma Johnson made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 2011-3. The motion was seconded by Council-member Terry Adams. All members present vote aye passing the motion unanimously.

Report from the Mayor:

Department Heads Report

Chief Belcher announced that the city contracted 2 police officers, applied for the 2011 Cops Grant and asked for prayers for the officers.

Chief Manning reported that the Fire Department has released the bids for the defibrillators and thermal imaging guns.

Jeff Zissette, Public Works Director, reported that the pond has been treated, new fences at the park and receiving estimates for striping the parking lot.

Report from the Council: None

Open Meeting to the Public: Gwen Veras, Jefferson County Health Department, stated that she appreciates the efforts of the mayor and council to expedite the rezoning of the property located 222 Nail Street.

David Beach, 210 2nd Avenue, stated that he is opposed to having another title loan company within Midfield City limits.

Shan Paden and Clay Collins petitioned the council to consider approving the business license for Title Max.

Adjournment: Council-member Jimmie Robinson made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Council-member Velma Johnson seconded the motion. All members present voted aye passing the motion unanimously.