

## MEETING MINUTES

### CITY OF MIDFIELD

#### CITY COUNCIL

The City Council of the City of Midfield, Alabama met in a regular session on Monday, March 27, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Gary Richardson presiding.

Chaplain Darryl Nichols 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 Velma Johnson, Councilor Janice Anderson, Councilor Terry Adams, Councilor James Reasor, and Mayor Gary Richardson. Councilor Wendy Merriweather was absent.

**Approval of Agenda:** Councilor Janice Anderson made a motion to amend the agenda and add Ordinance No. 2017-1(1) to 6 A. The motion was seconded by Councilor Velma Johnson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

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

**Approval of Bills.** Councilor Janice Anderson made a motion to approve March #2 bills of \$25,826.36. The motion was seconded by Councilor James Reasor. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

**6A. Approval of Ordinance No. 2017-1(1):** An Ordinance making edit and typographic corrections to Ordinance 2017-1 by deleting section 1 and renumbering the Municipal Code of the City of Midfield, Alabama establishing requirements and standards pertaining to vehicle impact protection measures for buildings having parking areas within 10 feet of the front entry of the building. Councilor Janice Anderson made a motion to consider Ordinance No. 2017-1(1). The motion was seconded by Councilor Velma Johnson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously. Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 2017-1(1). The motion was seconded by Councilor Janice Anderson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

#### **Report from Mayor:**

Mayor Gary Richardson stated he was recently elected as Chairman of the Jefferson County EMA.

Chief Larry Manning- None

Sgt. Bell stated that the Midfield Police Department have received the equipment needed to upgrade E911. The MPD is also working with Jefferson County on installing the mapping for the system.

Jeff Zisette informed all of the completion of the housing demolition.

**Report from Council:**

Councilor Terry Adams-None

Councilor Velma Johnson encouraged everyone to come out to the City's clean-up day, April 22, 2017, at 8 a.m.

Councilor Janice Anderson invited all in attendance to come out to the Easter egg hunt, April 08, 2017, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the Community Center.

Councilor James Reasor discussed a complaint, by a Midfield neighbor, of dogs howling all night.

**Open to Public:**

David Beach inquired about the Council announcing the opening for school board member.

Defellus Dumas invited everyone out to the 100<sup>th</sup> celebration of the Jefferson County Health Department. The celebration will take place at Railroad Park on April 01, 2017 from noon until 4 p.m.

Mary Fuller complained about pot holes located on the street in which she lives. She also invited everyone out to the Neighborhood Association's meet and greet on April 3, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. The event will take place at the Midfield Recreational Center.

Clematine Mays asked for donations to help her daughter attend a cheering event in Orlando, Florida.

**Adjourn:**

Councilor Janice Anderson made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Councilor Velma Johnson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.