

Meeting Minutes
City of Midfield, Alabama
City Council

The City Council of the City of Midfield, Alabama met in regular session on Monday, December 28, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Gary Richardson presiding.

Pastor Mark Spencer led attendees in prayer. Mayor Gary Richardson led attendees in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Recarda Cobb called roll. The following members were present: Councilor Terry Adams, Councilor Janice Anderson, Councilor Velma Johnson, Councilor James Reasor, Councilor Jimmie Robinson, and Mayor Gary Richardson.

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 Minutes from Regular scheduled meeting: Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to approve the minutes from the last regularly scheduled meeting. The motion was seconded by Councilor Janice Anderson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of December #2 Bills \$51,523.89: Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to approve December #1 Bills \$51,523.89. The motion was seconded by Councilor Janice Anderson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Resolution No. 2015-70: Resolution approving the agreement with Birmingham-Jefferson County Transit Authority (AKA-MAX). Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to approve Resolution 2015-70. The motion was seconded by Councilor Terry Adams. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Resolution No. 2015-71. Resolution approving the extension agreement for Solid Waste Collection and Disposal of Residential and Limited Commercial service between the City of Midfield and BFI Waste Services, LLC. Councilor Terry Adams made a motion to approve the Resolution 2015-71. The motion was seconded by Councilor Janice Anderson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Report from the Mayor: Mayor Gary Richardson discussed the upcoming meeting between the City Council and the Midfield School Board. The meeting is scheduled for January 11, 2015 at 5 p.m. in Council Chambers.

Jeff Zissette reported that the community center is looking good and is moving ahead as scheduled. He reported that out of 187 weed cases 104 were cut by the City of Midfield. Jeff also stated that he was glad the contract with BFI was extended.

Captain Golden stated that the new fire engine seems to be doing ok after the repairs.

Chief Belcher informed all of the suspects in the robberies in the Midfield Community. He stated that a group of individuals out of Brighton were responsible. He also discussed a young lady who allegedly killed her new born child. There's an ongoing investigation that originated in the City of Birmingham.

Report From Council:

Councilor Terry Adams informed all of the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. parade. He also informed those in attendance of the mix and mingle for elected officials and City Clerks.

Councilor Janice Anderson: None

Councilor James Reasor thanked Chief Belcher for raiding a drug house located in the City of Midfield. He also thanked Jeff for repairing the pot holes.

Councilor Jimmie Robinson wished everyone a happy new year.

Councilor Velma Johnson informed the credit seminar being held in the community on January 10-12, 2016. She also wished everyone a Happy New Year.

Report from public:

David Beach thanked Jeff for removing the leaves on his street.

Adjournment: Mayor Gary Richardson made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Councilor Janice Anderson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.