



## **Meeting Minutes City of Midfield, Alabama City Council**

The City Council of the City of Midfield, Alabama met in regular session on Monday, June 25, 2012 at 7:00 pm with Mayor Gary Richardson presiding.

Rev. Johnson gave the invocation.

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

**Approval of Agenda:** Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to approve the agenda. The motion was seconded by Councilor Janice Anderson. All members present voted “aye”, passing the motion unanimously.

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

**Approval of payment of bills:** Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to suspend the rules for immediate consideration and pay June #2 bills for \$61,631.76. The motion was seconded by Councilor Janice Anderson to approve the payment of June #2 bills for \$61,631.76. All members present voted “aye”, passing the motion unanimously.

**Approval of Resolution No. 2012-25: Authorizing the Mayor to enter into an agreement with Travelers Insurance & IPFS Corporation of the South for liability insurance (changing from AMIC to Travelers).** Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2012-25. The motion was seconded by Janice Anderson. All members present vote aye voted “aye”, passing the motion unanimously.

**Approval of Resolution No. 2012-26: Declaring Weeds A Public Nuisance.** Councilor Terry Adams made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2012-26. The motion was seconded by Councilor Velma Johnson. All members present voted “aye”, passing the motion unanimously.

**Approval of Resolution No. 2012-27: Authorizing the mayor to purchase a Dodge Charger for the Police Department using Red Light Camera Funds.** Councilor Jimmie Robinson made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2012-27. The motion was seconded by Councilor Velma Johnson. All members present voted “aye”, passing the motion unanimously.

**Approval of New Business License for Gilbert's Automotive to be located at 1520 12<sup>th</sup> Street.** Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to approve New Business License for Gilbert's Automotive. The motion was seconded by Councilor Janice Anderson. All members present voted "aye", passing the motion unanimously.

**Report from the Mayor:** Mayor announced the city received another Federal Cops Grant that will enable the city to hire an additional officer. The city also received confirmation of being awarded a \$160,000.00 Community Foundation Block Grant to renovate the Community Center. The Tiger Grant awarded to the City of Birmingham includes the Green Way Trail in Midfield. The City of Midfield is definitely on the move. Together we made major accomplishments in the City of Midfield.

**Report from the Council:** Councilors Terry Adams and Velma Johnson stated, "They enjoyed the Town Hall Meeting and the Mayor did a good job." All council members stated, "They really appreciate the hard work and dedication of the city employees."

**Open Meeting to the Public:** David Beach and Orlando Robinson thanked the Police Department for all their hard work.

**Adjournment:** Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilor Janice Anderson seconded the motion. All members present voted aye passing the motion unanimously.